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Madam,

Sub: SJD – Directorate – RTI Act 2005 – Implementation of NALSA Judgement –
reply furnishing reg.

Ref: Your application reg RTI act 2005

Kind attention is invited to the reference cited. As per request the details regarding the implementation of NALSA judgement is given below.

1. Yes
2. (a) The Transgender Justice Board is competent to monitor and oversee the implementation of transgender policy in the state.
- (b) Ensure convergence of existing schemes across department for a more targeted and focused approach towards well – being of transgender community.
- (c) Issue guidelines as necessary to ensure equality and equity of transgenders.
- (d) Ensure that sufficient and quality development projects, programmes and schemes are formulated and adequate funds are allocated for effective implementation of transgender policy.
- (e) Facilitate awareness programmes in association with NGOs and community based organisations to sensitize public.

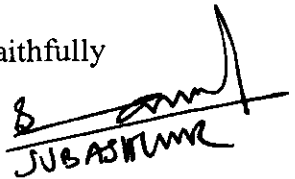
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3. Board can certify an individual as transgender persons based on their self declaration.
4. only self declaration is required to certify an individual as transgender person. If necessary district committee can constitute a screening committee for the verification of the application of gender identity card. The screening committee should be a sub committee of district committee chaired by District Medical Officer, Psychologist, Psychiatrist, CBO representative and 4 representatives from the transgender community as members.

Appellate Authority

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Yours faithfully



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