

Office of the Director Fire & Emergency Services, J&K
Jammu/Srinagar

The Principal
Delhi Public School
Maharaja Hari Singh Marg
Near Shaheedi Chowk, Jammu

No: DFES-FP/9/2022-04(CC-7079422) /111/

Dated: 21.06.2023

Sub: Fire Safety Certificate.

Ref: Your online application submission dated 03.06.2023 (FI 359298)

The inspection of above said school was got carried out by the inspecting officer of this department. During inspection it was found that the management has installed 11 Nos. of Hose Reel Hoses and 42 Nos. of First Aid Fire Extinguishers in their school premises. Besides this, eight underground water storage tanks of 15 KL, 09 KL, 33 KL, 34 KL, 10 KL 6 KL, 4 KL & 4 KL capacities are also available. The school is about 500 meter away from Fire and Emergency Station Shaheedi Chowk and is approachable for fire appliances in case of any emergency. Since the school is already functioning, as such, the management can proceed ahead for operation subject to adopt the following fire safety measures/guidelines in letter and spirit forthwith -

1. 01 No. of CO₂ Type fire extinguisher of 4.5 Kg capacity each should be provided near each electric switch board panel in addition to already existing fire extinguishers.
2. All exits/entrances should be kept open and free from any obstruction for easy and safe evacuation of inmates during any emergency.
3. Fixed/First Aid Fire fighting system installed in the school building should be checked periodically. Staff and students should be fully trained in handling / operating of fire fighting system installed in the school building. The management shall intimate this office in writing after each quarter that the fire fighting equipments installed in the school are functioning.
4. All electric installations existing in the building should be concealed conduit type.
5. All class rooms and examination halls having seating capacity for more than 45 students need to be provided with two exits.
6. The corridor of the building shall not be used for any kind of storage.
7. No Hazardous material should be kept inside of the school premises (especially LPG cylinder, Petrol and Diesel etc.). Any deviation found in this regard, this clearance will be treated automatically withdrawn/cancelled.
8. During inspection, it was found that pressure of the Hose Reel Hoses is not as per norms. As such, it is strongly recommended that Fire Pumps of adequate desired capacity should be installed near terrace water storage tanks with dual electric supply for feeding each Hose Reel Hose.
9. The management shall be wholly and solely responsible for keeping the fire fighting system in working condition 24x7 and safe evacuation of its students during any mishap.
10. At present school is having four blocks comprises Pre-Primary, Primary, Middle and Senior Block. Besides this, 08 structures are also existed within the school premises. Out of 08 structures, 02 are having false ceiling with tin roofed. As such no addition / alteration should be made by the school management in the existing structure without prior information from this department. Any deviation found in this regard, this clearance will be treated automatically withdrawn/ cancelled.
11. The department can make a surprise visit to your school at any time. During the visit if the fire fighting system (i.e. existing as well as proposed) found defunct and deviation, this clearance issued shall be treated automatically withdrawn/cancelled.
12. This clearance shall be subject to outcome of any dispute/investigation/enquiry/ trial if any, pending before any Court of Law/investigation agency. This clearance shall not confirm any title upon the person/company in whose favour it is issued.
13. The validity of this clearance shall remain in force for one year and same needs to be renewed after checking of fire fighting system installed in the school building. However, before granting permission/recognition/extension or renewal thereof, the authority concerned shall satisfy himself in terms of conditions laid down in SRO-123 of 2010 and SRO-292 of 2018, issued by Education Department with regard to physical facilities and also ensure the fire safety measures/guidelines given to the proprietor by this department are fully complied with.


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