

APPENDIX III

CORRESPONDENCE IN CONNECTION WITH
THE QUESTIONNAIRE ISSUED TO BASIC
SCHOOLS AND BASIC TRAINING SCHOOLS

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Hyderabad - 29, A.P.
March 30, 1964.

To

ALL DISTRICT EDUCATIONAL OFFICERS,
ANDHRA PRADESH.

Subject: "A Critical Investigation into the Practice of
Basic Education in the State of Andhra Pradesh."

Dear Sir,

You are aware that we are in a transition from the traditional Primary and Basic to the Seven Year Integrated Elementary Education in our state. It is hoped that a research on the above subject will throw some light on the correctness or otherwise of our Elementary Education policy and will offer some useful suggestions for achieving the qualitative and quantitative progress of Compulsory Elementary Education in future.

To collect the necessary data for this research an exhaustive questionnaire for Basic Schools has been devised, (apart from other techniques) for distribution among the sampled schools in your district. The method of distribution of the questionnaire is according to the principles of Stratified Variable Fraction Random Sample Survey.

Kindly send the questionnaires as immediately as possible, since the schools are closing soon for the summer vacation and the whole data has to be got before the vacation commences. The schools may be asked to send the filled questionnaires directly to me under intimation to your office.

I am herewith sending copies of questionnaires for distribution. Please acknowledge receipt of the same and kindly give this your earliest possible attention.

Thanking and expecting your full cooperation,

Yours sincerely,

Sd: C.S.Subbarao

Encls: 1. Copy of letter No.RC.125 B.
III-1/64 dated 3rd April 1964.

2. Copies of questionnaire.

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 3-4-663/22 Narayanaguda,

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 Phone 36004
 March 30, 1964.

TO

ALL BASIC TRAINING SCHOOLS,
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 Pradesh."

Dear Sir,

You are aware that we are in a transition from the traditional Primary and Basic to the Seven Year Integrated Elementary Education in our state. It is hoped that a research on the above subject will throw some light on the correctness or otherwise of our Elementary Education policy and will offer some suggestions for achieving the qualitative and quantitative progress of Compulsory Education in future. In this connection it need not be overemphasised that the teacher training programme is vital for the success of the Elementary stage of Education, as it is true with other stages.

To collect the necessary data for this research an exhaustive questionnaire for Basic Schools and Basic Training Schools has been prepared and sent to all schools, apart from other techniques followed. The answers for the questions should confine to the ACTIVITIES IN THE BASIC TRAINING SCHOOLS, unless there is scope for expressing an opinion on Basic Schools. Since the questionnaire requires certain alterations to adopt the same to the Training Schools, the following points may be noted:-

1. The Heads of Basic Training Schools need not answer the following questions:
 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 32, 50, 51, 52, 54, 55, 53, 59.
2. Question No.106: Please give an indication with regard to all types of books available in your library apart from the list provided there.
3. Ignore the grades (1 to 3) printed in the following questions and instead give the level and duration of the training courses obtained in your institution i.e. Matric One Year for Teachers, Matric two years for freshers, Middle training 2 years for teachers or freshers, Jr.Basic 2 years or Junior Basic 2 years etc.
 7, 3, 37, 38, 107 b. and 111

Since the Basic Training Schools occupy a strategic position in the field of Primary Education, one can expect ideas to flow from them. The researcher has high hopes to get rich data from the Training Institutions in connection with this research also, as the answers such schools give are more reliable, frank and truthful. As in the case of every research the data the schools supply to me will be kept highly confidential and will be used for purposes of research only. I request my colleagues in the Basic Training School not to feel shy to put anything they like into this questionnaire.

So, you are requested to fill in the enclosed questionnaire and despatch the same to the address given above, as immediately as possible.

Thanking you and expecting your full cooperation,

Yours sincerely,

Sd: C.S.Subbarao

PROCEEDINGS OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION:
ANDHRA PRADESH:

PC.NO. 125 B.III-1/64 Dated 3rd April 1964.

A CRITICAL INVESTIGATION INTO THE PRACTICE OF Basic Education in the State of Andhra Pradesh.

Read: Letter dated 30th March 1964 from Sri C.S.Subbarao addressed to the District Educational Officers etc.

The undermentioned Officers are informed that Sri C.S. Subbarao, Lecturer, College of Education, Osmania University Hyderabad is carrying out an investigation into the practice of Basic Education. For this purpose, he has prepared a questionnaire intended to be filled in by the Basic schools, and he is despatching the questionnaires to the District Educational Officers concerned for distribution to the selected schools.

The District Educational Officers are requested to take early action in the matter.

All the District Educational Officers, Deputy Inspectors and the Extension Officers (Education) are further requested to give their full co-operation in the matter.

V. RAMACHANDRAN

To The Dist. Educl. Officers For Director of Public Instruction.
in the State. True Copy/Forwarded/By

Copy to the Headmasters Sd/- A. Rajhavandra Rao.
of B.T. Schools in the State
for extending similar cooperation.

Hyderabad
12th April, 1964.

Copy of:

From:

C.S. Subbarao, M.A., M.Ed.,
Lecturer, College of Education,
Osmania University

To

The Secretary to Government
Ministry of Planning and Panchayati Raj
Government of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

Sir,

Sub:- A Critical Investigation into the
practice of Basic Education in the
State of Andhra Pradesh.

