

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
REVENUE & DISASTER MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

No. III E-MISC.(C)-6/12- 8811

/R&D.M. dtd. 2/3/2012

From

Dr. Taradatt, IAS
Principal Secretary to Government

To

All Collectors.

Sub:

The Orissa Miscellaneous Certificates Rules, 1984- Grant
of Resident Certificate to landless persons.

Madam/Sir

I am directed to say that Revenue & D.M. Department vide G.O. No. 10503/R& D.M. dated 8.3.2011 has issued certain guidelines for granting Residence / Resident Certificate to the landless persons who apply for the same under the Orissa Miscellaneous Certificate Rules, 1984 wherein it has been stipulated that a person residing in a locality for a period of at least two years continuously may be granted residence certificate for that area.

Recently, the Hon'ble Orissa Human Rights Commission, vide their order dated 19.8.2011 passed in Case No. 1885-A of 2010, have directed the State Government to reduce the qualifying period two years for grant of residence certificate to one year.

In deference to the aforesaid order of the Hon'ble OHRC, Government, after careful consideration, have been pleased to decide that a person residing in a locality for a period of at least one year continuously may be granted residence certificate for that area.

Accordingly, this Department G.O. cited above is modified to the above extent.

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Government have, further, been pleased to direct that the Tahasildars should dispose of the Residence Certificate applications within a maximum period of 15(fifteen) days from the date of receipt of the application.

All concerned field level revenue functionaries may be intimated accordingly.

Yours faithfully,

Haradatt
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Principal Secretary to Government

Memo No. 8812 /R&D.M. dtd. 2/3/2012

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Principal Secretary to Government

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Principal Secretary to Government

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