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To,

The Hon'ble Chairperson,
Maharashtra State Human Rights Commission, Mumbai.

**REPORT
of
Visit dated. 30.8.2022
at
Paramshantidham Vrudhashram, Taloja, Raigad**

Introduction:

As per the oral directions of Hon'ble Chairperson I Registrar, MSHRC have visited the Paramshantidham Vrudhashram on 30.8.2022 at 10.00 am to 2.00 am. I was accompanied by 10 law students from pro bono services of the commission.

The staff members including superintendent of old age home, founder Abanandgiri Maharaj were present at that time. The relevant registers have been also checked. From the factual observations and data maintained by the said office the present report is summarized by me hereunder.

Observations:

1. The old age home has been chosen from the list given by the Social Welfare Department of the Maharashtra State Government. It has been established by the Vairatvasi Abanand Giri Maharaj on 15.03.1988 vide name Paramshantidham Vrudhashram (hereinafter will refer as 'said old age home' for the sake of brevity). At present 41 senior citizen were admitted in said ashram. The information of old age home and details of inmates is at Enclosure 'A'. The said information provided by the administration of the said old age home.
2. The Social welfare department is providing Rs.900/- per month to each senior citizen who admitted in the said ashram.
3. The sanctioned number of beneficiaries of the said ashram is 25 and inmates are 41. Therefore, concern department is providing allowances only to 25 inmates. The rest of the inmates are depended upon the donation.
4. The said allowances of Rs.900/- per person for the month are not at all sufficient for the nutrition, medical and other basic necessities of any senior citizen.
5. No initiative taken by the government to introduce various schemes of government for senior citizen in said old age home.
6. The medical facility and other facility such as nutritious food, clothing is depending upon the donation.
7. The building of said old age home requires repairs.
8. The CIDCO has initiated procedure against said old age home for acquisition of the land without providing them equivalent area. The details of said procedure is at 'Enclosure B' i.e., letter given by the CIDCO to the said old age home.

Conclusion:

- A. The recommendation can be sent to the Social Welfare Department for increasing the allowances, which is to be paid to the beneficiary.
- B. As well as government scheme can be implemented by the concern department to the said old age home.
- C. CIDCO can be questioned about the procedure of Land acquisition of said old age home.

The necessary directions are required to be issued to the concern in respect of abovesaid observation and conclusion.

Registrar

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