I am carrying out an investigation into the
practice of Basic Education in the State of Andhra
Pradesh.

In this connection a questionnaire has been
sent to all the basic Schools in the state with a forward-
ing letter of the D.P.I. A copy of that questionnaire is
enclosed for your reference along with the D.P.I's
proceedings and reference.

Another questionnaire has to be sent to all
the Inspecting Officers in the State. Copies of this
questionnaire have been sent through the Education
Department to the Dy. Inspector of Schools, District
Educational Officers, Inspectresses of Girls Schools and
Regional Dy. Directors of Public Instruction.

I am approaching your department for favour of
a letter of recommendation to the Dy. Secretaries (Edn)
of the Samithis in the State and forwarding of this
questionnaire to the respective Parishads and Samithis
with instructions to the Dy. Secretaries and Extension
Officers to fill the same and return to the address
given below within the earliest possible time.

I shall be highly thankful to you for this
encouragement your department is giving to promote a
useful research.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

True Copy

Sd/- Illegible
Section Officer

Sd/- C.S. Subbarao
S-4-668/22 Karayanauda,
(Phone 36204)

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
PANCHAYAT RAJ (P&R) DEPARTMENT.

Memorandum No.2772/PR/64-1 Date: 22-4-1964.

Sub: A critical Investigation into the practice
 of Basic Education in the State of Andhra
 Pradesh. - Regarding.

Ref: From Sri. C.S.Subba Rao, Lecturer,
 Letter No. nil Dated 12-4-1964.

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A copy of the letter cited together with sufficient number of copies of questionnaire is herewith sent to the Secretaries of Zilla Parishads. They are requested to distribute the copies among the Dy. Secretaries of (Education) and the Extension Officers(Education) for filling up the questionnaire. The questionnaire duly filled up may be returned direct to the address given below. Any doubts may be got clarified from the author of the questionnaire at the address given below.

B.K.RAO
Deputy Secretary to Government.

To

The Secretaries of Zilla Parishads,
through Chairmen.

Copy to:

Shri C.S.Subba Rao,
3-4-663/22 Narayanaguda, Hyderabad-29.

Forwarded: By order

Sd/- Illegible
Section Officer.

C.S. Subbarao, M.A.M.Ed.,
S-4-663/22 Narayanaguda,

Hyderabad-29, A.P.,
April 11, 1964.

Dear Shri.

Sub:- A Critical Investigation into the Practice of
Basic Education in the State of Andhra Pradesh.

Ref:- Proceedings of the Director of Public Instruction:
Andhra Pradesh RC.No.125 B.III-1/64, Dated.
3rd April, 1964.

Let me have the pleasure of inviting your kind attention to the proceedings cited in connection with the subject mentioned above and request you to acknowledge receipt of the same along with the packet of questionnaires sent by registered book-post. I am sure you have already despatched the copies of questionnaire to the respective schools as per the list supplied. Please instruct the schools to send the filled questionnaire directly to me before the vacation commences, without fail, under intimation to your office. I will be highly grateful to you for this obligation.

Further I am enclosing two copies of a questionnaire issued to the Inspecting Officers in the Andhra Pradesh Education Department. While answering one questionnaire yourself, please forward the second copy to the local, Deputy Inspector of Schools. I will be thankful to you if you and your Deputy Inspector of Schools can send your reactions at an early date, to my residential address given above.

Thanking you once more,

Yours sincerely,

Sd/- C.S. Subbarao
Lecturer, College of Education,
Osmania University,
Hyderabad-7.

To

Shri.
District Educational Officer,
Andhra Pradesh.

C.S.Subbarao, M.A., M.Ed.,
3-4-663/22 Narayanaguda,

Phone 36004
Hyderabad-29, A.P.
July 7, 1964.

Dear Friend:

Subject:- 'A Critical Investigation into the Practice of Basic Education in the State of Andhra Pradesh' regarding:

Reference:-1. Proceedings of the Director of Public Instruction Andhra Pradesh Rc.No.125 B.III 1/64 of April 3 1964

2. My letter dated 30th March, 1964
3. My D.O. letter of 11th April, 1964
4. My reminder dated 13th April, 1964

In pursuance of the proceedings of the Director of Public Instruction first cited, questionnaires were sent to you along with my letter cited second, by registered book-post, for distribution among the Basic Schools under your jurisdiction as per specifications. Subsequently, I also sent to you another questionnaire intended for inspecting officers under the above reference cited third.

I need not emphasise the importance and urgency of the matter. As you are an educationist, I have every belief that you realise the need for educational research.

I request you to arrange for the early despatch of the questionnaires to schools, if not already done, with a direction to them for early compliance. I shall be highly obliged to you and deem it to be a personal favour done to me, if you kindly send me the list of schools to which the questionnaires have been sent. The questionnaire for inspecting officers also may be despatched to me as early as possible, after duly filling the same.

I know the several demands on your time, and yet you are being requested to cooperate in this research, since precise data is not available in Hyderabad.

Thanking you and awaiting your early response,

Yours sincerely,

33/- C.S.S. Rao