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TO  
THE PROJECT DIRECTOR  
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**Sub : Service Condition of Health Officers appointed in different Urban Local Bodies in West Bengal.**

Sir,

I, on behalf of our Association draw your kind attention to the following facts :-

1. In 1994, 60 Health Officers have been appointed by Government of West Bengal against permanent post vide different urban local Bodies under section 60 of W. B. Municipal Act, 1993 (Previously Sec. 66 of Bengal Municipal Act, 1932) by a Competent Selection Committee under Chairmanship of Directors of local Bodies.
2. The Health Officers have rendered Yeoman's Service to the people and govt. of W. B. by Implementing All National Health Programme like Pulse Polio, Leprosy, T. B. (Dots), Filaria, School Health Check up Prog. etc. apart from routine Public Health works including Birth & Death Registrations, Conservancy food Licencing etc. vide job chart of Municipal Affairs Deptt., Govt. of West Bengal No. 155/ MA/0/C-9/2A-5/96 dt. 6.11.1998 under section 53(1) of West Bengal Municipal Act., 1993.
3. Despite being whole time employees against permanent Post for 12 years service the Health Officers are not yet absorbed into a permanent Cadre and were compelled to continue their service at a paltry consolidated pay of Rs. 4,000/- p.m. which was marginally increased to Rs. 5,000/- p.m. as contract service w.e.f. 1.4.1998 and subsequently Rs. 8,000/- p.m. w.e.f. 1.6.2004 It is to be noted here that entry level scale of pay of any Doctor in W. B. Health Service or Kolkata / Howrah Municipal Corporation stands at Rs. 8,000-275-13,500 p.m. More ironical is the fact that the Medical Officers employed under Municipalities and working under our direct supervision enjoy the above scale of pay.

It is also worthy to mention here that the Health Officers, Prior to our recruitment, used to enjoy a commensurate timescale of Pay, Prevalent at that respective time.

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Considering the Perennial necessity of Health officers in Urban Local Bodies and dedicated service of governance through Urban Local Bodies set up by W. B. Government following 74<sup>th</sup> Amendment of Constitution in the West Bengal, Municipal Health Officers' Association submit the following demand for urgent attention and course of action.

1. To declare permanent Status of existing Health Officers against the sanctioned permanent posts posted in different urban local bodies.
2. To declare regular scale of pay together with all other admissible allowances with retrospective effect from the date of joining of respective officer.
3. Fill up the all vacant posts of H. O. in different Urban Local Bodies.

Under these circumstances may we earnestly solicit to your goodself to look into our sufferings and persuade the finance and Municipal Affairs Department, Govt. of West Bengal to initiate steps to fulfill the demands mentioned above.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Pankaj K. Gupta  
Secretary  
19/8/05

