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To,

The Heads of all recognised Secondary
& Higher Secondary Schools within the
jurisdiction of this Board.

Sub: Sharing of one subject by more than one Teacher in one division.

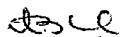
Sir/Madam,

It has been observed that an unfair practice of sharing of teaching a single subject by more than one Teacher for the same division is in vogue in many schools.

This type of practice is improper and unacademic for the simple reason that the approach for any subject should be graded and sequential in line with the curriculum which can be scrupulously watched if the subject is handled by a single Teacher and the confusion that causes in the minds of students due to aforementioned unfair practice can be taken care of.

This apart the Board has also to confront with a peculiar situation that when more than one Teacher is teaching in the same division, each Teacher teaching the subject covers only part of the subject and will not be entirely familiar with the entire subject. Teachers invited for confidential work are often required to set question papers, assess, moderate or scrutinize answers of students in the entire subject. The Teachers teaching part of the subject cannot do justice to this work both at school level and Board's level as well. However, only in unavoidable circumstances, the teaching of a subject can be shared by Teachers for more than one division with due care that each Teacher completes teaching of full subject though shared in different division. Institutions are also requested not to keep reshuffling the allotment of subjects to the Teachers every year, lest the Teachers fail to acquire the required continuous experience for discharging confidential work of the Board in any given subject. Also allotment of subject to Teachers, as far as possible, should be as per the qualification acquired in the respective subject, at Graduation, Post Graduation and Degree in Education.

Heads of Institutions are therefore requested to ensure that due care is taken while allotting the subject to the Teachers from the ensuing academic year of 2010 - 2011.


(D. R. Bhagat)
Secretary

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