

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA  
SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT**

**NOTIFICATION**

**Dated Shillong the 8<sup>th</sup> July, 2021**

**No. SW (S) 86/2013/442** : In compliance to the order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court passed in Writ-Petition (Civil) No 400 of 2012, dt 15.4.2014, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to constitute the State Transgender Justice Board comprising of the following members with immediate effect and until further orders.

1.	Hon'ble Minister for Social Welfare	Chairperson
2.	Commissioner and Secretary / Secretary, Social Welfare Department	Member Secretary
3.	Commissioner & Secretary / Secretary, Home(Police) Department	Member
4.	Commissioner & Secretary / Secretary, Health and Family Welfare Department	Member
5.	Commissioner & Secretary / Secretary, Higher & Technical Education Department	Member
6.	Commissioner & Secretary / Secretary, Law Department	Member
7.	Commissioner & Secretary / Secretary, Arts & Culture Department	Member
8.	Commissioner & Secretary / Secretary, District Council Affairs Department.	Member
9.	Director of Social Welfare	Member
10.	Director of Information & Public Relations	Member
11.	Sympyllieng Welfare Trust	Member
12.	Ms.Dona Marwein	Member
13.	Ms.Eva Kharpuri	Member
14.	Ms Nolly Nongrum	Member
15.	Ms Janet Massar	Member
16.	Ms.Gaga Kharlukhi	Member

**Terms of Reference of Transgender Justice Board are as follows:-**

- i. TG Justice Board should monitor and oversee the implementation of the TG Policy. This would facilitate and institutional reforms that enable access to social, economic development schemes for the poor and other at - risk TG groups.
- ii. Ensure convergence of existing schemes across departments for a more targeted and focused approach towards well - being of TG community.
- iii. Issue guidelines as necessary to ensure equality and equity of TGs.
- iv. Ensure that sufficient and quality development projects, programmes, and schemes are formulated and adequate funds are allocated for effective implementation of TG Policy.
- v. Require every relevant Department to submit an annual report on steps taken to protect TG rights, budget expenditures, and results achieved from each Department be submitted not later than June 30<sup>th</sup> of the financial year.
- vi. Facilitate awareness programmes, in association with NGOs and community - based organizations (CBO) to sensitize public about TGs through mass media and other method of publicity campaign.

The term of the Committee shall be 3(three) years from the date of publication of the orders. The Committee may have sitting from time to time when circumstances compel.

Sd/-  
(Sampath Kumar)  
Principal Secretary  
Social Welfare Department

**Dated Shillong the 8<sup>th</sup> July, 2021**

**Memo. No. SW (S) 86/2013/442-A,**

Copy to:-

1. The P.S. of the Speaker, Meghalaya Legislative Assembly for information of the Speaker.
2. The P.S. of the Leader of Opposition for information of Leader of Opposition.
3. The P.S to Honorable Minister i/c of Social Welfare Department for the kind information of the Honorable Minister i/c of Social Welfare Department.
4. The P.S to Chief Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya for the kind information of the Chief Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya.
5. The P.S. to the Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya, Social Welfare Department for the kind information of Principal Secretary.
6. The P.S. to the Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya, Social Welfare Department for the kind information of Commissioner & Secretary.
7. The Director of Social Welfare, Meghalaya, Shillong.
8. The Director of Printing & Stationery, Meghalaya, Shillong for favour of publication in the Meghalaya Gazette.
9. The Assistant Director, Social Welfare (SD), Meghalaya, Shillong for information.
10. All Deputy Commissioners.
11. All members concerned for information.
12. The Senior Informatics Officer, NIC, Shillong for information and necessary action.
13. Law (B) Department.
14. Guard File.

By Order, etc,

Under Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,  
Social Welfare Department