

**GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
REVENUE AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT**

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/R&DM ,Dated

11.01.16

From :

**Dr. Mona Sharma, IAS
Principal Secretary to Government**

To

**The Chief Administrator, Shree Jagannath Temple, Puri
The Land Reforms Commissioner, Odisha, Cuttack
The Secretary, Board of Revenue, Odisha, Cuttack
All Revenue Divisional Commissioners
All Collectors**

**Sub: Rent Settlement on Land Recorded in Bebandobasta Status in the Record of Rights
Ref: This Department Circular No. 57677/R dated 06.12.2000 and Circular No.27800/R dated 17.07.2004.**

Sir,

I am directed to say that the detailed guidelines regarding rent settlement on Lands recorded in Bebandobasta Status in the ROR were prescribed in this Department letter No.57677/Rev. dated.06.12.2000. In the above circular one year time frame was allowed to wipeout all the Bebandobasta Status from the ROR in a special drive basis.

In the light of the above exhaustive circular, it was contemplated that all the Bebandobasta Status should have been cleared and rent settlement on such land should have been finalized.

In the meantime, it has come to the notice of Government that vast extent of land are still continuing in Bebandobasta status in several districts of the State which not only defeated the very purpose of the circular issued earlier regarding settlement of rent on Bebandobasta Status but also resulted in loss of Land revenue on account of such non-fixation of rent.

In view of the above, Government after careful consideration have decided to wipe out all the Bebandobasta Status of land in the State as a whole within a period of one year from issue of this circular positively in the following manner.

- i) All the stipulation and instruction of the Department letter No.57677/R dtd. 06.12.2000 shall be scrupulously followed while settling the Bebandobasta land for rent settlement or for bringing back the land to Govt. Khata.

- ii) In case of land belonging to Shree Jagannath Mahaprabhu Bije Puri, the land shall be settled for fixation of fair and equitable rent as per the guidelines framed by this Department Circular No. 27800/R dtd. 17.07.2004.

This extension of time must be brought to the notice of public for their information and remedial steps for rent Settlement on Land Recorded in Bebandobasta Status in the Record of Rights.

Yours faithfully,

[Handwritten Signature]

Principal Secretary to Government

Memo No. 906 / R&DM

Dated- 11.01.16

Copy forwarded to the Director, Land Records & Surveys, Odisha, Cuttack / Director of Consolidation of Holdings, Odisha, Cuttack for information and necessary action.

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Joint Secretary to Government

Memo No. 907 / R&DM

Dated- 11.01.16

Copy forwarded to All Sub-Collectors / All Tahasildars / All Additional Tahasildars for information and necessary action.

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Joint Secretary to Government

Memo No. 908 / R&DM

Dated- 11.01.16

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Joint Secretary to Government

Memo No. 909 / R&DM

Dated- 11.01.16

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Joint Secretary to Government

Memo No. 910 / R&DM

Dated- 11.01.16

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Joint Secretary to Government

Memo No. 911 / R&DM

Dated- 11.01.16

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Joint Secretary to Government