MOST IMPORTANT/ COURT MATTER/ PERSONSAL ATTENTION

Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Bilaspur, District Bilaspur H.P.

No. 1-63/2021-Wel-BLS-Transgender-913-993

Dated: - 21-04-2023

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To

1. Superintendent of Police, Bilaspur

2. Director, AIIMS, Bilaspur

Addl. Deputy Commissioner, Bilaspur

Registrar, District & Session Court, Bilaspur

Secretary, District Legal Services Authority, Bilaspur Director, Fisheries, District Bilaspur

Chief Conservator of Forest, Bilaspur District Attorney, Bilaspur

All SDMs in District Bilaspur

10. Regional Transport Officer, Bilaspur

11. Chairman, Temple Trust, Shri Naina Devi Ji, District Bilaspur

12. AC to DC, Bilaspur

13. Land Acquisition Officer, Bilaspur

14. Superintending Engineer, HPPWD Circle, Bilaspur

Superintending Engineer, Jal Shakn Circle, Bilaspur
 Superintending Engineer, HPSEBL Circle, Bilaspur

17. Chief Medical Officer, Bilasput

18. Medical Superintendent, Zonal Hospital, Bilaspur

19. Project Officer, DRDA, Bilaspur

20. Deputy Director, Higher Education, Bilaspur

21. Deputy Director, Elementary Education, Bilaspur

22. Deputy Director, Horticulture, Bilaspur

23. Deputy Director, Animal Husbandry, Bilaspur

24. Deputy Director, Agriculture, Bilaspur

 District Tourism Development Officer, Mandi-Bilaspur, District Mandi H.P.

26. District Panchayat Officer, Bilaspur

27. District Language Officer, Bilaspur

28. District Revenue Officer, Bilaspur

29. Assistant Commissioner, Excise and Taxation, Bilaspur

30. Project Officer, Himurja, Bilaspur

31. District Food and Civil Supplies Controller, Bilaspur

32. Assistant Registrar Cooperative Societies, Bilaspur

33. General Manager, DIC, Bilaspur

34. General Manager, NTPC, Bilaspur

35. General Manager, ACC, Barmana, Bilaspur

36. Divisional Manager, HRTC, Bilaspur

37. District Treasury Officer, Bilaspur

38. District Programme Officer(ICDS), Bilaspur

39. District Welfare Officer, Bilaspur

40. All Principals Govt. Degree Colleges in District Bilaspur . Churramen

41. District Informatics Officer, Bilaspur

42. District Statistical Officer, Bilaspur

43. District Planning Officer, Bilaspur

44. District Sainik Welfare Officer, Bilaspur

45. Executive Officer, Municipal Council, Bilaspur/Shri Naina Devi Ji/ Ghumarwin/Talai

46. District Youth Services & Sports Officer, Bilaspur

47. District Ayurveda Officer, Bilaspur

48. District Child Protection Officer, Bilaspur

49. Principal, Hydro Engineering College, Bilaspur

50. District Employment Officer, Bilaspur

51. District Labour Officer, Bilaspur

52. Executive Engineer, HIMUDA, Bilaspur

53. Lead Bank Manager, UCO Bank, Bilaspur

54. District Manager, HP SC, ST Development Corporation, Bilaspur

55. Divisional Engineer, BSNL, Bilaspur

56. All Principals of Government ITIs in District Bilaspur

57. Secretary, Red Cross Society, Bilaspur

Subject:

Regarding judgment dated 15.04.2014 in the Writ Petition (Civil) No. 400/212 filed by National Legal Services Authority Vs Union of India and Ors.

Sir/Madam,

On the subject cited above kindly find enclosed herewith a copy of the letter no.SJE-A-F(4)-3/2013 Dated 27.03.2023 received from the office of Secretary, Social Justice & Empowerment to the Government of Himachal Pradesh Shimla-02 vide which compliance regarding Judgment of 15.04.2014 delivered by the Honble Supreme Court of India regarding issues related to the transgender community (copy available on https://main.sci.gov.in/jonew/judis/41411.pdf) and Recommendations of the Expert Committee on the issues relating to Transgender Persons 27.01.2014 (copy available on https://socialjustice.gov.in/writereaddata/UploadFile/Binder2.pdf) have been sought.

