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CHAPTER - 1

INTRODUCTION OF DELHI MINORITIES COMMISSION

Delhi Minority Commission was set up as a statutory body by an enactment called Delhi Minority Commission Act 1999. The Act received the assent of Hon'ble Lt. Governor of Delhi on 07.02.2000.

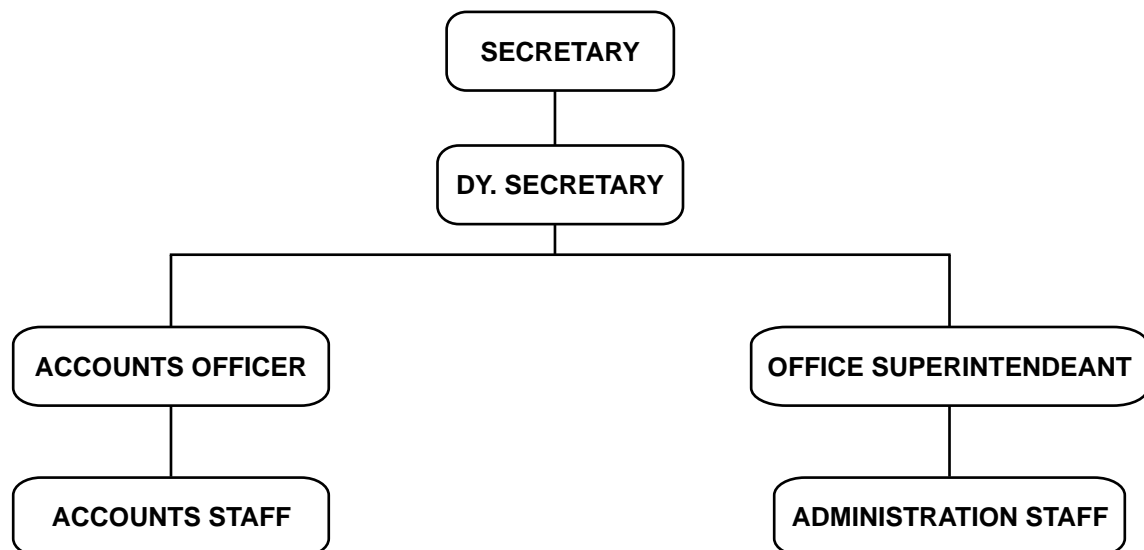
a) Constitution of the Commission

The Chairperson and every member of the Commission shall hold office for a period of three years from the date he/she assumes the office. At present following are the Chairman and the Members w.e.f. 22th March, 2011 :

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| 1. | Shri Safar H. Khan | Chairman |
| 2. | Shri Pushpinder Singh | Member |
| 3. | Shri A.C. Michael | Member |

The Commission consists of a full time Chairperson and two members nominated by the Govt. of Delhi belonging to the Minority Communities of Delhi.

b) Administrative setup of the Commission :



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FUNCTIONS & POWERS OF THE COMMISSION

- 1) The Commission shall perform all or any of the following functions :
 - a) Examine the working of various safeguards provided in the Constitution of India or laws enacted by Parliament and the laws passed by the Legislative Assembly of Delhi for the protection of the Minority Communities, and to make recommendations to ensure their effective implementation;
 - b) Monitor the implementation of the policies and schemes of the Government for the welfare of Minority Communities
 - c) Conduct studies, research and analysis in order to make recommendations to promote the socioeconomic upliftment of the Minority Communities and facilitate their optimum participation in nation-building
 - d) Cause studies to be undertaken into problems arising out of any discrimination against Minority Communities and recommend measures for their solutions;
 - e) Hold seminars, debates and discussions on problems affecting the Minority Communities of Delhi to raise public awareness;
 - f) Assess the representation of Minority Communities in the services of the Government, semi-Government bodies and Govt. Undertakings, Municipal Corporation of Delhi, Delhi Deployment Authority, New Delhi Municipal Council, other local authorities and in case of inadequate representation, to recommend remedial measures;
 - g) Make recommendations for ensuring, maintaining and promoting communal harmony in Delhi.
 - h) Look into specific complaints regarding the deprivation of the rights and safeguards of the Minority Communities and to take up such matters with the appropriate authorities for necessary actions.
 - i) Serve as a Clearing House for information in respect of the Minority Communities in Delhi.
 - j) Deal with any other matter pertaining to the welfare of the Minority Communities which may be referred to it by the Government.
- 2) Annual Report - The Commission shall prepare every year an Annual Report giving a true and full account of activities during the year, along with its recommendations, and

copies there of shall be forwarded to the Government. The Government shall without delay cause the same to be laid before the House of the Legislative Assembly of Delhi along with a report setting out the action taken, or proposed to be taken, on the recommendations and the reasons for non-acceptance, if any, of such recommendations.

