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#### NOTIFICATION

**No. B. 12015/5/2017-FST, the 7<sup>th</sup> June, 2017.** Whereas the capital city of Mizoram is stressed by spatial growth and the existing forests within Aizawl are fast vanishing except few pockets of Government owned forest, and whereas the urban population in Aizawl are exposed to various pollutions, the need to have green city for clean and healthy environment in the surrounding is utmost important. The Government of Mizoram has now established "**City Forest**" as part of the Smart City initiative of Government of India on the southern corner of Aizawl by maintaining and improving the existing Lalsavunga Park. The city forest is aimed to create awareness on conservation education on important flora and fauna, ecological rejuvenation of the city, environmental improvement of Aizawl city by mitigating pollution, etc.

In order to get best managed forest of the area, the Governor of Mizoram is pleased to constitute the following body as **Lalsavunga Park Development Authority** to look after the City Forest.

#### Composition of Lalsavunga Park Development Authority :

- Chairman : Chief Secretary, Government of Mizoram.  
Vice Chairman : Principal Secretary, Environment, Forests & Climate Change Department.  
Member Secretary : Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, Environment, Forests & Climate Change Department.  
Members : 1. Secretary, Local Administration Department.  
2. Secretary, Urban Development & Poverty Alleviation Department.  
3. Chief Conservator of Forests (P&D), Environment, Forests & Climate Change Department.  
4. Chief Engineer, Public Works Department (Building).  
5. Director, Local Administration Department.  
6. Director, Urban Development & Poverty Alleviation Department.  
7. Divisional Forest Officer, Aizawl Forest Division.  
8. Chief Architect, E-in-C Office, Public Works Department.  
9. Executive Engineer, Local Administration Department.
- Co Opted Members : 1. Local MLA  
2. Councillor, Ward No. XIX  
3. Chairman, Local Council N. Hlimen

**Role of the Authority :**

1. The Authority will coordinate all stakeholders for the over all development of the park.
2. The Authority will seek fund for development of the park from all sources and the mode of convergence be applied as far as possible.
3. The Development proposals prepared by stakeholder departments will be approved by the authority and all development activities will be closely monitored by the authority.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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