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No.	Name of the Urban Local Bodies in KMA	Name of the Employees	Designation	Basic	Date of Birth	Date of entry into Municipal Service	Date of Retirement
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Bally	Dr. Kalyan Kr. Biswas	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	9375.00	17/12/57	1/12/90	31/12/17
		Dr. Sital Prasad Chatterjee	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	12675.00	3/01/44	1/01/72	31/01/04
		Dr. Sadip Sinha	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	11025.00	5/11/59	2/12/85	30/11/19
2	Halisahar	Dr. Piyali Das (Sarkar)	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	9100.00	28/05/68	1/01/99	31/05/28
		Dr. Mita Mukherjee	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	9850.00	29/08/62	2/06/97	31/08/22
3	Naihati	Dr. Swapan Kr. Dey	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	9650.00	7/02/50	2/06/97	28/02/10
		Dr. Goutam Mukherjee	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	11575.00	8/04/53	31/01/83	30/04/13
4	Bhatpara	Dr. Goutam Roy	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	10200.00	15/12/58	29/01/91	31/12/18
		Dr. Nana Bose Tagore	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	11850.00	13/09/47	26/02/82	30/09/07
5	North Barrackpore	Dr. Asis Chakraborty	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	10200.00	23/06/63	1/01/96	30/06/23
		Krishna Gopal Ghosh	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	12400.00	17/10/52		31/10/12
6	North Dum Dum	Dr. Gopa Dutta (Mukherjee)	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	12400.00	12/05/47	2/02/78	1/06/07
		Dr. Subhas Saha	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	12400.00	1/01/47	12/12/78	1/01/07
		Dr. Shyamal Bhattacharjee	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	9375.00	13/04/53	10/06/98	1/05/13
		Dr. Goutam Dutta Sarma	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	9375.00	31/03/62	10/06/98	1/04/22
7	South Dum Dum	Dr. Kalpana Roy	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	12125.00	2/04/45	22/03/76	1/05/05
		Dr. Pabitra K. Saha	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	10200.00	6/11/59	1/03/95	5/11/19
8	Dum Dum	Dr. Samir Pal Chowdhury	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	11025.00	10/08/55	2/05/85	31/08/15
		Dilip kumar Sadhu	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	12125.00	15/06/45	1/12/72	30/06/05
9	Garulia	Chandana Ghosal	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	9925.00	13/01/61	1/04/91	31/01/21
10	Titagarh	Asim Kr. Maity	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	10200.00	28/03/58	18/05/92	31/03/18
		Smt. Snigdha Saha	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	12400.00	24/08/51	1/08/74	30/09/12
11	Bhadreswar	Minakshi Sarkar	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	12125.00	22/10/55	10/10/81	31/10/15
		Dr. Hiranmoy Ghosal	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	11575.00	23/07/47	17/01/82	31/07/07
12	Rishra	Dr. Arup Ghosh	Asstt. Medical Officer	9925.00	12/12/67	16/04/97	31/12/27
13	Baranagar	Shila Sarkar	R.M.O. (M.B.B.S.)	10750.00	15/08/56	15/04/89	31/08/16
		Dr. Chaya Ghosh	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	12125.00	9/07/49	16/05/81	31/07/05
14	Champdany	Shyamal Seth	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	9925.00	2/09/64	23/11/95	30/09/24
		Bhismadeb Banerjee	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	9925.00	8/11/50	22/11/94	30/11/10
		Dr. Joy kr. Pal	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	11025.00	8/04/52	1/12/85	30/04/12

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Sl. No.	Name of the Urban Local Bodies in Non-KMA	Name of the Employees	Designation	Basic	Date of Birth	Date of entry into Municipal Service	Date of Retirement
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Baduria	Dr. Muktipada Basak	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	10750.00	5/03/53	15/05/86	31/03/13
2	Barddhaman	Dr. Karim Ch. Das	Health Officer (M.B.B.S.)	12125.00	30/10/46	19/01/73	31/10/06
3	Durgapur MC	Dr. P. Bhattacharjee	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	11300.00	9/12/49	30/07/82	31/12/09
4	Purulia	Dr. M. K. Jha	Health Officer (M.B.B.S.)	11850.00	21/10/48	20/03/80	31/10/08
5	Jainagar-Mazilpur	Sunirmal Kanti Mondal	Medical Officer (M.B.B.S.)	9100.00	18/10/67	2/03/00	31/10/27

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No. 155/NA/O/C-9/2A-5/96

Dated, Calcutta, 25/11/98.

From : The Deputy Secretary to the Government of West Bengal.

To : The Director of Local Bodies, West Bengal, Purta Bhavan, Bidhannagar, Calcutta - 700 091.

Sub : Duty chart for Health Officers appointed in different urban local bodies. 66666

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Under section 53(1) of West Bengal Municipal Act, 1993, Government in the Department of Municipal Affairs, Government of West Bengal, is empowered to appoint Health Officers in Municipalities. But in the absence of any specific duty chart for Health Officer, Municipalities have been facing difficulties to allot work to the Health Officers appointed for the management of work of municipalities. In view of the circumstances, the undersigned is directed to say that the Governor has been pleased to prescribe the following duties and responsibilities for the Health Officers appointed by this Department in different urban local bodies.

