



GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT TASHILING, GANGTOK – 737101

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NOTIFICATION

In pursuance of section 26 of the Surrogacy (Regulation) Act, 2021, the State Government is hereby pleased to constitute the State Assisted Reproductive Technology and Surrogacy Board, consisting of the following members, namely:-

1. Composition:-

1.	Hon'ble Minister, Health and Family Welfare Department, Government of Sikkim	Chairperson, Ex-officio
2.	Commissioner-cum-Secretary, Health and Family Welfare Department	Vice-Chairperson, Ex-Officio
3.	Secretary, Women and Child Development Department	Member, Ex-Officio
4.	Secretary, Social Justice and Welfare Department	Member, Ex-Officio
5.	Secretary, Law and Parliamentary Affairs Department	Member, Ex-Officio
6.	Secretary, Home Department	Member, Ex-Officio
7.	Director General Health Services, Health and Family Welfare Department	Member, Ex-Officio
8.	Smt. Sunita Gazmer, Hon'ble Member, Sikkim Legislative Assembly	Member, Ex-Officio
9.	Smt. Farwanti Tamang, Hon'ble Member, Sikkim Legislative Assembly	Member, Ex-Officio
10.	Ms. Raj Kumari Thapa, Hon'ble Member, Sikkim Legislative Assembly	Member, Ex-Officio
11.	Dr. Ritu Nath Deokota, Principal Chief Consultant(Retired), STNM Hospital, Sochakgang (an eminent gynaecologist and obstetrician)	Expert Member
12.	Dr. Neeti Nepal, Former President, Inner Wheel Club of Gangtok (a representative of woman welfare organization)	Expert Member
13.	Mr. Khush Kumari Subba, Secretary, ASHI (a representative from civil society working on women's health and child issues)	Expert Member
14/	Dr. Anita Bhutia, Additional Director Health Services, Health and Family Welfare Department	Member Secretary, Ex-officio

2. TERMS OF REFERENCE

The terms of reference of the State Assisted Reproductive Technology and Surrogacy Board shall be as under, namely:-

- (a) The Board shall function as specified under section 26 of the Surrogacy (Regulation) Act, 2021.
- The State Assisted Reproductive Technology and Surrogacy Board shall also function as the Board for the purpose of the Assisted Reproductive Technology (Regulation) Act, 2021 as per section 6 of the said Act.

By Order and in the name of the Governor.

(V.B.Pathak, IAS)
Chief Secretary
Government of Sikkim
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