



ABSTRACT

PNDT Act, 1994 amended in 2002-Section 17(2) of Act appropriate Authority and Advisory Committees at District / Sub District level - Reconstituted - Orders - issued.

HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (R1) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (Ms). No.150

Dated: 26.05.2008
Vaigasi 13th
Thiruvaijuvar Aandu 2039.

Read:

1. G. O. (Ms). No.431 Health, dated 31.07.1998.
2. G. O. (Ms). No.298, Health, dated 31.10.2001.
3. From the Government of India, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare letter No.24026/111/06- PNDT, dated.12.2.2007
4. From the Director of Medical Rural and Health Services, Chennai - 6 Letter No.16476 / E7 / 2 / 07, dated 03.10.2007.

ORDERS:

In the Government of India's letter third read above, the Government of India have stated that under section 17(2) of the Pre-Conception and Pre-Natal Diagnostic Techniques Act, State Government shall appoint by notification in the official Gazette one or more Appropriate Authorities for the whole or part of the State for the purpose of the Act having regard to the intensity of the problem of pre-natal sex determination leading to female foeticide. The Central Supervisory Board, constituted under the Act, in its 15th meeting held on 9th January, 2007 under the Chairmanship of Union Minister of Health and Family Welfare has decided that District Appropriate Authority shall be the District Magistrate (DM) for the District. The DM may nominate an executive magistrate of the district as his/her nominee to assist him/her in monitoring the implementation of the PC&PNDT Act, as deemed necessary the Government of India have requested to issue necessary notification to implement the decision with immediate effect.

2. In Government Orders first and second Read above, the Appropriate Authority at District level and Taluk level were constituted and as per the above orders, Joint Director of Health Services is the District Appropriate Authority and Senior Civil Surgeon / Medical officers at Taluk Hospital is the Sub - District Appropriate Authority.

3. In the letter fourth read above, the Director of Medical and Rural Health Services, has now sent proposals for the reconstitutions of District Appropriate Authority and District / Sub-District Advisory Committee for the

implementation of PNDT Act 1994 in the Districts and Taluk. as detailed below:

District Appropriate Authority	:	District Collector who is the District Executive Magistrate
Sub- District Appropriate Authority	:	Revenue Divisional Officer who is the Revenue Divisional Executive Magistrate.

DISTRICT LEVEL ADVISORY COMMITTEE:

The Joint Director of Health Services	:	Chairman
Two Obstetrician and Gynecologists and one Pediatrician from Government Medical Institution	:	Members
The Public Prosecutor in the District	:	Member
The MEIO in District Family Welfare Bureau	:	Member
Three eminent social workers (one should be from Women's Organization (i.e) Madhar Sangam	:	Members

SUB-DISTRICT LEVEL ADVISORY COMMITTEE:

Revenue Divisional Officer	:	Chairman
Two Obstetrician and Gynecologists and one Pediatrician from Government Medical Institution (i.e) either from the Taluk Hospital/Primary Health Centres within the Taluk/Hospitals with in the District.	:	Members
The Assistant Public Prosecutor in the Sub-District (Taluk)	:	Member
The Senior most Block Extension Educator in the Sub-District (Taluk)	:	Member
Three eminent social workers (one should be from Women's Organization (i.e) Madhar Sangam	:	Members

4. The Government accept the same after careful examinations of the above proposals, accept the same and accordingly, the following notifications

1994 (Central Act. 57 of 1994) in order to aid and advise the District Appropriate Authority appointed under Sub section 2 of the said sections of the said act, in the discharge of its function, the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby constitutes District Level Advisory Committee and Sub District Level Advisory Committee in each District of the state as follows:

The Joint Director of Health Services	:	Chairman
Two Obstetrician and Gynecologists and one Pediatrician from Government Medical Institution	:	Members
The Public Prosecutor in the District	:	Member
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(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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The Director of Public Health and Preventive Medicine, Chennai -6.

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