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Ministry of Human Resource Development  
Department of School Education & Literacy

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To,

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2. The Commissioner and Principal Secretary, Department of Education and Languages, Govt. of Haryana, Haryana Civil Secretariat, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor, Room No. 39, Chandigarh.
3. The Secretary (Secondary Education), Govt. of Uttar Pradesh, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Room No. 11-12, Adhikari Bhawan, Lucknow - 226001.

Subject: Minutes of the meeting of Project Approval Board to consider State proposals for Model School Scheme held on 23.7.2010.

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith minutes of the meeting of the Project Approval Board to consider proposals of State Governments under the Scheme for setting up of 6000 Model Schools at Block Level as benchmark of excellence held on 23.7.2010 for information and necessary action at your end.

2. The State Governments, who are yet to submit bond, resolution, ECS authorization etc., are required to furnish the same, in order to enable us to release the central share.

3. The concerned State Governments are also requested to make provisions for applicable State share at the earliest.

Yours faithfully,



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4. The Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, 18 Institutional Area, Shaheed Jeet Singh Marg, New Delhi - 110 016.

# MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PROJECT APPROVAL BOARD TO CONSIDER PROPOSALS OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT UNDER THE MODEL SCHOOLS SCHEME HELD ON 23.7.2010

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A meeting of the Project Approval Board for 'Scheme for setting up of 6000 Model Schools at Block Level as benchmark of excellence' was held on 23.7.2010 in the Conference Room of Ministry of HRD to consider proposals from State Governments of Rajasthan, Haryana and Uttar Pradesh. A list of participants is appended.

## 2. Rajasthan:

2.1 The proposal of the State Government to construct 95 Model Schools was presented by the State Project Director. The schools will be affiliated to CBSE and medium of instruction will be English. The Society implementing RMSA will also be implementing Model School scheme. As per the implementation schedule furnished by the State Govt., 11 months will be required for completing the construction work including pre construction survey and tendering process. The schools will be functional from the next academic year 2011-12, and therefore, the state govt. has not proposed any recurring cost.

2.2 It was pointed out by the appraisal team that land ownership is not clear for the following 4 blocks:

- (i) Thanagaji block in Alwar district
- (ii) Riyan block in Nagaur district
- (iii) Uniyara block in Tonk district
- (iv) K. Patan block in Bundi district

2.3 State Project Director clarified that the land allocation letters in respect of Thanagaji and Riyan blocks have since been received and the title of land was now with the State Govt. PAB accordingly decided to consider those two cases, leaving Uniyara and K. Patan for want of required clarifications.

2.4 In the appraisal note, it was also pointed out that in 6 blocks, including Thanagaji block, availability of land was below 5 acres. In four of these blocks availability of land was 4 acres, and remaining 2 blocks it was 3.5 acres. PAB felt that the four blocks with 4 acres of land could be recommended for models schools. However, for the 2 blocks, when availability of land was below 4 acres, the state government was advised to make effort to locate plots of 5 acre size.

2.5 The PAB therefore, recommended 91 models schools in as many EBBs in Rajasthan. The list of blocks where these schools have been recommended is at Annexure I.



2.6 The building plan was also discussed. Secretary (SE&L) felt that the building plan was conventional and there was no special feature. State Project Director, Rajasthan clarified that the particular design was chosen after considering several designs. The design also provide for 16 class rooms; instead of 14 stipulated in KV template. Secretary (SE&L) suggested to the state government to arrange for a design contest.

2.7 SPD, Rajasthan submitted that for engaging consultants and conducting a design contest, the state government needed some funds over and above the construction cost sanctioned by the central government. He therefore requested for release of MMER fund. Secretary (SE&L) advised release of MMER fund along with central share of recurring and non-recurring grant. This was also agreed to by Director (IFD).

2.8 JS (SE) advised the state government to set up a separate implementing society for the Model School Scheme in view of the large number of EBBs in the state. Principal Secretary Government of Rajasthan clarified that for the present the state government has decided to implement all the 3 schemes i.e. RMSA, Model School and Girls' Hostel through the RMSA society. However, a separate unit will be established for Model School Scheme within the RMSA Society.

### **3. Haryana**

3.1 Principal Secretary (Education), Haryana presented the proposal of the State Government to set up 36 Model Schools in as many EBBs. She clarified that the number of EBBs in the state is actually 36, and not 37 as mentioned in the EBB list. This is because one block Bhatta Kalan (P) has figured twice in the list.

3.2 It was mentioned that all the schools will have classes from VI to XII and medium of instruction will be English. The scheme will be implemented by Haryana Prathamik Shiksha Pariyojana Parishad, which is the society implementing SSA. 5 acres or more land has been identified for each school. The construction will be through the Engineering Wing of SSA.

