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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001

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ORDER

Whereas this Department is implementing the Integrated Programme for Senior Citizens (IPSrC), a sub scheme of Atal Vayo Abhyuday Yojana (AVYAY). The projects running under the IPSrC by the Organisations have been receiving grant-in-aid whereas this grant subject to the conditions laid down in the scheme guidelines.

2. Whereas para 'A-9.5 Change of Location of the Projects:' of the scheme guidelines states that change of location of the projects shall be with the permission of the State Government/UT Administration under intimation to this Ministry through online via E-Anudaan Portal only. District Administration/State Government shall have powers to re-allocate the location of the project within the district in view of requirement of the project in a particular area. A request of changing location of the project shall be received through E-Anudaan portal only and application would be processed by the District Welfare Officer and approved by DM/Collector. District Welfare Officer shall add new address of the project in E- Anudaan portal after getting approval of DM concerned with uploading a permission letter. District Welfare Officer shall ensure that sufficient infrastructure facilities are available at the new location as per para 'A-9.7 Standards Norms for Old age homes' of the scheme guidelines before granting permission to the implementing agency for changing their project location.

3. Whereas it has been noted that some Organisations change the project location frequently and without following the procedure mentioned in the scheme guidelines.

4. Now, therefore it has been decided by the Competent Authority that with immediate effect no changes of address of the project will be permitted except in the case of :-

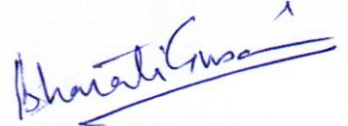
- (a) If the project shifts in its own building (without rent)
- (b) If the project shifts at a new location in a rented building, then the newly rent agreement / rent lease agreement shall be a period of at least 5 years for the new address and the process of change of address shall be followed

as per provisions of the scheme guideline. Further, the project shall be required to function at this new address for at least 5 years.

(c) If the Organisation is required to change the address before expiry of this 5 years period due to some unforeseen reasons like flood, earthquake, etc., a letter of the concerned DM/DC indicating the reason for change of project address in specified location shall be required.

5. In case of non-adherence to these guidelines, the Organisation will be debarred from grants from Department of Social Justice and Empowerment under IPSrC component of AVYAY Scheme.

6. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.



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