

Higher Education Commissioner,
Haryana, Chandigarh.

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To

1. The Financial Commissioner & Principal Secretary to Govt. Haryana, Technical Education Department, Haryana, Chandigarh.
2. The Financial Commissioner & Principal Secretary to Govt., Haryana, Health Department, Haryana Chandigarh.
3. Commissioner & Director General School Education Haryana, Chandigarh

Memo No. 1/66-2003 Co. (2)

Dated: Chandigarh, the 25.9.2006

Subject: - Guidelines regarding granting of Minority status to Minority Educational institutions.

I am directed to invite your attention on the above subject and to say that meetings on 30.8.2006 and 11.9.06 were held under the chairmanship of worthy Financial Commissioner & Principal Secretary to Govt. Haryana, Education Department in which the interactions for granting minority status to minority educational institutions were held. The decision taken in the meetings are as follows. You are requested to follow these guidelines while granting minority status:-

1. For a Minority Educational Institution established by an individual clearly that individual should belong to the said community.
2. All the members of the applicant Society/Trust/Company desirous of establishing or maintaining minority educational institution should be from amongst the said minority community.
3. All the members of the Governing Body/Board of Trustees/Board of Co-partner etc. should be belonging to the minority community.
4. Regarding the benefits, which accrue to the Minority Educational Institutions it was noted that benefits would include:-
 - (a) Freedom to fix rational fee structure without any capitation fee or undue profit.
 - (b) Full freedom in respect of admission of students belonging to that minority community. However, relative merit and transparency needs to be maintained even for admission of students of that community. In case of aided minority

Institutions, the admission of students from that community should be to a reasonable extent (say upto 50%).

- (c) Minority Educational Institutions have a right of seeking affiliation with any affiliating body of their own choice.
- (d) Right of non-taking over of management by Govt. in respect of the Minority Educational institution.
- (e) Right that no direction for any form of reservation may be imposed in that institution by the State Govt.
- (f) Right to establish its own Governing Body and to appoint its own staff and take necessary disciplinary action against the staff.

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