

**O.M. No. II/20015/43/94-OL (P-1), dated 17.10.1994**

**Subject:**— Discussions in the last meeting of the earlier Hindi Advisory Committee of Ministries/Departments and review of the decisions taken during discussions in the first meeting of the reconstituted Hindi Advisory Committee.

Several Ministries/Departments have been requesting this Department for a clarification on whether the discussions held and decisions taken in the last meeting before the expiry of the three year term of Hindi Advisory Committees of various Ministries/Departments for making suggestions on streamlining the implementation of the Official Language Policy of the Government of India, should be taken up for review in the first meeting of the newly constituted committees.

2. The issue has been seriously considered in the Department of Official Language. The issue relates to the discussion held and decisions taken at the meetings of high level committees. The services of the Hindi Advisory Committees have been provided to the Ministries/Departments for the propagation of the Official Language Policy. It is, therefore, imperative that the advice and the decisions of these Committees should continue to be acted upon inspite of the re-constitution of the advisory committees. Therefore, the action taken on the minutes of the last meeting of the former committee should be taken up for review in the first meeting of the newly constituted committee.

3. All Ministries/Departments are requested to follow the above procedure in the meetings of their respective Hindi Advisory Committees.