- 3) Special report - The Commission may submit to the Government special report on any matter of public importance pertaining to the interests of the Minority Communities.
- 4) Right to be heard - in case of non- acceptance of any recommendations, the Commission shall have the right to be heard by the Minister-in-Charge
- 5) Quasi-judicial Powers - The Commission shall have, in carrying out its functions, the powers of a civil court trying a suit and in particular, in respect of the following matters, namely :-
 - a) Summoning and enforcing the attendance of any person and examining him on oath
 - b) Requiring the discovery and production of any document
 - c) Receiving evidence on affidavits;
 - d) Requisitioning any public or institutional record, or copy thereof, from any office or institution of the Government.

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NOTIFIED MINORITY COMMUNITIES IN DELHI

Minority Communities in Delhi are the communities notified as such by the Central Govt. as per provisions of National Commission for Minorities Act 1992.

Functions of the Commission are thus related to the 6 notified communities based on religion, and these are :

1. Muslim
2. Sikh
3. Christian
4. Parsi
5. Buddhist
6. Jain.

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Awareness Generation Programmes
Delhi Minorities Commission
2012-13

1st Delhi Minorities Commission Awareness Camp/Workshop

The DCVS organized a programme “DMC at Your Door Steps” on 14.07.2012 at Community Hall, Main Road, Khichri Pur, Delhi on behalf of Delhi Minorities Commission, Govt of NCT of Delhi.



Shri Pushpinder Singh, Member, DMC, addressed the gathering, and also appreciated the efforts of the NGO for making the minorities aware about various welfare schemes/ programmes/ trainings of Govt of NCT of Delhi. He made aware the people on the occasion about the Minorities scholarship programmes. He told in the

programme that last year lots of minority beneficiaries availed the scholarships and there are other educational schemes for the minorities, which should be within their reach.

Shri Amrish Singh Gautam, the Dy. Speaker of the Delhi Vidhan Sabha and the area MLA, welcomed the Commission and appreciated the efforts of the Delhi Minorities Commission for their “DMC at Your Door Step Programme”. He appreciated the steps taken by the Commission to reach to the general public. He also requested the Commission to start skill development training programme in computer and mobile repairing in his area for the socio economic empowerment of the Minorities. The Commission assured to start the training programme in the area.



2nd Delhi Minorities Commission Awareness Camp/Workshop

The DCVS organized a programme “DMC at Your Door Steps” on 16.07.2012 at Community Hall, New Seelam Pur, Delhi on behalf of Delhi Minorities Commission, Govt of NCT of Delhi. Mr. Safdar H. Khan, Chairman, DMC and Shri Pushpinder Singh, Member, DMC, addressed the gathering, and also appreciated the effort of the NGO for making the minorities aware about various welfare schemes/programmes/ trainings of Govt of NCT of Delhi. Shri A.C. Michale, welcomed the public



and told in detail about the activities of the Commission. He also appreciated the

works done by sister Ann Moyalan in the area for the welfare of the Community. Smt Shakila Afzal, Nigam Parshad appreciated the efforts of the Delhi Minority Commission for their “DMC at your Door Steps Programme” and she said that maximum govt. schemes were not within the reach of the general people; this effort



will be a good sign for other too, to reach to the community and the needy.

3rd Delhi Minorities Commission Awareness Camp/Workshop

The Operational Research and Development Services organized a camp on Minority Awareness Programme and Schemes in Jamia Mainul Islam, Zakir Nagar, New Delhi on 29.09.2012 with the help of Resident Welfare Association and other fellow residents and general people of the area. Shri Safdar Hussain Khan, Chairman, Delhi Minorities Commission and other dignitaries and intellectuals were present during the awareness camp. A large number of common people and parents of the children were present during the meeting a Shri Safdar H. Khan, Chairman, DMC delivered a speech about rights of Minorities. Most of the people did not know what were their rights and duties in the society. What types of rights government had given to Minorities. Generally minority communities have lack of information about their rights, due to this reason, they do not avail government facilities in the area. During the programme, a booklet “Ek Kadam Aage” was distributed among the needy people and the people appreciated the book because that book describes details about the minority loan schemes as well as development schemes.

