

Secretariat, Chennai -09

## Labour and Employment Department Letter No.15426/H1/2015-1, Dated: 26.06.2015

From Thiru. Kumar Jayant, I.A.S., Secretary to Government (i/c)

To

✓The Commissioner of Labour,
Chennai – 06.

Madam,

Sub: Contract Labour (Regulation & Abolition) Act, 1970 - Fixing Time line to issue Registration Certificate - Instructions issued.

Ref: From Commissioner of Labour, Letter No.L1/29255/2015, dated 24.06.2015.

The Commissioner of Labour in her letter cited has stated that the Registering Officers under Contract Labour [Regulation and Abolition] Act 1970 are issuing registration certificates to the applicants, who apply for registration under the Act. So far there is no time limit fixed under Contract Labour Rules, 1975. It is imperative to introduce time line for grant of registration certificate and the Commissioner of Labour has requested the Government to issue necessary orders to fix time – line for grant of registration certificates as thirty days [30 days] from the date of receipt of application under Contract Labour Rules 1975 and that any correction or rectification should be carried out within the stipulated time of 30 days.

2. The Government examined the case in detail and as a time limit to be fixed for issue of registration certificate is very much essential, the Government accept the request of the Commissioner of Labour and issue the following instructions:

The maximum time limit for issue of registration certificates by the Registering Officers under Contract Labour [Regulation and Abolition] Act 1970 is hereby fixed as thirty days [30 days] from the date of receipt of application for registration certificates under the said Act. Any correction or rectification should be carried out within the stipulated time of 30 days.

3. The Commissioner of Labour is instructed to communicate the above instruction to all Registering Officers and ensure that the above instruction is followed with immediate effect.

Yours faithfully,

for Secretary to Government

28/6/2015

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