Proceedings of the 3rd Governing Council Meeting held on 23.6.2000 at 11 A.M.

Members present:

1) Smt. Tara Ajai Singh, IAS.,

Chairman, KREIS & Secretary to Govt., Social Welfare Dept.

2) Sri. Ashok Kumar C. Manoli IAS.,

Secretary (Exp.)
Finance Department
Government of Karnataka

3) Sri. R.N. Shastri, IAS.,

Secretary to Govt., (Pri. & Secy.) Education Department

4) Sri. Veerabhadrachari, IAS.,

Director
Department of Minorities
& Backward Classes.

5) Sri. M.R. Kamble, IAS.,

Director of Social Welfare

6) Sri. S. Nanjundaiah

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The Chairman extended a warm welcome to all the participants and initiated the discussion.

(1) Reading and recording of the proceedings of II Governing Council:

The Proceedings of the II Governing Council meeting were read and recorded.

(2) Action taken on the Proceedings of the meeting held on 7.3.2000.

The Governing Council perused the action taken notes.

(3) Raising Hudco loan.

The proposal of raising Hudco loan of Rs.76.30 crores for 41 schools consisting of 30 Social Welfare department, 9 Backward classes and 2 Minorities, was explained in detail and the Hudco is willing to finance at 13% interest per annum. The Society has a plan of action to draw the first instalment in the month of July '00.

The Chairman suggested to Secretary, Finance Department that the Finance Department has to write to the Hudco to reduce their interest rate to 12.5% since they are giving such a concession to some other projects. The Chairman further explained that efforts were made to convince the Bankers to grant loan at 12.5% interest. The Bankers did not agree since the RBI guidelines do not permit them to finance for projects where repayment is from budgetary support.

The Secretary (Exp.) suggested that a detailed note may be sent to the Finance department so as to enable them to address a letter to the Chairman, Hudco for reduction of interest rate. It was also clarified that the amount in the PD account of Social Welfare department pertains to construction of residential schools to be transferred to the Society as the Society has already finalised the work entrustment for construction of residential school complexes. It was also brought to the notice of the Governing Council that the Director of Backward Classes has agreed to provide Rs.3.31 crores out of the Backward Classes Departmental funds in the PD A/c of the Director of Social Welfare. The ED was advised to follow up the grant-in-aid sent to the Government of India.

(4) Finalisation of competitive rates and entrustment of work of construction.

It was explained in detail that type designs were taken from 5 agencies namely RITES, EdCIL, MECON Ltd., KSSIDC and KLAC. The Technical Committee has approved the type design with certain modifications and suggested that the Chief Architect has to approve the type designs after necessary modifications. Accordingly, the Chief Architect has approved the revised type designs and also technical details. The Technical Committee authorised the Chairman to call for competitive rates from the above agencies including National Building Construction Corporation Ltd.

The rates received were compared and found that EdCIL has quoted the lowest rate of Rs.1,89,05,000/- + 9% service charge and 4% works tax. Though they have quoted some of the special conditions, they have agreed to reduce the rate by 7.05 lakhs in the negotiations held and further agreed . to reduce the rates by Rs. 9.00 lakhs in respect of Staff Quarters area to be built. They have further agreed to reduce the service charges from 9% to 7%. When the rates quoted by EdCIL are compared with PWD SR with service charges, works tax etc., it was noticed that the rate quoted by KSSIDC as per PWD SR rate works out to Rs. 2.5 crores whereas, the EdCIL has agreed to execute the work of 3421 sq.m.s at a cost of Rs.1,85,37,000/-. They have also accepted to waive off the special conditions indicated in their offer. They have (EdCIL) agreed to complete the project within 12 months from the date of entrustment. Therefore, the Governing Council accorded approval to entrust the construction work of 110 school complexes on turn-key basis to M/s.EdCIL at the rate of Rs.1,85,37,000/- including infrastructure, like water supply, sanitary, link roads, playground, terracing, stone paving for drains etc.

Further, the Governing Council also accorded approval to negotiate with other agencies with reference to the rate agreed upon by M/s.EdCIL. If they are agreeable to the same rate and terms and conditions, the Chairman was authorised to entrust the work to other agencies also. The Governing Council expressed that highly competitive rates have been negotiated.

(5) Delegation of financial powers:

For smooth functioning of the Society, delegation of financial powers are proposed.

The Governing Council has examined the proposal of delegation of financial powers and approved with the following modifications:-

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The proposal of the Society for having a panel of Advocates to take their assistance in legal matters was approved. The Governing Council authorised the Chairman to fix a reasonable remuneration on case-to-case basis.

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It was explained that an advertisement was released in Kannada and English newspapers that a panel of architects cum Civil Engineers will be prepared in order to take their help in the inspection, modification of designs etc., in construction of Residential schools. The Governing Council has approved the proposal and authorised the Chairman to fix remuneration on the basis of the kind of work to be entrusted.

(8) Employer's contribution towards PF:

The proposal to pay Employer's contribution towards PF as per the Act is approved by the Governing Council.

(9) Purchase of vehicle:

It was briefed that there is an urgent need for purchase of vehicle since the work of construction of residential school will be started shortly. The Governing Council suggested to go in for a diesel vehicle since the schools are located in the interior villages. It was also discussed in detail and the Governing Council has approved to purchase a Tata Sumo for the use of the Society. The Governing Council authorised the Chairman to take action.

(10) Engaging a chartered accountant company on retainer basis:

The Society will be drawing funds from Hudco, the State Government and Government of India etc., hence, there is a need for maintenance of accounts in a proper manner. The proposal of engaging a chartered accountant company on retainer basis is approved by the Governing Council.

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CHAIRMAN.

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