- 01) He will be responsible for proper execution of all public health measures, adopted by the concerned municipality;
- 02) He should arrange for systematic inspection and enquiry in respect of sanitary condition in municipal areas through the employees appointed for such work and take steps or advise the municipality for their effective improvement;
- 03) He will take steps for prevention and control of endemic communicable diseases and health hazards as well in the areas of municipality;
- 04) He will arrange for regular inspection of water supply condition and sale of foods sold at various sources/consumer ends and arrange for their analytical/clinical examination to avoid health hazards. He will inspect from time to time the sanitary conditions of cinema halls, hotels, restaurants, nursing homes etc. within the jurisdiction of municipality;
- 05) He will formulate schemes for improvement of health of the residents of the municipal area;
- 06) He will exercise supervision and administrative control of all personnels working under health wing of the municipality;
- 07) He will advise municipal authority on all health matters of the municipality;

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- 08) He will supervise from time to time places of disposal of dead bodies and take effective steps for such disposal to prevent pollution;
- 09) He will act as Registrar of Birth and Death for all events of birth and death in municipal area and arrange for issuing the certificates of all events as per existing Government Rules;
- 10) He will have a control over all offensive trades and recommend for licence for such trades;
- 11) He will implement health based programmes like ICDS, CUDP, IPP- VIII etc;
- 12) He will perform such other duties as assigned by the Chairman from time to time;
- 13) In course of discharge of his duties, he may consult Medical Officer and/or an officer in the Health Wing, if any, in the same municipality.

*J. B. Sen*  
Deputy Secretary.

No. 155/1(126)/MA/O/C-9/2A-5/96 Dated, Calcutta, the 6th November 1998.

Copy forwarded for information and guidance to :

1. The Chairman,  
Bhadreswar Municipality.

P.O. Bhadreswar  
Dist. Bhadrak

*J. B. Sen*  
Deputy Secretary.

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Government of West Bengal  
Department of Municipal Affairs

No. 343(3)/C-6/M2A-62/53 dated the 6th October, 1953.

From : Shri P.C. Bhattacharyya,  
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal.

- To : (1) The Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal,  
Treasury Buildings, Calcutta - 1.
- (2) The Accountant General (Audit-I), West Bengal,  
4, Brabourne Road, Calcutta - 1.
- (3) The Accountant General (Audit-II), West Bengal,  
18, Rabindra Sarani, Calcutta - 1.

Sub : Conversion of temporary posts of Executive Officers and  
Health Officers for Local Bodies in West Bengal.

Sir,

I am directed by order of Governor to say that the Governor has been pleased to sanction the conversion into permanent ones of marginally noted temporary posts for Local Bodies in West Bengal under the erstwhile Local Government and Urban Development now known as Municipal Affairs Department created in G.O. 2350/C-6/M2A-396/00 dated the 14th September, 1951, in G.O. No.

<u>Sl.No.</u>	<u>Name of Post</u>	<u>Number of Post</u>
1)	Executive Officer	100 (Hundred)
2)	Health Officer	60 (Sixty)

1570/C-6/M2A-396/00 dated the 15th September, 1952 and in G.O. No. 156(3)/C-6/M2A-1/58 dated the 12th February, 1958 and last retained in Government Order No. 281(3)/C-6/M2A-62/53 dated the 8th September, 1953.

2. No scale of pay is attached to these posts. The Officers posted as such will draw their pay and allowances as may be specified in the respective Government Orders appointing the Officers or otherwise.

3. The charge is debitable to the appropriate units under the head, "2217-Urban Development-00-General-001 Direction and Administration-Non-Plan-Municipal Administration" in the budget of the appropriate year.

4. This order issues in terms of Finance (Audit) Department Memo No. 605-F dated the 25th May, 1954.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- P.C. Bhattacharyya  
Deputy Secretary.