

**Issues for discussion in the Ministry of Labour to the GOI on 09-08-2024 by Hon'ble Chairman of the Board.**

1. **Opening of boarding schools for BOC Workers in pursuance to model welfare guidelines dated 1.12.23.**

**Suggestion :** In view of policy guidelines of GOI it is requested that the HPBOCW Welfare Board may be allowed to incur expenditure to engage staff to run these schools out of the Corpus fund may be allowed.

2. **Opening of facilitation centres in pursuance to model welfare guidelines dated 1.12.23.**

**Suggestion :** In view of policy guidelines of GOI it is requested that till identification of permanent structures are created the HPBOCW Welfare Board may be allowed to hire these facilitation centers on monthly rental basis may be allowed. Besides, the provisions to incur staff to be deputed to run these centres may be allowed to be done out the Corpus fund created under BOCW Act, 1996 may be allowed.

3. **To Increase the existing limit of administrative expenses limit upto 10% from 5% under section 24 of hpbcw Act, 1996.**

**Suggestion:** In view of existing provisions contained in the BOCW Act, 1996 in section 24(3) the ceiling limit to incur administrative expenditure may be increased upto 10% from existing 5% to implement model welfare schemes notified time to time by the Ministry of Labour & Employment, GOI.

4. **To provide list of empanelled agencies to initiate Skill Development Trainings to the beneficiaries of BOC and their Dependents.**

**Suggestion:** In order to increase the skill development trainings it is proposed that the Ministry of Labour & Employment may empanel the agencies for these skill development trainings so that BOC Board could directly enter into MOU with them to initiate these trainings in time bound manner.

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