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Office of the State Project Director, Samagra Shiksha (ISSE)  
DPEP BHAWAN LAL PANI SHIMLA -171001, Himachal Pradesh.

From:

State Project Director (SS),  
Himachal Pradesh Shimla-1

To

1. All the Deputy Directors (Higher Education), Himachal Pradesh.
2. All the Deputy Directors (Elementary Education), Himachal Pradesh.
3. All the Principals DIET-cum-DPOs (SS), Himachal Pradesh.

Dated: Shimla -1 the 16<sup>th</sup> July, 2021

**Subject: Regarding re-constitution of SMC for further three years.**

Sir / Madam,

As the SMCs had completed three years tenure by the end of the session (31<sup>st</sup> December, 2019 in winter closing schools and 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2020 in summer closing schools) and new SMCs were to be constituted w.e.f. April, 2020 for next three years in reference to this office letter NO.HPSES H.O. Community Mobilization-04/2011(Vol.-VIII)-8927-65 dated 15<sup>th</sup> February, 2020 on the subject cited above.

But due to Covid-19 Pandemic, the schools are closed since March, 2020 and the new SMCs could not be constituted in almost all the schools. In due course of time some of the wards of SMC members had completed their education and withdrew from that particular school. In such case the parents of such students cannot be the member of SMC as per norms.

Thus the schools were facing problems in financial transaction due to non-constitution of new SMCs and the situation prolonged due to uncertainty regarding reopening of schools. Therefore, the term of existing SMCs was extended till further orders in view of Covid -19 pandemic vide this office letter Even No. dated 3<sup>rd</sup> September, 2020.

Now the COVID-19 positive cases are reducing in the State and the situation is normalizing. Keeping in view of the requirements of the schools, you are, requested to ensure that all the Govt. Schools are issued instructions to re-constitute SMCs in their respective schools as per the RTE rules notified by the state government following all the COVID-19 protocols issued by the centre & State Govt. Proper procedure may be followed to maintain transparency. If some of the schools have reconstituted new SMC last year vide this office letter even No. dated 15<sup>th</sup> February, 2020 then these schools may also be directed to reconstitute the new SMC to maintain uniformity of tenure throughout the State.

The tenure of new SMC will continue till 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2024. Compliance report, consolidated at district level should be submitted at the earliest to this office.

**This may be treated as most urgent.**

Yours faithfully,

  
State Project Director (SS),  
Himachal Pradesh Shimla-1

Endst. No.....dated.....Shimla-1

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