

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
AH & VETERINARY DEPARTMENT**

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR
NOTIFICATION

Dated Shillong, 2nd June, 2022

No. VET(CC) 102/2021/170:- In exercise of power conferred by the Rule 4 of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Regulation of Livestock Markets) Rules, 2017, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to constitute an Animal Market Committee for each district for the management of animal markets in the district, with the following members, namely:-

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| 1. Additional District Magistrate | - Chairman |
| 2. District A.H. & Veterinary Officer | - Member |
| 3. CEO, Municipal Board | - Member |
| 4. Extra Assistant Commissioner to be nominated by Deputy Commissioner | - Member |
| 5. Sub-Inspector to be nominated by Superintendent of Police | - Member |
| 7. Range Forest Officer to be nominated by Divisional Forest Officer | - Member |
| 8. AH and Veterinary Officer to be nominated by Director AH and Veterinary | - Member Secretary |
| 9. A Representative of SPCA | - Member |
| 10. Two representatives from Animal Welfare Organisation recognised by the Sate Animal Welfare Board and as approved by the State Government | - Non-official members |

Functions of Animal Market Committee:-

- a) To make a list of animal markets functional prior to the commencement of these rules.
- b) Identify suitable location and develop blueprint of the animal market.
- c) To ensure compliance of provisions of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Regulation of Livestock Markets) Rules, 2017.
- d) To discharge duties as enshrined under Rules, 18 to Rule 25 of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Regulation of Livestock Markets) Rules, 2017.
- e) The Member Secretary shall ensure compliance of these rules.
- f) Five members shall form the quorum for the meeting of the Committee.

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(G.H.P. Raju, IPS)

Principal Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya
A.H & Veterinary Department

Copy to:-

1. P.S. to the Chief Minister of Meghalaya for kind information of Hon'ble Chief Minister.
2. P.S. to the Minister I/c A.H & Veterinary Department, Meghalaya for kind information of Hon'ble Minister.
3. P.S to the Chief Secretary of Meghalaya for kind information of the Chief Secretary.
4. P.S to the Additional Chief Secretary to Government of Meghalaya Home (Police) Department for kind information of the Additional Chief Secretary.
5. P.S to the Commissioner & Secretary to Government of Meghalaya, Forests and Environment Department for kind information of the Commissioner & Secretary.
6. All the Deputy Commissioners, Meghalaya for information and necessary action.
7. All the Superintendent of Police, Meghalaya for information and necessary action.
8. The Director, A.H & Veterinary, Meghalaya, Shillong for information and necessary action.
9. All the District A.H & Veterinary Officers, Meghalaya for information and necessary action.
10. CEO Municipal Board, Shillong/Jowai/Tura/Baghmara/Resubelpara/
11. The Director, Printing and Stationary, Meghalaya Shillong with a request to publish in Meghalaya Gazette
- ✓ 12. State Informatics Officer/Senior System Analyst NIC, Meghalaya, Shillong with a request to place this notification in the Government website.

By orders etc.,

Deputy Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya
A.H & Veterinary Department
