

Office of the Joint Director Fire & Emergency Services
Jammu Range, Jammu

The Principal
Christ School Rajouri
Bathuni Rajouri

No: JDJF&ES/FP/ 4078

Dated: 27-07-2022

Sub: Fire Safety Certificate

Ref: Your online submission Letter dated 26.05.2022

Sir,

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 Hose Reel Hose and First Aid Fire Extinguishers in their school premises. Besides this, one number underground water storage tank of total 20 KL capacity is also available. The school is 06 Km away from Fire and Emergency Station Rajouri 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 precautionary measures in letter and spirit forthwith:-

1. All exits/entrances should be kept open and free from any obstruction for easy and safe evacuation of inmates during any emergency.
2. 01 No. Clean Agent Type Fire Extinguisher of 02 Kg capacity should be provided in computer lab and 01 No. of CO₂ Type fire extinguisher of 4.5 Kg capacity should be provided near main electric switch board panel in addition to already existing fire extinguishers.
3. If the basement area exceeded 200 meter square, then sprinklers should be installed in the basement strictly as per NBC norms. Moreover, there should be sufficient exit/entrance in the basement for safe evacuation of children as well as staff during any mishap.
4. At present only one Hose Reel Hose has been installed in the entire school building, so that the management is strictly advised to installed one more Hose Reel Hose at second floor in such a way wherefrom every nook and corner of this floor are covered easily at the time of any emergency.
5. 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 the office of Assistant Director, Fire & Emergency Services Command Rajouri - Poonch after each quarter that the fire fighting equipments installed in the school are functioning.
6. All class rooms and examination halls having seating capacity for more than 45 students need to be provided with two exits.
7. The corridor of the building shall not be used for any kind of storage.
8. No Hazardous material should be kept inside of the school premises (especially LPG cylinder, Petrol and Diesel etc.). However, a kitchen is available in basement of the school building, it is strongly recommended that a separate reinforced cement concrete cabin should be constructed for storage of LPG cylinders outside the building. Any deviation found in this regard, this clearance issued will be treated withdrawn/cancelled.
9. The management of the school shall be wholly and solely responsible for keeping the fire fighting system in working condition 24x7 and safe evacuation of inmates during any mishap.
10. At present school is triple storey with basement. As such no addition/alteration should be made by the school management in the existing structure without prior permission from this department. Any deviation found in this regard, this clearance will be treated withdrawn/cancelled.
11. Telephone numbers of nearest Fire & Emergency Stations should be displayed.
12. The validity of this clearance shall remain enforce for one year and same needs to be renewed after checking of fire fighting system installed in the school premises (i.e. existing as well as proposed).

Yours Faithfully

Joint Director

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