

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT**

NOTIFICATION

Dated Shillong the 5th September, 2023

No SW (S) 77/90/Pt II/149: In pursuance of Section 6 of the Drug Reduction Elimination and Action Mission (DREAM) policy, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to constitute the **District Mission Steering Group (DMSG)** for a term of three years with effect from the date of issue of this Notification and until further orders, with the following members.

Sl. No.	Official Members	
1.	District Magistrate/ Deputy Commissioners	Chairperson
2.	District Social Welfare Officer	Member Secretary
3.	Superintendent of Police	Member
4.	District Commandant Home Guards	Member
5.	District Medical & Health Officer	Member
6.	General Manager, District Commerce & Industries Centre	Member
7.	District School Education Officer	Member
8.	Deputy Labour Commissioner	Member
9.	District Public Relations Officer	Member
10.	Superintendent of Excise	Member
11.	District Sports Officer	Member
12.	Secretary, District Legal Service Authority (DLSA)	Member
13.	Block Development Officer	Member

Sl. No.	Non Official Members	
1.	1 NGOs & Voluntary Organisation Working in the field of Drug Abuse	Member
2.	1 Youth Organisation	Member
3.	1 Women Organisation	Member
4.	2 Faith Based Organisations	Member
5.	Representative of Drug User's Forum/Network	Member

NOTE: Deputy Commissioner may nominate members from Sl.No. 1 to 5

PERIODICITY OF THE MEETING:

The District Mission Steering Group would meet once in every month

FUNCTIONS OF THE COMMITTEE

- (i) Ensure effective implementation of the Drug Reduction Elimination and Action Mission (DREAM) in the District
- (ii) Ensure submission of the District Plan and seek approval from the State Mission Steering Group (SMSG)
- (iii) Focus on inter-sectoral Coordination and Collaboration amongst various line department and Stakeholders in dealing with the problem of drug abuse.
- (iv) Review and Monitor activities implemented at the District Level.
- (v) To suggest ways and means for increasing awareness and imparting Preventive Education, supportive activities for the family, schools and localities to curb the spread of drug abuse.
- (vi) To suggest ways and means of involving Voluntary Civic Organisation, Parents, Teachers and other Community Based Organisations in Drug Control Programmes.
- (vii) To suggest appropriate measures for mobilizing society for effective control of illicit narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances.
- (viii) To recommend suitable measures to encourage and assist officials and non-official agencies devoted to this field.

Sd/-

Sampath Kumar, IAS
Principal Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya,
Social Welfare Department.

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Copy to:-

1. The Private Secretary to the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Meghalaya for favour of kind information of the Hon'ble Chief Minister.
2. The Private Secretary to the Hon'ble Speaker, Meghalaya Legislative Assembly for favour of kind information of the Hon'ble Speaker.
3. The Private Secretary to the Hon'ble Leader of Opposition, Meghalaya Legislative Assembly for favour of kind information of the Hon'ble Leader of Opposition.
4. The Private Secretary to the Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister of Meghalaya for favour of kind information of the Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister
5. The Private Secretary to the Hon'ble Minister i/c, Social Welfare Department for favour of kind information of the Hon'ble Minister.
6. The Private Secretary to the Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya for favour of kind information of the Chief Secretary.
7. The Director of Social Welfare, Meghalaya, Shillong for kind information with reference to letter No SW/SD/13/2020/Vol I/3297 dated 20.07.2023.
8. All Members concerned.
9. The Director of Printing & Stationery, Meghalaya, Shillong with a request to publish the Notification in the next issue of the Meghalaya Gazette.
10. The Senior Informatics Officer, National Informatics Centre, Meghalaya, Shillong with a request to upload the Notification in the Department's website.

By Orders etc.,


Joint Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya,
Social Welfare Department.