

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT**

NOTIFICATION

Dated Shillong the 8th July, 2021

No. SW (S) 86/2013/443 : The Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to constitute a Transgender Justice Board at all the 11 (Eleven) Districts of the State of Meghalaya in compliance of the Hon'ble Supreme Court (NALSA) Judgement on Transgender Right comprising of the following members with immediate effect and until further orders.

1.	Deputy Commissioner	Chairperson
2.	District Social Welfare Officer	Member Secretary
3.	Superintendent of Police	Member
4.	District Medical Health Officer	Member
5.	Deputy Labour Commissioner	Member
6.	District School Education Officer	Member
7.	District Child Protection Officer	Member
8.	District Programme Officer ICDS	Member
9.	One (1) Representative from a Community Based Organisation(CBO) which has been working for the Rights of TGs for a significant period of time. The representatives should also have a good track record in the field. (To be nominated by the Chairperson)	Member
10.	Four (4) Representatives from Transgender Community. (To be nominated by the Chairperson)	Member

Terms of Reference of Transgender Justice Board are as follows:-

- i. TG Justice Board should monitor and oversee the implementation of the TG Policy. This would facilitate and institutional reforms that enable access to social, economic development schemes for the poor and other at – risk TG groups.
- ii. Ensure convergence of existing schemes across departments for a more targeted and focused approach towards well – being of TG community.
- iii. Issue guidelines as necessary to ensure equality and equity of TGs.
- iv. Ensure that sufficient and quality development projects, programmes, and schemes are formulated and adequate funds are allocated for effective implementation of TG Policy.
- v. Require every relevant Department to submit an annual report on steps taken to protect TG rights, budget expenditures, and results achieved from each Department be submitted not later than June 30th of the financial year.
- vi. Facilitate awareness Programmes, in association with NGOs and community – based organizations (CBO) to sensitize public about TGs through mass media and other method of publicity campaign.

The term of the Committee shall be 3(three) years from the date of publication of the orders. The Committee may have sittings from time to time when circumstances compel.

Sd/-
(Sampath Kumar)
Principal Secretary
Social Welfare Department

Memo. No. SW (S) 86/2013/443-A,

Dated Shillong the 8th July, 2021

Copy to:-

1. The P.S. of the Speaker, Meghalaya Legislative Assembly for information of the Speaker.
2. The P.S. of the Leader of Opposition for information of Leader of Opposition.
3. The P.S. to Honorable Minister i/c of Social Welfare Department for the kind information of the Honorable Minister i/c of Social Welfare Department.
4. The P.S. to Chief Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya for the kind information of the Chief Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya.
5. The P.S. to the Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya, Social Welfare Department for the kind information of Principal Secretary.
6. The P.S. to the Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya, Social Welfare Department for the kind information of Commissioner & Secretary.
7. The Director of Social Welfare, Meghalaya, Shillong.
8. The Director of Printing & Stationery, Meghalaya, Shillong for favour of publication in the Meghalaya Gazette.
9. The Assistant Director, Social Welfare (SD), Meghalaya, Shillong for information.
10. All Deputy Commissioners.
11. All members concerned for information.
12. The Senior Informatics Officer, NIC, Shillong for information and necessary action.
13. Law (B) Department.
14. Guard File.

By Order, etc,

Under Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Social Welfare Department