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#### NOTIFICATION

No. F. 20022/2/2020-TOUR, the 13<sup>th</sup> November, 2020. In order to implement the Mizoram Responsible Tourism Policy, 2020 and in the interest of public service, the Governor of Mizoram is pleased to designate *Sub-Divisional Officers (Sadar/Civil)* as *District Nodal Officers on Development and Promotion of Tourism* within their sub-divisions and to constitute a Village Level Tourism Promotion Committee outside the limits of Aizawl Municipal Corporation as follows:

- I. At District Capitals, Towns & Villages (where there are more than one Village Councils/ Courts):-
  - Committee : (Name of Town/Village) Tourism Promotion Committee
  - Chairman : To be appointed amongst Presidents of the Village Councils by designation.
  - Vice Chairman : President, Mizo Upa Pawl(MUP) of the Village (in case there are more than one branch, to be appointed amongst the Presidents)
  - Secretary : To be appointed amongst Office Bearers of Branch YMA concerned.
  - Treasurer : To be appointed amongst Office Bearers of Branch MHIP concerned.
  - Members :
    - 1) All other Village Council President(s)
    - 2) One member each from VC, YMA, MUP, MHIP
    - 3) Prominent Citizens(3-6 nos to be appointed by the Committee)
  
- II. At Villages having one Village Council/Court:-
  - Committee : (Name of Village) Tourism Promotion Committee
  - Chairman : Presidents of the Village Council by designation.
  - Vice Chairman : President, Mizo Upa Pawl(MUP) by designation.
  - Secretary : To be appointed amongst Office Bearers of Branch YMA concerned.
  - Treasurer : To be appointed amongst Office Bearers of Branch MHIP concerned.
  - Members :
    - 1) All Village Council members
    - 2) One member each from YMA, MUP, MHIP
    - 3) Prominent Citizens(3-6 nos to be appointed by the Committee)

*Terms of Reference:* The Committee(s) shall have the following terms of reference:

- 1) The Committee(s) will be in charge of grassroots level planning of activities, identification of tourist sites and development works, awareness and publicity, monitoring of tourism promotion activities and other tasks issued by the Department of Tourism, Govt. of Mizoram.

- 2) The duration of the term may be 2(two) years at one stretch or as decided by the Department of Tourism, Government of Mizoram from time to time.
- 3) The constitution, name, term, powers and functions of the committee(s) will be as notified from time to time by the Department of Tourism, Govt. of Mizoram, in line with new developments from the Ministry of Tourism, Govt. of India.
- 4) The Committee(s) will convene at least once quarterly and furnish their resolutions and action taken report to the Director of Tourism Department through the District Nodal Officer concerned (SDO, Sadar/Civil).
- 5) The decision of the Secretary, Govt. of Mizoram, Tourism Department shall be final in matters of disagreement or disputes related to terms listed above.

Esther Lal Ruatkimi,  
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Govt. of Mizoram.