3.3 As regards the Odhan block, where the ownership of land was not clear, Principal Secretary clarified the school is proposed on Panchayat land.

3.4 As regards the building design, the State Government was advised to be more innovative and explore options like design contest.

3.5 Principal Secretary, Haryana requested for MMER fund along with the non-recurring grant so that planning and designing activities could be undertaken. She suggested that broad guidelines should be issued by the Central Government to earmark specific percentage of funds for the state level and the school level.

3.6 She clarified that Faridabad district has since been bifurcated into Palwal and Faridabad districts whereas Gurgaon district has been bifurcated into Mewat and Gurgaon districts.

3.7 PAB recommended 36 Model Schools in Haryana. The list of blocks where these schools have been sanctioned is at **Annexure II.**

#### **4 Uttar Pradesh**

4.1 Secretary (Secondary Education), Government of Uttar Pradesh presented the proposal of the State Government to set up 143 model schools in as many EBBs. The scheme will be implemented by Uttar Pradesh Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan Parishad, which also implements RMSA. All the schools will have classes from VI to XII and will be affiliated to state Board. The medium of instruction will be both Hindi and English.

4.2 Secretary (SE), Government of UP clarified that the schools will come up in the spare land in the existing upper primary school premises. Once the Model Schools become operational, the students of upper primary section (classes VI to VIII) will be shifted to the Model Schools. The existing upper primary schools will continue to function as primary schools with classes from I to V. This would provide a compact model with students studying upto class V in the primary school, and thereafter till class XII in the Model School. JS(SE) pointed out that the Model School is not configured as a neighbourhood school unlike the existing Government elementary school. Therefore, promoting all students of the existing primary school to join class VI of the Model School will not be possible. Therefore, the model school will have a separate and distinct existence and can only be located within the elementary school premises provided 5 acres of vacant land is available for earmarking for model school.

4.3 As regards the 6 blocks where ownership of land was not clear, Secretary, Government of UP clarified that in all cases the land is with Gram Panchayat or Nagar Panchayat. The concerned Panchayats have also passed resolution to transfer the land to State Government. He also assured that state share will be released to the implementing society within one month of the schools being sanctioned.

4.4 He stated that Hathras district has been renamed as Mahamaya Nagar, and Eta district as Kanshiram Nagar. It was also confirmed that the correct name of Jawan block in Aligarh district is Jawan Sikanderpur.

4.5 As regards the building design, the State Government was advised to be more innovative and to explore options like design contest.

4.6 PAB recommended 143 Model Schools in Uttar Pradesh. The list of blocks where these schools have been recommended is at **Annexure III.**



## **5. Other issues discussed:**

**5.1 Building design:** PAB observed that the building designs proposed by the State Governments are conventional and do not indicate much of an innovation. Secretary (SE&L) felt that since the fund available for Model Schools was substantially higher than a conventional secondary/higher secondary school, the building designs should be innovative and child-friendly. Several organisations have suggested innovative designs for school buildings to maximise utilization of space, better viewing of black/white board from any part of the classroom, wide corridor, multiple access to play ground etc. All Model schools should also be disabled friendly. Secretary(SE&L) suggested that State Governments should organise a design contest, and if considered necessary incorporate best features of various designs to evolve a truly modern school building, going beyond the conventional designs of State PWDs. She also advised the Bureau to organise a National workshop on building design to work out good designs for Model Schools.

**5.2 Implementation Society:** Some States have decided to implement the Model Schools and Girls' Hostel schemes through the RMSA society. PAB felt that for States with a large number of EBBs, it may not be possible for RMSA society to manage such a large number of Model Schools. PAB, therefore, advised these states to constitute separate dedicated society for Model Schools.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.

List of participants for the PAB meeting on Model School Scheme held on 23.07.2010

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**List of EBBs in Rajasthan recommended by the PAB under the Scheme for setting up of 6000 Model Schools at Block level as benchmark of excellence**

