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Village Panchayats
Giving of contracts by-
to Labour Contract Society.

GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA
Co-operation & Rural Development Department,
Resolution No. MI-1061/50657-E,
Sachivalaya, Bombay-32: 2nd February 1964.

RESOLUTION OF GOVERNMENT.

The question of giving minor works of Village Panchayats costing upto Rs.20,000/- to Labour Contract Societies without calling for tenders was under the consideration of Government for some time.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred by section 153-1 of the Maharashtra Village Panchayat Act, 1958, the Government is now pleased to direct that in the case of minor works costing upto Rs.20,000/- which are to be executed by Village Panchayats such Labour Contract Societies as are approved by the Registrar or Joint Registrar of Co-operative Societies or the Deputy Registrar of the District should be given a trial, and works are within their capabilities entrusted to them at estimated rates without calling for tenders. A period of 15 days, notice of such works costing below Rs.20,000/- should be sent to Labour Contract Societies in the respective Districts through the Block Development Officer with a list of works to be undertaken. After the notice period has expired, the normal procedure should be followed if no application is received from the Labour Contract Society within the notice period.

3. The above orders should apply only to those works which are fully financed by Government and in respect of which the Village Panchayats act as an agent of Government for the execution of such works.

4. The Chief Executive Officers of all Zilla Parishads are requested to bring the contents of this Resolution to the notice of all Village Panchayats in their respective jurisdictions and to advise them to adhere to the above instructions at the time of giving Contracts for works referred to in para 3 above.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra,

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Under Secretary to the Government of Maharashtra,
Rural Development Department.

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