Acts and Ordinances

Concerned Department : Social Welfare Department

Concerned District : Meghalaya

Act Title/Name : Child Marriage Act, 2006

Act Details :

Number :

Year : 2006

Short Title : CM Act, 2006

Extent : All over Meghalaya

Commencement Date :

Act Objectives : Child marriage means a marriage to which either of the

contracting parties is a child. Every child marriage, whether solemnized before or after the commencement of this act shall be voidable at the option of the contracting

party who was a child at the time of marriage.

The practice of child marriage does not exist in the

State of Meghalaya.

The District Social Welfare Officers of all the Districts has

been notified as Child Marriage Prohibition Officers.