S. No.	Name of Block	Name of the District where block situated
1	Masuda	Ajmer
2	Rajgarh	Alwar
3	Kathumar	Alwar
4	Ramgarh	Alwar
5	Laxmangarh	Alwar
6	Renni	Alwar
7	Kishangarhbas	Alwar
8	Bansur	Alwar
9	Umrain	Alwar
10	Tijara	Alwar
11	Thanagaji	Alwar
12	Ghatol	Banswara
13	Antah	Baran
14	Chabra	Baran
15	Shahbad	Baran
16	Atru	Baran
17	Siwana	Barmer
18	Balotra	Barmer
19	Barmer	Barmer
20	Chohtan	Barmer
21	Shiv	Barmer
22	Hurda	Bhilwara
23	Sahada (Sahara in MDM EBB List)	Bhilwara
24	Raipur	Bhilwara
25	Asind	Bhilwara
26	Mandal	Bhilwara
27	Kotri	Bhilwara
28	Banera	Bhilwara
29	Mandalgarh	Bhilwara
30	Jahajpur	Bhilwara
31	Shahpura	Bhilwara
32	Nainwa	Bundi
33	Hindoli	Bundi
34	Talera	Bundi
35	Mahua	Dausa
36	Dausa	Dausa
37	Lalsot	Dausa
38	Sikrai	Dausa
39	Bichiwara	Dungarpur
40	Simalwara	Dungarpur
41	Sagwara	Dungarpur
42	Aspur	Dungarpur
43	Dungarpur	Dungarpur



44	Suratgarh	Ganganagar
45	Anoopgarh	Ganganagar
46	Sankra Pokran	Jaisalmer
47	Sam	Jaisalmer
48	Jaisalmer	Jaisalmer
49	Raniwara	Jalore
50	Jhalrapatan	Jhalawar
51	Dug	Jhalawar
52	Manoharthana	Jhalawar
53	Bakani	Jhalawar
54	Shergarh	Jodhpur
55	Bap	Jodhpur
56	Bhopalgarh	Jodhpur
57	Phalodi	Jodhpur
58	Osian	Jodhpur
59	Luni	Jodhpur
60	Bilara	Jodhpur
61	Mandor	Jodhpur
62	Balesar	Jodhpur
63	Nadoti	Karauli
64	Todabhim	Karauli
65	Sapotra	Karauli
66	Karauli	Karauli
67	Didwana	Nagaur
68	Parbatsar	Nagaur
69	Jayal	Nagaur
70	Nagaur	Nagaur
71	Riyan	Nagaur
72	Merta City	Nagaur
73	Railmagara	Rajsamand
74	Rajsamand	Rajsamand
75	Amet	Rajsamand
76	Devgarh	Rajsamand
77	Bhim	Rajsamand
78	Khamnor	Rajsamand
79	Kumbhalgarh	Rajsamand
80	Gangapur	S.Madhapur
81	S. Madhopur	S.Madhapur
82	Bamanwas	S.Madhapur
83	Khandar	S.Madhapur
84	Bonli	S.Madhapur
85	Pindwara	Sirohi
86	Reodar	Sirohi
87	Todaraisingh	Tonk
88	Niwai	Tonk
89	Sarada	Udaipur
90	Kherwara	Udaipur
91	Kotra	Udaipur

**List of EBBs in Haryana recommended by the PAB under the Scheme for setting up of 6000 Model Schools at Block level as benchmark of excellence**

S. No.	Name of Block	Name of the District where block situated
1	Tosham	Bhiwani
2	Siwani	
3	Bhattu Kalan	Fatehabad
4	Bhuna	
5	Fatehabad	
6	Ratia	
7	Tohana	
8	Agroha	Hisar
9	Barwala	
10	Hansi-I	
11	Hisar-II	
12	Narnaund	
13	Uklana	Jind
14	Alewa	
15	Narwana	
16	Uchana	
17	Kaithal	Kaithal
18	Kalayatt	
19	Rajound	
20	Ferozepur Jhirka	Mewat
21	Nagina	
22	Nuh	
23	Punhana	
24	Taoru	
25	Nangal Chaudhary	Mahendergarh
26	Bapoli	Panipat
27	Hasanpur	Palwal
28	Hathin	
29	Hodal	
30	Palwal	
31	Baragudha	Sirsa
32	Dabwali	
33	Ellenabad	
34	Nathusari Chopta	
35	Odhna	
36	Rania	



**List of EBBs in Uttar Pradesh recommended by the PAB under the Scheme for setting up of 6000 Model Schools at Block level as benchmark of excellence**

S. No.	Name of Block	Name of the District where block situated
1	Parikshitgarh	Meerut
2	Sarurpur	Meerut
3	Shikarpur	Bulandshahar
4	Danpur	Bulandshahar
5	Gulaothi	Bulandshahar
6	Arniya	Bulandshahar
7	Anupshahar	Bulandshahar
8	pahasu	Bulandshahar
9	Syana	Bulandshahar
10	Jhahgirabad	Bulandshahar
11	Khurja	Bulandshahar
12	Shadhauli Kadeem	Shaharanpur
13	Ganghoh	Shaharanpur
14	Charthawal	Muzaffar Nagar
15	Morna	Muzaffar Nagar
16	Purkazi	Muzaffar Nagar
17	Budhana	Muzaffar Nagar
18	Jansath	Muzaffar Nagar
19	Un	Muzaffar Nagar
20	Akola	Agra
21	Barauli Ahir	Agra
22	Achanera	Agra
23	Bichpuri	Agra
24	Karahal	Mainpuri
25	Ghiror	Mainpuri
26	Mathura	Mathura
27	Govardhan	Mathura
28	Baldev	Mathura
29	Mant	Mathura
30	Raya	Mathura
31	Chaumuha	Mathura
32	Bijauli	Aligarh
33	Gonda	Aligarh
34	Khair	Aligarh
35	Chandaus	Aligarh
36	Jawan	Aligarh
37	Shappu	Mahamaya Nagar
38	Mursan	Mahamaya Nagar
39	Sikandrao	Mahamaya Nagar
40	Sadabad	Mahamaya Nagar
41	Amanpur	Kashiram Nagar
42	Avagarh	Eta
43	Nidhauli Kala	Eta

