

GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT
DISPUR

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR

NOTIFICATION

No.SWD 449/2007/29 dated Dispur, the 12th September 2007. In continuation of this Deptt's earlier Notification No.SWD.64/2007/Pt. I/24, dtd. 31.8.2007 and No.SWD.64/2007/Pt.I/25, dated. 31.8.2007 and in pursuant to orders of the Hon'ble High Court dtd. 31.8.2007 in connection with PIL No.76/2007 regarding 3% reservation of Disabled persons in the Anganwadi workers and Helpers under PWD Act 1995. The Governor of Assam is pleased to include the following in the said guidelines:

1. 3% reservation of the service of Anganawadi workers and Helpers in 2007 newly created Anganawadi centres are to be implemented ICDS project wise out of total Anganawadi centres.
2. The selection committee of Anganawadi workers and Helpers is to be given responsibility to select the persons with disability against the reserved quota subject to availability of such persons within the project area and also stating the condition that the Anganawadi workers and Helpers must be from the Anganawadi centre areas.
3. The Selection committees should select persons with disabilities from following categories of disabilities only.
 - a) Blindness of low vision
 - b) Hearing impairment
 - c) Locomotor disability

Selection committee should select persons with such degree of disabilities such that therein duties and responsibilities as Anganawadi workers and Helpers are not likely to be effected.

4. In case such suitable disable persons are not available, candidates under general stream may be selected and engaged.
5. In an Anganawadi centre only either the Anganawadi workers and Helpers to be selected from disable persons.
6. Only those disabled persons duly certified by Authority under PWD Act will be eligible for benefit of reservation under the Act.

Commissioner & Secy. to the Govt. of Assam
Social Welfare Department, Dispur
Dated Dispur the 12th September, 2007.

Memo No.SWD449/2007/29-A.

Copy to:

1. *The PS to Minister, Social Welfare Assam, Dispur.*
2. *The PS to Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Dispur.*
3. *The Director Social Welfare Assam, Guwahati-1 for kind information & necessary action. accordingly with reference to his U/O No.DSW(LC)155/2007 dt. 3.8.2007.*
4. *The All Deputy Commissioner for information and necessary action.*
5. *The All Programme Officer Divisional ICDS Cell for information and necessary action.*