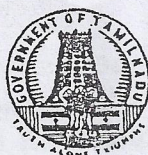


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Abstract

Social Defence – Integrated Child Protection Scheme - Constitution of Block Level Child Protection Committee under Integrated Child Protection Scheme to recommend and monitor the implementation of child protection services at block level – Orders -Issued.

Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme (SW 8) Department

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Read.

From the Principal Secretary / Special Commissioner of Social Defence, letter No.7913/D1/2009, dated 08.02.2011

ORDER:

As per the guidelines of the Integrated Child Protection Scheme every block (ward in a city) shall have a Child Protection Committee under the Chairpersonship of the block / ward level elected representative (Head of the Block Committee) with the Block Development Officers (BDOs) as the Member Secretary and other Members to recommend and monitor the implementation of child protection services at block level. The committee could include a member of the District Child Protection Society, one Integrated Child Development Scheme functionary, representatives of education and health departments, Chairpersons of the Village Level Child Protection Committees as well as respected community members and civil society representatives.

2. In pursuance to above, the Principal Secretary / Special Commissioner of Social Defence in the letter read above has sent proposal for constitution of Block Level Child Protection Committee to recommend and monitor the implementation of child protection services at block level with the following composition:-

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| (i) | Block / Ward Level Elected Representative | Chairperson |
| (ii) | Block Development Officers (BDOs) | Member Secretary |
| (iii) | A representative from the District Child Protection Unit | Member |
| (iv) | One Integrated Child Development Scheme Functionary | Member |
| (v) | Assistant Elementary Education Officer | Member |
| (vi) | Medical Officer, Primary Health Centre | Member |
| (vii) | 3 Chairpersons of the Village Level Child Protection Committees | Members |
| (viii) | 2 representatives of the active Non-Governmental Organisation | Members |
| (ix) | 3 members of Self-Help Group active in the block (to be identified by the Self-Help Group) | Members |

She has also stated that the Committee shall meet as and when required and atleast once in three months to recommend and monitor the implementation of child protection services at block level and the District Collectors shall be made responsible for the constitution and over-all functioning of these committees. She has requested the Government to issue orders for constitution of Block Level Child Protection Committee.

3. After careful examination, the Government accept the proposal of the Principal Secretary / Director of Social Defence and hereby constitutes the Block Level Child Protection Committee under Integrated Child Protection Scheme to recommend and monitor the implementation of child protection services at block level with the following composition:-

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|--------|--|------------------|
| (i) | Block level Panchayat Union elected Chairman | Chairperson |
| (ii) | Block Development Officers (BDOs) | Member Secretary |
| (iii) | A representative from the District Child Protection Unit | Member |
| (iv) | One Integrated Child Development Scheme Functionary | Member |
| (v) | Assistant Elementary Education Officer | Member |
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| (vii) | 3 Chairpersons of the Village Level Child Protection Committees | Members |
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4. The Committee shall meet as and when required and at least once in three months to recommend and monitor the implementation of child protection services at block level and the District Collectors shall be responsible for the constitution and overall functioning of these committees.

(By order of the Governor)

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Principal Secretary to Government.

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All District Collectors.

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