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NOTIFICATION

No. B. 13017/21/2008-UD&PA(M), the 6th February, 2015. The following Rules "The Mizoram Municipalities (Ward Committee and Local Council) (Second Amendment) Rules, 2015" is hereby published for general information.

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No. B. 13017/21/2008-UD&PA(M): In exercise of the powers conferred by section 369 of the Mizoram Municipalities Act, 2007 (Act No. 6 of 2007), the Governor of Mizoram is pleased to further amend the Municipalities (Ward Committee and Local Council) Rules, 2010 (hereinafter referred to as the Principal Rules) as follows, namely:-

Short title, extent and commencement:

- 1 These Rules may be called The Mizoram Municipalities Ward Committee and Local Council (Amendment) Rules, 2015.
- 2 They shall come into force from date of publication in the Official Gazette.

Amendment of rule 16

In rule 16 of the Principal Rules in sub-rule (I), after clause (b) a new clause (c) shall be added as follows:-"(c) One third of the members in a Local Council shall be reserved for women. That is, in a Local Council with 5 (five) Members, 1 (one) Member shall be Women; and in a Local Council with 7 (seven) Members, 2 (two) Members shall be Women".

Amendment of Rule 17

Sub rule (I) of Rule 17 of the Principal Rules shall be substituted by the following:-"The tenure of Local Council members shall be 5 (five) years from the date of the first meeting of the Committee referred to under sub-rule (2) of Rule 16 of these Rules".