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NOTIFICATION

No. A. 33024/1/91-RD(TRG)Pt. II, the 21st August, 2000. The Governor of Mizoram is pleased to constitute the Governing Body of the State Institute of Rural Development, Mizoram with the following members with immediate effect and until further orders :—

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| 1. Commissioner & Secretary, Rural Dev. Deptt. | Chairman |
| 2. Joint Commissioner/Director, Rural Dev. | Member |
| 3. Director, NIRD, NERC, Guwahati | Member |
| 4. Director, ARI, Aizawl | Member |
| 5. Project Director, SLMC & IAC | Member |
| 6. Director, SIRD, Mizoram | Member Secretary |

2. FUNCTIONS AND POWERS OF GOVERNING BODY :

The Governing Body of SIRD shall function under the Supervision and guidance of the State Level Advisory Committee of SIRD and exercise the powers to :—

- 1) Approve the Budget proposals of the SIRD.
- 2) To receive and to have custody of the funds of the Institute and to manage the properties of the Institute.
- 3) Exercise all financial powers of the State Finance Department within the sanctioned Budget.
- 4) Receive and approve the Audited Accounts/Annual Report of the Institute.
- 5) Create such category and number of posts as required by the Institute within the sanctioned budget and to act as the appointing and disciplinary authority for all categories of employees of the institute.
- 6) Approve policy guidelines regarding nature of Training and Research programmes.

- 7) Approve the exact number of courses to be run during the Calendar Year.
- 8) Approve the basic trust of Research Programmes of the institute.
- 9) Accept the management of any Trust, fund and subscription of donations, provided that it is not accepted on any condition inconsistent or in conflict with the objectives of the institute.
- 10) To sue and defend all legal proceedings on behalf of the Institute.
- 11) Enter for and on behalf of the Institute into agreements including those containing arbitration clauses.
- 12) Seek affiliation with Universities or Research Organisations to enable grant of Degrees or Certificates to its fellowship holders.
- 13) Enter into exchange programme with foreign Universities and Research Organisations with the explicit approval of the State Govt.
- 14) Approve development expansion of the Institute.
- 15) Lay down terms and conditions governing scholarships, deputations, grants-in-aid, research schemes and projects.
- 16) To nominate a person or persons to represent the Institute in National and International Conference and Organisations.
- 17) To borrow money from Financial Institutions on behalf of the Institute with prior approval of the State Govt.

3. The Governing Body may, by resolution, delegate the Director, SIRD, such of its powers for the conduct of business as it may deem fit. Powers so delegated to him shall be subject to confirmation at the next meeting of the Executive Council.

Haukhum Hauzel,
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Rural Development Department.