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## Sri. Koppula Eshwar garu The Hon'ble Minister for Minority Welfare

Government of Telangana

14 October 2022

Respected Minister garu,

Our Ref: www.nationalcouncil.in/states/ts/mmw/keshwar14oct22.pdf

Greetings to you from Telangna State National Christian Council: <u>ts.nationalcouncil.in</u>

We appreciated your gracious time to meet with us and for your time to hear our submission. We would like to bring to your kind notice the following matters pertaining to the Christian Minorities in the state of Telangana.

We appreciate all the good schemes that your ministry and the Honourable Chief **Minister Shri K. Chandrasekhar Rao ji** have introduced for the welfare of Minorities and for all the of citizens in Telangana. A few important matters for your kind attention, perusal and implementation.

- 1. Pastor's Honorarium: We submit this request for your kind study and to recommend to the Hon'ble Chief Minister that the Christian Community led by the Pastors have always looked up to the benevolence of the Chief Minister towards the needy to always help them. We appreciate the innovative schemes like the Christmas celebration and the government's commitment to keep that celebration very special to all the Pastors and Christians. As the neighbouring state had just issued the Pastors and Imam's Monthly Honorarium there is so much expectation and hope that we in Telangana will supersede others so much more for the welfare of the Pastors. We submit to you to kindly see that honorarium is given to needy Pastors in Telangana State.
- 2. Christian Bhavan The construction of Christian Bhavan that was launched a a flagship project of the Hon'ble CM is not completed. Many opposition leaders are using this delay to bring accusations on the govt. We submit that all hurdles to be overcome and that the Christian Bhavan in a good and connectible locality be constructed for the Christian Community at the earliest.
- 3. Jerusalem Yatra Sponsorship: The subsidy given to the faithful to visit the much desired holy land of Jerusalem is blocked due to some legal issues. We appeal that eminent lawyers be put to task to overcome these hurdles and that the subsidy or full sponsorship for this Jerusalem tour be restarted at the earliest. We will be happy to suggest attorneys of prominence for this task if need be.
- **4.** NCC Distirct Chapters and Wings leaders: The goal of NCC throughout the nation is to propagate the government schemes to all. We will be happy to coordinate at the state or district level authorities to see that information is disseminated to all through our Churches and social media so that all the eligible can avail the benefits. Our Churches and NCC State, District and 17 wings leaders and members are ready to engage in spreading the information about the schemes of the government. Thank you again for your time and audience. We look forward to your favourable reply and action.

Sincerely Yours,

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