

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT**

TAXES-Profession Tax exemption from payment of Profession Tax by Blind and other totally crippled persons to Municipalities and Municipal Corporations - Orders - Issued.

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**HOUSING, MUNICIPAL, ADMINISTRATION AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (III) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.Rt.No.1899

Dated:31.10.1986  
Read the following:-

1. From the General Secretary A.P. Federation of the Blind Lr.No.APFB/41/85, dt. 17.09.85.
2. From the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration L.Dis.No. 57844/85-E1, dt. 2.12.1983.

**ORDER :**

1. The General Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Federation of the Blind in his representation 1st read above has stated that blindness apart from being a curse of the nature, impairs the mobility of the blind persons and a strain on the finances of the blind. He also narrated the expenditure involved in meeting the expenditure on escorts for the blind on pursuing his profession or vacation and requested the Government to exempt the blind persons from payment of profession tax and poverty tax.

2. The Government after examining the matter in consultation with the Commissioner and Director of Municipal Administration, Social Welfare Department and Finance Department hereby exempt totally blind persons and totally crippled persons in the State from payment of profession tax to the Municipalities and Municipal Corporation.

**(By order and in the name of the Governor of A.P.)**

C. ARJUNA RAO  
Secretary to Government