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NOTIFICATION

No.G.17012/1/09-F.Est/98-99, the 29th May, 2014. In partial modification of this Department's Notification No.G. 17012/1/09-F.Est/35-36 Dated 11th July 2013, consequent upon the creation of the Office of the Principal Director, Health & Family Welfare, the Governor of Mizoram is pleased to declare the Principal Director as the Head of Department of Health & Family Welfare and order demarcation and specification of the powers, functions and responsibilities of the Principal Director and two Directors as follows :

1. **Planning & Budgeting :** The powers of planning, budgeting, appropriation and re-appropriation of fund and the budgetary control including administration of loans and advances shall be vested with the Principal Director.
2. **Technical Powers :** The technical powers of the Principal Director and Directors shall be as per Rules & Notifications issued by the Government of Mizoram from time to time, as per guidelines laid down by the Govt. of India or other relevant Councils; and technical powers for specific programs/societies/institutions, particularly in case of appointment of Program Officers under CSS, Project Director, MSACS, Mission Director, NHM, and also Health Educational Institutions such as MCON, etc. shall be exclusively vested with the Principal Director.
3. **Appointment and Disciplinary Authority :** Without prejudice to the power vested in this regard with the DP&AR, the Principal Director shall be the appointing authority including promotion in respect of non-Gazetted Officers of Group B and C staff he shall exercise the powers of appointment and Disciplinary Authority under CCS (CCA) Rules, 1965. In case of Group D and Contractual Staff, the appointing authority and disciplinary authority shall be the Directors within their respective jurisdictions.

Common seniority shall be maintained for all the regular staff including technical and contractual staff of the Department by Principal Director. Appointments/ promotions shall be made by the Principal Director or the Directors as per the recommendation of a DPC chaired by the Principal Director.

4. **Transfer and Posting :** Without prejudice to the powers vested in this regard with the DP&AR, the Principal Director shall exercise the power of inter-jurisdiction transfer and posting of all non-Gazetted staff, The Directors shall have the power of transfer and posting in respect of Group D staff within their respective jurisdictions.
5. **Release and Control of:
LOC** The Principal Director shall release the budget allocation to the Directors and the Directors in turn shall issue and control LOC within their respective jurisdictions.

The Principal Director shall function as Head of Department and shall have the power of supervisory control over the Directors; Program Officers of CSS programmes/ nursing services and education, etc. in monitoring of works and implementation of programmes and vigilance, planning and budgetary appropriation and re-appropriation of fund.

The two Directors shall function as Heads of Department within their respective jurisdictions.

The Government of Mizoram reserves the powers of review and revision of the provisions contained in this Notification from time to time.

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