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NOTIFICATION

No. B. 18012/123/2012-IND/183, the 17th April, 2014. In partial modification of Notification issued under Memo No.B.18012/123/2012-IND dt.26.11.2012 and in the interest of public service, the Governor of Mizoram is pleased to constitute a Committee on Geotextiles for Mizoram with the following members with immediate effect and until further order :-

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| 1. | Secretary, Horticulture Deptt, Government of Mizoram | - Chairman |
| 2. | Representative from Ministry of DONER | - Member |
| 3. | Representative from Ministry of Textiles | - Member |
| 4. | Representative from Industries Department, Government of Mizoram | - Member |
| 5. | Representative from Forest Department, Government of Mizoram | - Member |
| 6. | Director, Bombay Textile Research Association | - Member |
| 7. | Director, Ahmedabad Textile Industry's Research | - Member |
| 8. | Engineer-in-Chief, PWD, Govt. of Mizoram | - Member |
| 9. | Chief Engineer, Minor Irrigation, Govt. of Mizoram | - Member |
| 10. | Director, Disaster Management & Rehabilitation Deptt.
Government of Mizoram | - Member |
| 11. | Representative from Border Road Organisation | - Member |
| 12. | Representative from National Jute Board | - Member |
| 13. | Representative from Indian Technical Textiles Association | - Member |
| 14. | Representative from National Textiles Corporation Limited | - Member |
| 15. | Representative from Office of Textiles Commissioner | - Member Secretary |

Terms of reference of the Committee will be as follows :

- Identification of shelf of projects :**
 - To collate the list of on-going and planned projects in coordination with various agencies operational in the fields such as Ministry of Road Transport & Highways (MoRTH), PWD, BRO, Ministry of Rural Development (PMGSY) etc.
 - Based on the identified project list collated, the committee should develop a database which has the list of all relevant projects details as per the template at Annex-I (enclosed herewith). This template should be shared with the CEO : Geotech and Ministry of Textiles.

2. **Techno Economic Viability study:**
 - a. To critically analyse the project list generated by the Committee and identify technically feasible projects for usage of geotextiles.
 - b. To determine the suitable geotech products (e.g. geogrids, geocells, geotextiles etc.) to be use in each of the identified projects.
 - c. To analyse the economic viability with cost benefit analysis.
 - d. To coordinate with various user Departments (e.g. PWD, MoRTH, etc.) and ensure that usage of geotextiles is included in DPR and all the tenders floated by such user Departments.

3. **Availability of Geotech in North Eastern Region:**
 - a. To check for the availability of required geotech material in NE region, and identify the key suppliers in the region and on a pan India basis.
 - b. To ensure adequate and smooth supply chain of Geotextiles material from the manufacturers in NER.

4. **Establishment of institutional framework for implementing the projects :**
 - a. To ensure smooth coordination and implementation of the identified projects by identifying different stakeholders and assign responsibilities to each of them.
 - b. To develop a mechanism for inter-stakeholder coordination and establishing linkages with various manufacturers, user departments infrastructure consultants, research agencies etc.

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