Government of Odisha
Textiles & Handloom Department

OFFICE ORDER

Bhubaneswar, dated the, 30th April, 2011.

No.Tex-RTI-11/11 2464 /T&H, That in pursuance of Order of Hon’ble Orissa Information Commission dated 28.3.2011 passed in complaint case No.868/2009 filed by Shri Giridhari Meher – Vrs- Public Information Officer, O/o-Deputy Director of Textiles, Sonepur (vide para-9 of the said judgement enclosed) wherein is ordered that to redress the grievances of the members of Primary Weavers’ Cooperative Society arising out of subsidy assistance and welfare measures meant for the Weaver’s community, appropriate grievance management system shall be set up at various levels including the district as well as state level to make the entire system transparent and accountable. So, with regards to the judgement of Hon’ble State Information Commission, it is obvious that all PIOs of field functionaries/Directorate level as well as State the relevant circular copies of P & S Deptt. now G.A. Deptt. vide No.9758/Gen dtd.18.05.1976 should be strictly followed by all field officials, Heads of the Deptt. and Collectors of the concerned districts for reference and needful action. They should have to give time to hear the grievances of the local public within their jurisdiction on the specific date of each week for the welfare of the common mass and specifically to safeguard the interest of the weavers’ community as the case may be.

Accordingly, Director of Textiles, Orissa and Collectors of the Districts concerned are hereby directed to set up appropriate grievance system in accordance with the erstwhile Political & Services Department Circular No.9758(121)-Gen, dated 18.05.1976 and report compliance to this Department within 2 (two) weeks positively.

Sd/-A.Ahuja
Commissioner-cum- Secretary to Government.

Memo No. 2464 /T&H, Dated 30/4/11.

Copy along with copy of the order dated 28.3.2011 of Hon’ble Orissa Information Commission and erstwhile Political & Services Department Circular No.9758(121)-Gen, dated 18.05.1976 forwarded to all Collectors / Director of Textiles, BBSR for information and necessary action. They are requested to furnish compliance report/Monthly Status report on grievances cases related to the Deptt. by 10th of succeeding month without fail. One s/c for office G.F.

Under Secretary to Government.