44	Shitalpur	Eta
45	Aliganj	Eta
46	Jaithara	Eta
47	Sakit	Eta
48	Dilari	Muradabad
49	Bahjoi	Muradabad
50	Baniyakhera	Muradabad
51	Chamaraua	Rampur
52	Najibabad	Bijnaur
53	Jalilpur	Bijnaur
54	Kotawali	Bijnaur
55	Majhgawan	Bareilly
56	Ram Nagar	Bareilly
57	Nawabganj	Bareilly
58	Bhuta	Bareilly
59	Kyara	Bareilly
60	Baheri	Bareilly
61	Mirganj	Bareilly
62	Salarpur	Badaun
63	Qadar Chowk	Badaun
64	Sindhauli	Shahjahanpur
65	Amria	Pilibhit
66	Bilsanda	Pilibhit
67	Lalauri Khera	Pilibhit
68	Berkhera	Pilibhit
69	Mohanlal Ganj	Lucknow
70	Gosaiganj	Lucknow
71	Kakori	Lucknow
72	Dalmau	Raebareli
73	Bahadurpur	Raebareli
74	Deeh	Raebareli
75	Chhatoh	Raebareli
76	Rohaniya	Raebareli
77	Bachharawan	Raebareli
78	Akbarpur	Ambedkar Nagar
79	Katehari	Ambedkar Nagar
80	Ram Nagar	Ambedkar Nagar
81	Gauriganj	Sultanpur
82	Mushafirkhana	Sultanpur
83	Dostpur	Sultanpur
84	Kure Bhar	Sultanpur
85	Jaisinghpur	Sultanpur
86	Jhanjari	Gonda
87	Campier Gang	Gorakhpur
88	Paniyara	Maharaj Ganj
89	Brijmanganj	Maharaj Ganj
90	Deoria sadar	Deoria
91	Vishunpura	Kushinagar
92	Khadda	Kushinagar
93	Nebua Naurangiya	Kushinagar



94	Rudhauli	Basti
95	Parashurampur	Basti
96	Gaur	Basti
97	Ranipur	Mau
98	Muhammadabad Gohan	Mau
99	Badraon	Mau
100	Ratanpura	Mau
101	Naugarh	Chandauli
102	Rajgarh	Mirzapur
103	Majhawan	Mirzapur
104	Pahari	Mirzapur
105	Ghorawal	Sonbhadra
106	Chatra	Sonbhadra
107	Myorepur	Sonbhadra
108	Nagawa	Sonbhadra
109	Deegh	Sant Ravidas Nagar
110	Aurai	Sant Ravidas Nagar
111	Bahariya	Allahabad
112	Chaka	Allahabad
113	Uruwa	Allahabad
114	Sarsawan	Kaushambi
115	Teliyani	Fatehpur
116	Bhitora	Fatehpur
117	Arayan	Fatehpur
118	Bahua	Fatehpur
119	Haswa	Fatehpur
120	Hathgaon	Fatehpur
121	Sandwachandrika	Pratapgarh
122	Rampur Sangramgarh	Pratapgarh
123	KalaKankar	Pratapgarh
124	Shamshabad	Farrukhabad
125	Talgram	Kannauj
126	Jalalabad	Kannauj
127	Kannauj	Kannauj
128	Bamaur	Jhansi
129	Kadoura	Jalaun
130	Dakore	Jalaun
131	Maheva	Jalaun
132	Mau	Chitrakut
133	Manikpur	Chitrakut
134	Pahari	Chitrakut
135	Kabara	Mahoba
136	Charkhari	Mahoba
137	Panwari	Mahoba
138	Barokhar	Banda
139	Sumerpur	Hamirpur
140	Soron	Kanshiram Nagar
141	Sahawar	Kanshiram Nagar
142	Ganjdundwara	Kanshiram Nagar
143	Patyali	Kanshiram Nagar