BOARD OF INTERMEDIATE EDUCATION : ANDHRA PRADESH : HYDERABAD

From Sri M.V. Satyanarayana , I.A.S., Secretary, Board of Intermediate Education, <u>A.P., Nampally, Hyderabad.</u>

Rc.No.601/C26-1/March/2016, Dated: 01-10-2015.

Sir/Madam,

Sub: IPE March 2016 and IPASE May/June 2016 - B.I.E. - Certain Exemptions and concessions to Blind, Deaf, Deaf & Dumb and Physically disabled candidates, candidates suffering from DYSLEXIA and Mentally Handicapped candidates at Intermediate level – Orders issued – Reg.

- Ref: 1) Proceedings of the Commissioner & Secretary, BIE, A.P., Hyderabad vide Rc.No.81/E2-1/2001-2002, dt.9-4-2002.
 - 2) Rc.No.601/C26-1/March 2007 dated: 20-09-2008
 - 3) Letter Rc.No601/C26-1/March 2007 dated 31-08-2009
 - 4) Letter Rc.no.601/C26-1/March/2007 dated: 17-09-2010
 - 5) Minutes of 61st Board meeting held on 21-3-2007 at 4.00 P.M. vide Item No.2
 - Minutes of the 68th meeting of the Board held on 19-2-2011 at 11.00 A.M. vide Item No. 8.
 - 7) Proceedings of the Secretary, B.I.E., A.P., Hyderabad vide Rc.No.601/ C26-1/March 2012 dated 29-09-2011
 - 8) Proceedings of the Secretary, B.I.E., A.P., Hyderabad vide Rc.No.601/ C26-1/March 2013 dated 18-09-2012
 - 9) Proceedings of the Secretary, B.I.E., A.P., Hyderabad vide Rc.No.601/ C26-1/March 2014 dated 30-09-2013
 - Proceedings of the Secretary, B.I.E., A.P., Hyderabad vide Rc.No.601/ C26-1/March 2015 dated 18-09-2014.

All the Principals of the Junior College and Composite Degree Colleges having two year Intermediate courses in the State are informed that certain exemptions and concessions were extended by the Board of Intermediate Education to Blind, Deaf, Deaf & Dumb and Physically Disabled candidates studying Intermediate course vide under reference 1st cited .

In the reference 2nd cited, with a view to ensure uniformity in processing such cases, a new procedure was introduced during I.P.E. March, 2007 and it is decided to continue the same procedure for I.P.E. March, 2009 also.

In the reference 5th cited, the Board has approved to extend the exemptions to candidates suffering from DYSLEXIA also on par with certain exemptions and concessions to Blind, Deaf, Deaf and Dumb and Physically Handicapped candidates.

In the reference 6th cited, the Board has approved to extend the exemptions to Mentally Handicapped candidates also on par with certain exemptions and concessions to Blind, Deaf, Deaf and Dumb and Physically Handicapped candidates.

In the reference 7th, 8th and 9th and 10th cited, Proceedings were issued to extend the exemptions to Mentally Handicapped candidates also on par with certain exemptions and concessions to Blind, Deaf, Deaf and Dumb and Physically Handicapped candidates.

In view of the above, the Principals of all the Junior / Degree Colleges having Intermediate Courses in the State are instructed to follow the procedure given below for processing and submitting the applications of the above said candidates for sanctioning the exemptions and concessions.

The prescribed application form as shown in Annexure is to be filled in by the candidate for sanction of exemptions and concessions. Please make copies of the form and distribute among the eligible candidates of your college free of cost. The Principal should collect the application forms from the candidates by <u>17-10-2015</u>. The Principal should verify the genuineness of the request and should ensure that all the columns in application form are filled in. After satisfying himself / herself, the Principal should submit all such applications to the Regional Inspection Officer, District concerned by <u>24-10-2015</u>. After receiving the applications from all colleges, the R.I.O. will send them in one lot to the Deputy Secretary (Exams) concerned on or before <u>30-10-2015</u>. Applications received directly from the candidates or colleges will not be entertained.

The candidate should enclose - (1) the original Medical Certificate issued by Medical Board along with a Xerox copy, (2) copy of S.S.C. certificate, (3) similar sanction order copy, if any, at School level to the application form. The candidate should clearly mention the concessions required.

In case of Deaf, Deaf & Dumb candidates, candidates suffering from DYSLEXIA and Mentally Handicapped candidates, they should mention the language under Part-I or Part-II for which exemption is required.

To All the Principals of Junior /Composite Degree Colleges having Intermediate courses in the State. There are certain colleges in the State which are running exclusively for the Blind, Deaf or Deaf & Dumb students. The principals of these colleges also should send the proposals to Board of Intermediate Education, A.P., Hyderabad through the Regional Inspection Officer, District concerned duly following the above procedure, they should obtain permission from Board of Intermediate Education, A.P., Hyderabad.

The following concessions and exemptions are given to the Blind, Deaf, Deaf & Dumb candidates, Physically Handicapped candidates, candidates suffering from DYSLEXIA and Mentally Handicapped candidates appearing for Intermediate Public Examinations.

I Blind candidates: (NR UPDATION CODE: B)

- a) Exemption from payment of examination fee.
- b) 30 minutes extra time.
- c) Providing Scribe.
- d) Relaxation of jumbling system.
- e) Reduction of pass marks from 35% to 25% for all subjects.

II Deaf, Deaf & Dumb candidates: (NR UPDATION CODE: D and U respectively)

- a) Exemption from payment of examination fee.
- b) 30 minutes extra time.
- c) Relaxation of jumbling system.
- d) Reduction of pass marks from 35% to 25% for all subjects.
- e) Exemption of one language under Part-I or II. The students of Vocational courses are exempted from studying Communication skills in English Language.

III <u>Physically Handicapped candidates: (NR UPDATION CODE: H)</u>

- a) Exemption from payment of examination fee.
 - b) 30 minutes extra time.
 - c) Providing Scribe to those who are incapable of using hands due to accident / illness.
 - d) Relaxation of jumbling system.

IV <u>Candidates suffering from DYSLEXIA: (NR UPDATION CODE: L)</u>

- a) 60 minutes extra time.
- b) Providing a Scribe who should be degree standard in subject other than the papers for which the candidates is appearing. Help wherever necessary.
- c) Exemption of one language under Part-I or II.

V <u>Mentally Handicapped candidates: (NR UPDATION CODE: Y)</u>

- a) 30 minutes extra time.
- b) Providing Scribe's help wherever necessary.
- c) Exemption of one language under Part-I or II.

The powers are re-delegated as follows to reduce the work stress to avoid delay in the file movement for sanction.

Joint Secretary (Exams-II)	:	1)	30 minutes / 60 minutes extra time.
			Relaxation of jumbling system. Exemption from payment of exam.fee.
Controller of Examinations	:	1)	Reduction of pass marks from 35% to 25%. Exemption of one language under Part-I or Part-II.
Chief Supdt. of the centre	:	1)	Providing Scribe.

Hence, all the Principals and R.I.O's. concerned are requested to take necessary action accordingly.

Note:

1) As per G.O. Ms. No. 27 dated 09-08-2000 issued by Women Development, Child Welfare & Disabled Welfare (DW) Dept., Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, the minimum percentage of disability shall be 40% of any kind of disability as certified by the Medical Authority to apply for facilities, concessions and benefits admissible under the schemes of the Government or Non-Government Organizations.

2) The Principals have to upload the Medical Certificates issued by the Medical Board online at the time of payment of Examination fee.

Sd/-SECRETARY

Copy to all the R.I.O's, in the State

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