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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Social Welfare (B) Department

NOTIFICATION

G. O. (P) No. 2/09/SWD. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 14th January, 2009.

**S. R. O. No. 28/2009.**—in exercise of the powers conferred by Rule 91 of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Rules, 2007 issued by Government of India, (Ministry of Women and Child Development) the Government of Kerala hereby constitute the Selection Committee with the members mentioned in the schedule below, for exercising the powers and discharging the duties conferred on such committee under the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000 (Central Act 56 of 2000) and the above said Rules, namely:—

SCHEDULE

- (1) Justice K. John Mathew ..... Chairperson  
 (Rtd. Judge of Hon'ble  
 High Court of Kerala),  
 Kattappurath, Veekshanam Road,  
 Kochi-18.

324939 (2) The Director of Social Welfare,  
Thiruvananthapuram

Member Secreta.,

23249  
32 (3) General Secretary,  
Kerala State Council for Child Welfare,  
Thycaud P. O.,  
Thiruvananthapuram.

Member

84611  
4098 (4) Fr. Philip Parakatt,  
Director, Don Bosco Veedu Society,  
(Childline Nodal Agency),  
Thiruvananthapuram.

Member

89529  
1767 (5) Smt. Meena-Kuruvila,  
Project Co-ordinator,  
Adoption Co-ordinating Agency,  
Raja Giri College of Social Sciences,  
Kalamassery, Ernakulam.

Member

x (6) Sri A. Suhruth Kumar,  
Senior Lecturer,  
Government Law College,  
Thiruvananthapuram.

Member

337589  
320509 (7) Smt. P. K. Sainaba,  
Member,  
Kerala Women's Commission,  
Thiruvananthapuram.

Member

By order of the Governor,

DR. USHA TITUS,  
Secretary to Government.

**Explanatory Note**

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

Rule 91 of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Rules, 2007 issued by Government of India, Ministry of Women and Child Development as per notification dated 26th October, 2007 in exercise of the powers conferred under section 68 (1) of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000 (Central Act 56 of 2000), empowers the State Government to constitute a Selection Committee by notification in the official Gazette, for a period of five years for exercising the powers and discharging the duties conferred on it by the said Act and Rules. Hon'ble High Court of Kerala vide Judgement in W. P. (C) No. 28481 of 2008 dated 4-11-2008 has directed the Government to constitute the Selection Committee within the stipulated time. Hence the Government have decided to constitute the Selection Committee in the State.

This notification is intended to achieve the above object.