

GOVT OF ASSAM A.H & VETERINARY DEPARTMENT JANATA BHAWAN, DISPUR, GUWAHATI-6

Dated: Dispur, the 9th June 2020

NOTIFICATION

No.: VFV364/2018/84: In supersession of this Department's earlier Notification No. VFV.62/2002/pt/35 dated Dispur, the 15th February, 2014 and in the same line as that of the Animal Welfare Board of India constituted under the provisions of the Prevention of Cruelty of Animals Act, 1960, the Governor of Assam is pleased to re-constitute the State Animal Welfare Board comprising the following officials and non-officials as the Members of the Board.

CLNO	Members of the Board	Designation
SI No.	Handleton Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Deptt., Govt. of Assam	Ex-Officio Chairperson
2	Principal Secretary/Commissioner& Secretary, A.H. & Vetermany, Gov. of	Ex-Officio Member
2	Painting Secretary/Commissioner& Secretary(Home), Govt. of Assam	Ex-Officio Member
3	Principal Secretary/Commissioner& Secretary (Finance), Govt. of Assam Principal Secretary/ Commissioner& Secretary (Finance), Govt. of Assam	Ex-Officio Member
5	Principal Secretary/Commissioner & Secretary (Forest & Environment),Govt. of Assam	Ex-Officio Member
6	Principal Secretary/ Commissioner & Secretary (Transport), Govt. of Assam	Ex-Officio Member
7	Commissioner & Secretary, Transformation & Rural Development, Govt. of Assam	Ex-Officio Member
	Dean, College of Veterinary Sciences, AAU, Khanapara, Guwahati-22	Ex-Officio Member
9	Director, A.H. & Veterinary Deptt. Assam	Member Secretary
	Registrar, State Veterinary Council, Assam	Ex-Officio Member
10	The Director, Municipal Administration, Govt. of Assam	Ex-Officio Member
11	Chief Conservator of Forest (Wildlife) Govt. of Assam	Ex-Officio Member
12	Director General of Police, Assam	Ex-Officio Member
13	Director, Higher Education, Govt. of Assam	Ex-Officio Member
15	Dr Arun Sarma, District A.H & Veterinary Officer, Kamrup	Nominated Members
16	Secretary, Blue Cross Society, College of Vety. Science, Khanapara, Guwahati-22.	Nominated Members
17	Three Representatives of Gaushalas	Nominated Members
	 A) Secretary, Assam Go Seva Samiti, Gakul, Bashishtha, Guwahati-29 B) Secretary, Shree Gauhati Gaushala Athgaon, Guwahati C) Secretary, Nagaon Gaushala, Nagaon 	
18	Two persons to represent SPCA A) Member Secretary District SPCA, Kamrup. B) Member Secretary, District SPCA, Nalbari	Nominated Members

The terms of reference are as follows:

- a. To advise the state Government on measures to prevent unnecessary pain or suffering of animal generally and more particular when they are being transported from one place to another or when they are used as performing animals or when they are kept in captivity or confinement.
- b. To advise the Government or any local authority or other person on improvements in the design of vehicles to lessen the urban or draught animals.
- c. To take all such steps for amelioration of animals by encouraging the construction of sheds, water-troughts and like and by providing for Veterinary assistance to animals.

- d. To advice the Government or any local authority or other person in the design of slaughter-houses or in connection with slaughter of animals so that necessary pain or suffering, whether physical or mental is eliminated in the pre-slaughter stages as far as possible and animals are killed, wherever necessary in as humane manner as possible.
- e. To take all such steps to ensure that unwanted animals are destroyed by local authorities whenever it is necessary to do so instantaneously or after being rendered insensible to pain or suffering.
- f. To encourage the formation or establishment of pinjrapoles, rescue homes, animals shelters and like where animals are animals and bird may find a shelter.
- g. To cooperate with the works of association established for the purpose of preventing unnecessary paying or suffering of animals.
- h. To encourage formation of animal welfare organization in any local area and to guide them in their working.
- i. To advise the Government matters relating to medical care and attention which may be provided in animal hospitals.
- To advise the Government on any matter connected with animal welfare or the prevention of infliction of unnecessary pain or suffering on animals.

Sd/- (Secretary to the Govt. of Assam,IAS)
Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Department. Dispur.
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Memo:No. VFV364/2018/84-A Copy to:

- PS to Hon'ble Minister, Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Deptt., Govt. of Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-6 for kind appraisal of the Hon'ble Minister.
- 2. The Staff Officer to the Chief Secretary, Govt. of Assam for kind information.
- 3. The Secretary, Animal Welfare Board of India, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry & Dairying, Govt. of India, Deptt. of Animal Husbandry & Dairying, NAIW campus,42 Mile stone, Delhi Agra Highway NH-2, Ballabhgarh, Haryana-121004 for kind information.
- 4. PS to Principal Secretary/Commissioner& Secretary(Home),Govt. of Assam
- 5. PS to Principal Secretary/ Commissioner& Secretary (Finance), Govt. of Assam
- 6. Ps to Principal Secretary/Commissioner & Secretary (Forest & Environment), Govt. of Assam
- 7. Ps to Principal Secretary/ Commissioner & Secretary (Transport), Govt. of Assam
- 8. PS to Commissioner & Secretary, T & RD, Govt. of Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-6
- 9. Dean, College of Veterinary Sciences, AAU, Khanapara, Guwahati-22
- 10. Director, A.H. & Vety. Deptt. Assam, Chenikuthi, So welet, 3
- 11. Registrar, State Veterinary Council, Assam
- 12. Director, Municipal Administration, Govt. of Assam
- 13. Chief Conservator of Forest (Wildlife) Govt. of Assam
- 14. Director General of Police, Assam
- 15. Director, Higher Education, Govt. of Assam
- Secretary, Assam Go Seva Samiti, Gakul, Bashishtha, Guwahati-29
- 17. Secretary, Shree Gauhati Gaushala Athgaon, Guwahati
- 18. Secretary, Nagaon Gaushala, Nagaon
- 19. District A.H. & Veterinary Officer, Kamrup & Member Secretary, District SPCA, Kamrup.
- 20. District A.H. & Veterinary Officer, Nalbari & Member Secretary, District SPCA, Nalbari
- 21. Secretary, Blue Cross Society, College of Vety. Science, Khanapara, Guwahati-22.
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By order etc.

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