Appendices
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Information on these queries are required to be collected for pursuing a Research titled 'INFORMATION NEEDS OF THE INMATES AND STAFF OF THE CORRECTIONAL HOMES (JAILS) IN WEST BENGAL: A STUDY' under PhD Programme of University of Calcutta

1. History of each Correctional Homes
2. Year of Establishment of each Correctional Homes
3. Number of Employees in each Correctional Homes
4. Categories of existing Employees of each Correctional Homes
5. Present Staff Pattern of Prison Directorate
6. Intake capacity of each Correctional Homes
7. Present numbers of Prisoners in each Correctional Homes
8. Categories of Prisoners in each Correctional Homes
9. Numbers of literate and illiterate prisoners of each Correctional Homes
10. What are the academic qualifications of literate prisoners of each Correctional Homes?
11. Is there any media for imparting teaching to both illiterate and literate prisoners?
12. Whether any foreign prisoners are there in any Correctional Homes?
13. Whether children are allowed to stay with their parents in the Correctional Homes?
14. Are the prisoners using special dresses or they are allowed to use their domestic liveries?
15. What are the Welfare activities that are being conducted in each Correctional Homes?
16. What are the duties required to be performed by the Prisoners?
17. What are the natures of works that are required to be done by the Prisoners?
18. At what time prisoners are getting their foods?
19. What is the cost of the food that is being provided to the Prisoners?
20. What is the budget for each prisoner?
21. What is the source of fund of each Correctional Homes?
22. How prisoners are inducted to Correctional Homes?
23. Is there any regular orientation programme?
24. Is there any regular Health Check up programme?
25. On what ground and how a prisoner is being hospitalized?
26. Are the prisoners allowed to read Newspapers? If yes, what are those Newspapers?
27. Whether prisoners are interested in reading books?
28. Whether prisoners are interested in gathering information?
29. Is there any Library in each Correctional Homes?
30. If yes, what are the basic library services that are being provided to the prisoners?
31. Who are generally acted as Librarians?
32. What is collection strength of each Correctional Homes?
33. How the library books are selected in each Correctional Homes?
34. How the library books are issued in each Correctional Homes?
35. What are operation hours of Library in each Correctional Homes?
36. Are there any rehabilitation programmes in each Correctional Homes?
37. Whether visitors are allowed to meet prisoners?
38. If yes, at what time and how the visitors are allowed to meet the prisoners?
39. Are the prisoners interested in information exchange with the visitors?
40. Are the prisoners allowed to watch TV and listen to Radio?
41. Are any development / entertainment programmes been regularly undertaken for the prisoners?
42. Are the prisoners allowed any further education?
43. If yes, what is the modas opernadi of carrying out such further education?
44. How teachers are selected / appointed for teaching such prisoners?
45. Who takes the examination and how such examinations are being conducted?
46. Are there any provision for Games and Sports, Cultural Activities etc for the prisoners in each Correctional Homes?
47. Are prisoners allowed to stage performances in the Correctional Homes?
48. Are prisoners allowed to stage performances outside the Correctional Homes?
49. Examples of performances that have been staged by the prisoners of any Correctional Homes
50. Are the prisoners encouraged to undertake artistic and literary works?
51. Is there any infrastructural facility for providing various hands-on-training to prisoners at any Correctional Homes?
52. What are the special programmes that are being organized on important National Days like Republic Day, Independence Day, Martyr Day etc.?
53. List of Officers and Staff of the Correctional Homes