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From

The Principal Secretary (Education) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh.

To

1. The Director (Higher Education)
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171001.
2. The Director, (Elementary Education)
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171001.
3. All the Deputy Commissioners,
Himachal Pradesh.

Dated Shimla-171002, the 30th March, 2011.

Subject:- Regarding delegation of powers to declare old & unsafe and
dismantling school buildings.

Sir,


I am directed to say that the Hon'ble Chief Minister, while presenting the
budget estimates for the year 2011-2012, have stated that:-

**"For such school buildings in the State, which are in dilapidated
condition, the existing mechanism of declaring such buildings "Unsafe" will be
simplified and the powers to declare buildings unsafe will be delegated to the
concerned Head of Department and the Deputy Commissioner of the concerned
district"**

Therefore, after careful consideration, it has been decided to delegate the
power of declaring school buildings as unsafe and further dismantling of such old and
unsafe school buildings to Director, Higher Education, Director, Elementary Education
and Deputy Commissioner of the concerned District, subject to the following conditions:-

1. It may be ensured that Survey report is prepared/approved by the concerned PWD
Authorities at the appropriate level duly specifying therein the cogent reasons for
dismantling the said building/structure.
2. The Book Value drawn up in the Survey Report of building/structure would
automatically be treated as written off, if the sanction is accorded after verifying the
facts.
3. The dismantling of old unsafe buildings may be done through the process of
auction in the open market and money so received may be got deposited in the
Govt. Treasuries.

Yours faithfully,


Special Secretary (Education) to the
Govt. of Himachal Pradesh.

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