In this context, it is requested to kindly go through the contents of the judgment dated 15.04.2014 as well as the recommendations of the Expert Committee dated 27.01.2014 and to ensure adequate steps to prohibit discrimination in any government or private organization, private and public educational institution under your preview. Ensure equitable access to Social and Public spaces including burial grounds. Sensitization of institutions and establishments, create institutional and infrastructure facilities, including but not limited to, temporary shelters, short stay homes and accommodations, choice of male, female or separate wards in hospitals and washrooms in the establishment to protect the rights of Transgender persons. Department having mandate of Health, Education, Law & Order, Employment etc. to review and formulate schemes and programmes for the transgender persons in a manner to be transgender sensitive, non-stigmatizing and non-discriminatory to transgender persons.

As the matter is under consideration before Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, this may be given top priority and the action required at your level should be taken at earliest and the compliance report may be submitted to the office of undersigned within next 10 days, so that the compliance in this regard could further be sent to the government well in time.

This may be accorded "Top Priority" being Hon'ble Supreme Court Matter

Encl-As above.

Yours faithfully,

(Dr. Nidhi Patel, IAS)
Deputy Commissioner,
Bilaspur District Bilaspur H.P
Dated: 21-04-2023

Endst.No.-As above-Copy forwarded to;

1. The Secretary, Social Justice & Empowerment to the Government of Himachal Pradesh Shimla-02 for necessary information please.

2. The Divisional Commissioner, Mandi District Mandi for necessary information please.

(Dr. Nidhi Patel, IAS) Deputy Commissioner, Bilaspur District Bilaspur H.P

Most Immediate Supreme Court Matter No. SJE-A-F(4)-3/2013 Government of Himachat Pradesh Department of Tourism and Civil Aviation Secretary (SJE) to the Government of Himachul Pradesh All the Divisional Commissioner, H.P. All the Deputy Commissioner, H.P. "March, 2023 Dated Shimla-02, Regarding judgement dated 15.4,2014 in the Writ Peition (Civil) No. 400/2012 filed by National Legal Services Authority Subjecti-V/s Union of India and Ors. I am directed to refer to the subject cited above and to say that in Sig/Madam, pursuance to the judgement dated 15.04.2014 delivered by the Hon ble Supreme Court, an Expert Committee was constituted by the Ministry of SJ&E, Govt. of India to make an indepth study of the problems being faced by the Transgender Community and directed the Central and State Government to take various steps for the welfare of the Transgender Community. The Committee had suggested various measures to empliorate the conditions of Transgender persons and requested to examine the recommendations of the Expert Committee based on the legal declaration make in the above said judgement. The Recommendations of the Expert Committee are also available on Ministry's Website at http://socialiustice.nic.ip/-transgenderpersona.php. The copy of judgement dated 15 04 2014 has been sent through e-mail of the Department In this context, it is requested to kindly go through the contents of the judgement dated 15.04.2014 as well as the recommendations of the Expert Committee dated 27.01.2014 and to ensure adequate steps to prohibit discrimination in any Government or private organization, private and public educational institution under your preview. Ensure equitable access to Social and Public spaces including burial grounds. Sensitization of institutions and establishments, create institutional and infrastructure facilities, including but not limited to, temporary shelters, short-stay homes and accommodation, choice of male, female or separate wards in hospitals and washrooms in the establishment to protect the rights of Transgender persons. Departments having mandate of Health, Education, Law and order, Employment etc. to review and formulate schemes and programmes for Transgender persons in a manner to be transgender sensitive, non-stigmatising and non-discriminatory to transgender persons. It is further, requested to kindly expedite the matter and send compliance report to this office at your earliest "This matter may be given Top Priority being Supreme Court Matter" Yours faithfully (Jeewan Singh) Joint Secretary (SJ&E) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh Ph. No. 0177-2880659

Important links

<u>National Portal For Transgender Persons</u> <u>Advisory for ensuring the welfare of Transgender Pers</u>ons