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GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (A) DEPARTMENT
DISPUR, GUWAHATI - 6

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF ASSAM
NOTIFICATION

Dated, Dispur the 15th June, 2012

No. HLA. 565/2011/20 : In pursuance of the order passed by Hon'ble Supreme Court of India on 4/5/2001 in Writ Petition (Civil) No. 301 of 2000 (Centre for Enquiry into Health and Allied Themes (CEHST) and others versus Union of India and others) in the matters relating to the implementation of the provisions of the pre-Natal Diagnostic Techniques (Regulation and prevention of Misuse Act) 1994 and in exercise of the power conferred under Sub-section (2) of Section 17 of the Act (PNDT ACT 1994), the Governor of Assam is pleased to appoint the following officers as Appropriate Authority within the area of jurisdiction shown against each of implementation of the pre-natal Diagnostic immediate effect and until further order:

Designation of
Appropriate Authority

Area of Jurisdiction

1) CM&HO (CD)

Kamrup (M)/ Baksa/ Chirang/ Udalguri.

Since CM&HO (CD) are not in position in Baksa and Chirang District, the Superintendent of Civil Hospital will officiate as Appropriate Authority for the time being.

The main functions of Appropriate Authority will be as follows:-

- a) To grant, suspend or cancel registration of a Genetic Counselling Centre, Genetic Laboratory of Genetic clinic.
- b) To investigate complaints of breach of the provision of this Act or the Rules made there under and take immediate action.
- c) To enforce standards prescribed for genetic counseling centre, genetic laboratory or genetic clinic.
- d) To seek and consider the advice of the Advisory Committee under Section (5) on application for registratic and on complaints for suspension or cancellation of registration.

Sd/- A. B. Md. Eunus
Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Assam
Health & F. W. Deptt.
Dated, Dispur the 15th May, 2012

Memo.No. HLA. 565/2011/20-A

Copy to :-

- 1) The Under Secretary, Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & FW (Department of Family Welfare), Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi - 110011.
- 2) PS to Minister, Health & FW, Assam for kind appraisal of Hon'ble Minister.
- 3) PS to Addl. Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Health & FW Department, Dispur.
- 4) The Director (PNDT), Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & FW (Department of Family Welfare), Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi - 110011.
- 5) The Mission Director, NRHM, Assam, Chrsitianbasti, Guwahati - 5.
- 6) The Director of Health Services, Assam, Hengrabari, Guwahati - 36.
- 7) The Director of Health Services (FW), Assam Hengrabari, Guwahati 36.
- 8) The Director of Medical Education, Assam, Six mile, Guwahati - 22.
- 9) The Joint Director of Health Services.....
- 10) The Supdt.....
- 11) The CM&HO (CD),.....
- 12) The Addl. CM&HO (FW),.....

By order etc.

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Joint Secretary to the Govt. of Assam
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