

**GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT**

Municipal Administration and Urban Development Department – Supreme Court of India – Writ Petition (civil) No 309 of 2003 with WP (C) No.330 of 2001, WP (C)No.44 of 2004 and WP (C)No.688 of 2007 and SLP (Civil) No. 14121/2009 – Direction of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India for constitution of Committees for Effective management of Slaughter Houses in the State – Orders – Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (F1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 43.

**Dated: 11.02.2015.
Read the following:**

1. The orders in W.P.No. 4747 of 1989 and batch. Hon'ble High Court of A.P., in it's common order, in W.P.Nos. 4747 of 1989, 486 of 2004, 1240 of 2009, 1842 of 2004, 5219 of 2001, 7615 of 2009, 8103 of 2004, 18866 of 2002, 18928 of 2000, 21468 of 2007 and 28465 of 2008, Dt. 3-09-2012.
2. The orders of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in Writ Petition (civil) No. 309 of 2003. Dt. 10-10-2012.
3. G.O. Ms. No. 415, MA&UD (W2) Department dated: 1.11.2012.
4. G.O. Ms. No.4, MA & UD (W2) Department dt: 3.1.2014.
5. From Registrar General, High Court of Judicature at Hyderabad, Lr. Roc.No. 373/SO-5/2014, Dated: 01.09.2014 and dated: 27.11.2014.
6. From the CDMA Lr.No. 16538/2012/H-2, dated: 29.01.2015.

ORDER:

In the ref. 2nd read above, the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India has made a direction to all the State Governments and Union Territories to constitute the State Committees for Slaughter Houses as decided in the meeting held on 26-4-2012 under the Chairmanship of Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Forest, Government of India including the Secretary, Local Self Government as well as Secretary, Panchayat Raj Department s members of the Committee over and above the Members already mentioned. In the above said meeting it was decided, among other things, to request the states to constitute State Committee for Slaughter Houses.

2. In the reference 1st read above, the Hon'ble High Court of A.P. in it's common order, has felt it necessary, among other things, Monitoring Committee to monitor the slaughter houses include the Principal Secretary, Municipal Administration & Urban Development Department as the highest person of that Committee, Member Secretary, A.P. Pollution Control Board, Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation and other department heads of other units would be the members of the said committee.

3. In the G.O. 3rd read above, Government in united Andhra Pradesh have issued orders constituting of State Committee under the Chairmanship of the Secretary to Government, MA & UD Department for Effective Management of Slaughter Houses in the State. Further in the G.O. 4th read above orders have also been issued constituting of Committees at District Level, City Level and Municipal Corporation for Effective Management of Slaughter Houses.

4. In the letter 5th read above, the Registrar General, High Court of Judicature at Hyderabad has requested the Government of Telangana to constitute Committee in pursuant to the directions of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India for the purpose of supervising and monitoring the implementation of various provisions of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Establishment and Registration of Societies for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals) Rules, 2000 etc., , so as to enable the Registry to nominate a Convener to the said Committee.

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5. The Commissioner and Director of Municipal Administration, Telangana, Hyderabad in the Ir. 6th read above have furnished the proposal for formation of Committees at State Level, District Level, Divisional Level and Municipal Corporation Level for effective management of Slaughter Houses by the Government of Telangana.

6. Government, after careful consideration of the issue, hereby constitute Committees at State Level, District Level, Divisional Level and Municipal Corporation Level for effective management of Slaughter Houses by the Government of Telangana with the following Members:

STATE LEVEL COMMITTEE:

1	Prl. Secretary to Government, MA & UD Dept.	Chairman
2	Commr & Director of Municipal Administration, Telangana State, Hyderabad.	Member
3	Retired District Judge to be nominated by the High Court	Member Convener
4	Commissioner, GHMC, Hyderabad.	Member
5	Representative from Health Department.	Member
6	Director, Animal Husbandry Department.	Member
7	Representative from Labour Department.	Member
8	Food Safety Commissioner, representing Central Food Safety & Standard Authority of India	Member
9	Representative, State Pollution Control Board	Member
10	Representative from State Animal Welfare Board	Member
11	Representative of State Police (A senior officer from the O/o DGP)	Member
12	2 prominent persons to be nominated by State Government	Member
13	Such other officers and experts as the Committee members may choose to Co-opt.	Member

DISTRICT LEVEL COMMITTEE:

