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GOVERNMENT OF MANIPUR SECRETARIAT : TRIBAL AFFAIRS & HILLS DEPARTMENT

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR: MANIPUR

Imphal, the 8th February, 2013

No. 16/3/2010-CHA: The Governor of Manipur is pleased to constitute an Expert Committee for examining the Manipur (Hill Areas) District Councils Act, 1971 and the Manipur (Village Authorities in Hill Areas) Act, 1956 and Rules framed thereunder consisting of the following members.

- (a) Shri Max Phazang, Registrar Gauhati High Court (Retired) Chairperson
- (b) Dr. H. Khamkhenthang, Director, TRI (Retired)
- (c) Shri K. Daimei, Joint Director, TRI (Retired) Member
- (d) Expert in law (to be nominated by Chairman) Member
- (e) N. Kaikho Mao, Deputy Director (Tribal Affairs and Hills) Convenor and Member Secretary

Member

2. The Terms of Reference of the Expert Committee shall include the following -

- (a) The Expert Committee shall examine the Manipur (Hill Areas) District Councils Act, 1971 and Rules framed thereunder including the various amendments, identify all ineffective and obsolete sections contained therein and recommend suitable amendments.
- (b) The Committee shall suggest insertions of new provisions in the Manipur (Hill Areas) District Councils Act 1971 and Rules framed thereunder for urban planning and development, collection of fees for civic service etc.
- (c) The Committee shall also examine the Manipur (Village Authorities in Hill Areas) Act, 1956 and recommend linkages between the Manipur (Hill Areas) Act 1971 and Rules and Manipur (Village Authorities in Hill Areas) Act, 1956 and Rules framed thereunder in order to link and harmonize the functioning of the two Acts.
- (d) The Committee shall also examine and frame appropriate Rules for villages in the hill areas which are not covered under the Manipur (Hill Areas) District Councils Act 1971, the Manipur (Village Authority in Hill Areas) Act, 1956 and Panchayat Raj Act.
- (e) The Committee shall submit the report and recommendations to the State Government within 90 days.
- (f) Any other related matter which the Tribal Affairs and Hills Department may assign.
- 3. The Tribal Research Institute shall provide office space, furniture, computer etc. for the Committee during the period of their work.
- 4. The Tribal Research Institute shall provide Staff to assist the Committee in their works such as typing, compiling of reports etc.

- 5. An honorarium of Rs. 1000 (Rupees one thousand only) per day of sitting shall be paid to the Chairman and other Members of the Committee except the Member Secretary, who is a Government employee. However, the total amount of honorarium shall not exceed Rs. 15000 (Rupees fifteen thousand only) per month for each Member/Chairperson.
- 6. The expenditure shall be charged under the Head of Account MH-2225(Plan), Minor Head-800, Sub Head-04- (Financial Assistance to ADCs) Detail- 01 (Autonomous District Councils), Object 36 Grants in Aid General (Non salary).

By Orders and in the name of Governor,

AMEISING LUIKHAM, Additional Chief Secretary (TA&H), Government of Manipur.