GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM FINANCE (ECONOMIC AFFAIRS) DEPARTMENT DISPUR

NO FEA (SFC) 17/2009/42

Dated Dispur the May 21, 2009

From: Shri H.S Das, IAS,

Principal Secretary Finance Department

To

The Commissioner & Secretary / Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Urban Development/ GD Department, Dispur.

Sub: Fresh Recruitment of Staff' in ULBs.

 I am directed to inform you that State Finance Commission Cell under Finance (Economic Affairs) Department has started making payment of salaries to the existing regular posts of Local Bodies for general areas under the award of State Finance Commission since 2008-09. Now it has come to the notice of SFC cell of Finance (Economic Affairs) Department that some Chairmen of MBs/TCs are making fresh recruitment of staff without the prior approval of Finance Department through the Administrative Department. State Government put ban on fresh appointment in ULBs vide Municipal Department's letter No. MA.582/97/148 dated 21.12.1999 (copy enclosed).

Third Assam State Finance Commission has observed that there is no approved staffing pattern in ULBs including Guwahati Municipal Corporation (GMC). The Commission has, therefore, recommended for constitution of study group to determine the different category of staff required for each ULB and GMC. Finance Department will not provide additional fund for the fresh appointees over the existing regular posts till the

approved uniform staffing pattern for ULBs and GMC is finalized.

3. You are, therefore, is requested to instruct ULBs/GMC not to make any fresh appointments over the existing regular posts and also against vacant posts without the prior approval of Finance Department through the Administrative Department. Appointments already made in violation of the ban mentioned at para 1 above and without prior approval of Finance Department (Economic Affairs SFC Cell) may be cancelled immediately.

> Finance Department Dated Dispur the May 21, 2009

Memo NO FEA (SFC) 17/2009/ 42-A Copy to:.

The Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Assam for information and similar actions for subject of the Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRIs).

The Commissioner, Guwahati Municipal Corporation, Guwhati-1.

The Director, UD (MA), Secretariat Complex, Dispur for information and necessary

The Director, Panchayat &Rural Development, Juripar, Panjabari, Ghy for information and similar actions for subject of the Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRIs).

5 The Director, Accounts & Treasuries, Audit (LF) Assam, Kar Bhawan

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