1	Joint Collector	Chairman
2	District Head Quarters Municipal Commissioner	Member Convener
3	Representative from Animal Husbandry Department	Member
4	Representative from Police Department	Member
5	One Environmental Engineer from Telangana Pollution Control Board,	Member
6	Representative from Health Department	Member
7	2 prominent persons to be nominated by the Collector or Joint Collector	Member

DIVISION LEVEL COMMITTEE:

1	RDO / Sub-Collector	Chairman
2	Divisional Head Quarters Municipal Commissioner	Member Convener
3	Representative from Animal Husbandry Department	Member
4	Representative from Police Department	Member
5	One Environmental Engineer from Telangana Pollution Control Board,	Member
6	Representative from Health Department	Member
7	2 prominent persons to be nominated by the RDO / Sub-Collector	Member

MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS LEVEL COMMITTEE:

1	Commissioner	Chairman
2	Chief Veterinary Officer/Veterinary Officer	Member Convener
3	Chief Medical Officer of Health/ Medical Officer /Asst. Medical Officer, Health	Member
4	Representative from Animal Husbandry Department	Member
5	Representative from Police Department	Member
6	One Environmental Engineer from Telangana Pollution Control Board,	Member
7	Representative from Health Department	Member
8	2 prominent persons to be nominated by Commissioner	Member

Z. The following are the functions of the above Committees:

- i. To identify and prepare a list of all the Slaughter Houses located within the local self Government (Municipal Corporations, Municipalities, Nagarpanchayats and Panchayats)
- ii. To call for reports from the District Magistrate or the Deputy Commissioner, and District Food Safety Inspector as the case may be on the condition / functioning of the Slaughter Houses and also on the compliance of the relevant applicable laws.
- iii. To recommend modernization of old slaughter houses and to relocate Slaughter Houses which are located within or in close proximity of a residential areas.
- iv. To recommend appropriate measures for dealing with solid waste, water / air pollution and for preventing cruelty to the animals meant for slaughter.
- v. To carry out surprise and random inspections of Slaughter Houses regularly and to issue directions for compliance of the recommendations that may be made by it.
- vi. To send bi-annual reports on the state Slaughter Houses to the Central Committee and to refer issues that may require Central Committee recommendations or Central Government assistance.
- vii. To accord final approval for licensing of Slaughter Houses to Local Self Government.
- viii. To identify the unlicensed slaughter houses in the State/ District /Division / ULBs / RLBs and other unlicensed, unlawful establishments where animals are being slaughtered, on howsoever a small scale, and take the help of the District Magistrate and other law enforcement agencies to crack down on the same.
- ix. To check the functioning of child Labour in the Slaughter Houses.

8. The District /Divisional/ Corporation Level Committees shall meet once in every month and review the functions as defined above and submit action taken reports to the District Level and State Level Committee Conveners. The State Level Committee shall meet atleast once in 3 months to review the functions as defined above and submit necessary reports to the concerned, by the State Level Committee Convener.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

M.G.GOPAL
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Registrar, High Court of judicature at Hyderabad for State of
Telangana and State of Andhra Pradesh.

The Principal Secretary to Government,
Animal Husbandry, dairy Development & Fisheries Department,
Telangana Secretariat, Hyderabad.

The Principal Secretary to Government,
Health, Medical and Family Welfare Department,
Telangana Secretariat, Hyderabad.

The Principal Secretary to Government,
Labour, Employment, Training and Factories Department,
Telangana Secretariat, Hyderabad.

The Principal Secretary to Government,
Panchayat Raj and Rural Development Department,
Telangana Secretariat, Hyderabad.

The Principal Secretary to Government,
Home Department, Telangana Secretariat, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation,
Hyderabad.

The Director General of Police, State of Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Director of Animal Husbandry, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner of Labour, Telangana State, Hyderabad.

The Telangana State Pollution Control Board, Hyderabad /
The Central Food Safety and Standard Authority of India.

All the District Collectors/Joint Collectors/RDOs/Sub-Collectors in the State.

All Municipal Commissioners in the State through CDMA.

Copy to:

The PS to Chief Secretary.

The PS to Principal Secretary,

Municipal Administration and Urban Development Department.

The PS to Secretary to Chief Minister.

The Advocate-on-Record, Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, New Delhi.

The Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Forests, Government of India, New Delhi.

The Secretary, Ministry of Food Processing, Government of India, New Delhi.

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SECTION OFFICER