4th Delhi Minorities Commission Awareness Camp/Workshop

Dr. Ambedkar Mission organized an awareness camp at Jhangola Village, Main Bus Stand Near Gurudwara, Delhi. 110036 on 16th March, 2013. The Office of the Delhi Minority Commission initiated an innovative administrative convergence initiative by aligning various services delivery for the Minority population of Delhi under the unified platform of the Welfare Schemes / other Services and poor and marginalized of the Delhi at the door steps of the community through Delhi Minority Commission, by Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) located in under-privileged clusters of Delhi and utilize financial and physical resources optimally for quality delivery of the various services and awareness of all schemes.

5th Delhi Minorities Commission Awareness Camp/Workshop

The Delhi Minorities Commission office organized Awareness Camp on 17th March, 2013 at Madarsa Darul Ulum Arbia Nagal Dairy Nangali Vihar Extension, Baprola,



Nagloi, Delhi, under the leadership of Sardar Pushpinder Singh, Member, DMC and local leaders. The Awareness Camp apart from offering curative and diagnostic services, also gave major schemes information, and communication (IEC). The Office of the Delhi Minorities Commission has initiated an innovative

administrative convergence initiative by aligning various services delivery for the

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6th Delhi Minorities Commission Awareness Camp/Workshop

The Operational Research and Development Services organized a Mini Camps (DMC at your Doorstep) in Minorities Dominated areas especially of Sikh Community in Tilak Vihar of Tilak Nagar, West Delhi on 23.03.2013.

The camps brought awareness about their rights and role of other government agencies towards welfare of Minorities Community in Tilak Vihar of West District. The senior member of DMC Shri Pushpinder Singh along with local MLA Shri O. P. Babbar, Councillor Amrita



Dhawan, Social worker Jagdish Singh and President of 1984 riots victims of Tilak Vihar area were present during the awareness camp at Gurudwra Shaheed Ganj of Tilak Nagar. During this awareness camp discussion took place on Minority rights,



children School fee and their grievances, imparting free mobile training among Sikh Minorities students and unemployed youths and government loan scheme for the minority welfare and development.

7th Delhi Minorities Commission Awareness Camp/Workshop

The DCVS organized a programme “DMC at Your Door Step” on 24.03.2013 at D-1/143 Basement, Near National Hospital, Ratiya Marg, Sangam Vihar, Delhi for Delhi Minorities Commission, Govt of NCT of Delhi. Mr. Safdar H. Khan, Chairman, DMC and Shri Pushpinder Singh, Member, DMC, addressed the gathering, and also appreciated the efforts of the NGO for making the minorities aware about various welfare schemes/programmes/trainings of Govt of NCT of Delhi. He made aware the people on the occasion about the Minorities scholarship programme. He told in the programme that last year lots of minority beneficiaries availed the scholarships and there were other educational schemes for the minorities, which should be within their reach.

8th Delhi Minorities Commission Awareness Camp/Workshop

The Delhi Minorities Commission office shall organize Awareness Camp on 30th March, 2013 at Church of Nazarena, Plot No.1041, Gali No.42, E-I, 60 Futa Road,

Molad Bandh, Badarpur Boarder (Jaitpur) Delhi under the leadership of Mr. Safdar H. Khan, Chairman, DMC, Sardar Pushpinder Singh, Member, DMC and local leaders. The Awareness Camp apart from offering curative and diagnostic services shall also implement major schemes information, and communication (IEC). The



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9th Delhi Minorities Commission Awareness Camp/Workshop

Allama Rafiq Trust organized a Awareness Camp on 31.03.2013 at Ex. Block, Nangloi for Delhi Minorities Commission . The Chief Guest of this programme was Shri Safdar H. Khan, Chairman, DMC, Shri Puspendar Singh, Member, DMC and Shri A.C. Michel, Member DMC, they appricated the work of the NGO and told to the Minority People about how to get easy caste certificate, getting loan, scholarship and govt ladli schemes to the Muslim Minorities.



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Computer Training Programmes
Delhi Minorities Commission
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1st DMC Computer Training Programme

Ganga Devi Shaikshik Society organized a six months free of cost Computer Training Programme for minority students sponsored by Delhi Minorities Commission, Govt. of NCT of Delhi. It was successfully conducted at Gurudwara Singh Sabha, West Patel Nagar,



New Delhi, inauguration was held on 29th December, 2012 in the presence of Sh. S.H. Khan, Chairman & Sh. Sardar Pushpender Singh, Member, Delhi Minorities

Commission. 147

participants were enrolled for free of cost Certificate in Computer Application programme; out of these 147 participants, 75 were declared successful. The Certificates to successful trainees were awarded by respected Chairman & Member on 12.08.2013.



2nd DMC Computer Training Programme

Delhi Minorities Commission, Govt. of NCT Delhi organized a Computer Training Programme at A-542, Gharauli Dairy Colony, Delhi-96. Computer Training for the persons belonging to minorities communities in Trilokpuri of East Delhi for poor and below poverty students from minority communities and the main objectives of the training programme was to minimize the unemployment among minorities community, and to



develop a secure career in the field of computer sector. The organization appointed expert teachers through interview and written examination. Shri A.C. Michale,

Member DMC, and Shri Pushpender Singh, Member DMC interacted with the beneficiaries and detailed those present on the occasion about the various schemes of the Commission. He also told about the importance of the modern technology, in the welfare of the mankind. Shri Safder Khan, Chairman, DMC, appreciated the efforts of the NGO DCVS for



providing skill development training to the minorities of the area, entirely free of cost. He also briefed the public about the various welfare schemes being run by the Commission

3rd DMC Computer Training Programme

The Delhi Minorities Commission has opened computer centers in different areas of the National Capital to make students of minorities computer literate. The centres are being run by NGOs. First Centre was opened at New Mustafabad in northeast district that has been declared a minority district by the Sachar



Committee. The centre was inaugurated by MLA Hasan Ahmed. It is being run by Allama Rafique Trust on 10-12-2012 at Mustafabad. Shri A.C. Michale, Member DMC, and Shri Pushpender Singh, Member DMC interacted with the beneficiaries and detailed those present on the occasion about the various schemes of the

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4th DMC Computer Training Programme

A computer training course was conducted at IOS building, 162, Jamia Nagar, Okhla, to distribute Certificates to the students who passed their six-month diploma course in computer application and multilingual DTP, which is running with the financial support of Delhi Minorities Commission. The certificates were distributed by Shri Safdar H. Khan, Chairman of Delhi Minorities Commission.

He distributed certificate to 29 students who had completed their courses. He presented mementos to Shumayela, Tasmia and Saba Parveen, the students who secured first, second and third rank respectively. He put his view that the course would be milestone in the successful careers of the students. Mr. Khan also reviewed the activities of the Computer Centre and praised IOS for its prodigious achievements.

The Chairman of Delhi Minorities Commission mentioned in his oration that two booklets had been issued to disseminate the required information to the minorities. The first booklet contains the various schemes of the government, including scholarship, and the second booklet is on forms and other details. He also said that permission has been sought to build an ITI building in Nand Nagri area. He also informed that the process was on for another ITI in Jamia Nagar.

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Surveys/Projects

Survey of Madarasas in Delhi under Madarasa Modernization Programme.

The Survey study shall broadly cover two main components: firstly, the issues related to the working capabilities and utilization of funds received from various sources for the purpose of imparting education to the students, and secondly, the quantitative and qualitative impact of madarasa education in the society.

The Delhi Minorities Commission, Govt of Delhi, is desirous of obtaining feedback about the functioning pattern of Madarsas under private heads that have been imparting religious education to students belonging to particular minority community and to find out whether the madarasas education is beneficial for society or not.

The outcome of the survey study shall help the Delhi Minorities Commission to suggest whether to introduce the modernization of education in madarsas or not for the betterment of students and their teachers. The Operational Research and Development services propose to undertake the task of “Survey of Madarsas in Delhi under Madarsa Modernization Programme”.

Personality Development Workshop

During the year, Commission organized free workshop on “Personality Development” at Jamia Millia Islamia University from 11.06.2012 to 16.06.2012 (06 days) for the benefit of minority youths of Jamia, Okhla area. This Training was organized jointly by Delhi Minorities Commission and Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi. It was appreciated by the underprivileged minority youth as it enhances their personality and communication skills. About 500 participants of the area attended this programme for 6 days regularly and benefitted. At the end of the workshop, Commission distributed awards certificates to the youth for participating in the workshop.