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#### NOTIFICATION

No. C. 18013/2/91-FST, the 19th September, 2002. The Governor of Mizoram is pleased to accord sanction to the following Scheme for the grant of Ex-gratia relief to person who on application claims relief on account of damage caused by Wild Animals as defined in Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 (53 of 1972) to himself or member of his family or dependents or his own cattle or crop on the following conditions and rates mentioned below. These orders will come into force with immediate effect :-

1. (i) In case of death of human beings — Rs. 1,00,000/-
- (ii) In case of permanent disability to human beings. — Rs. 1,00,000/-
- (iii) In case of injury to human beings — Actual cost of treatment.
- (iv) Compensation ingrevious injuries to human being. The relief against claim (i), (ii) & (iii) above, shall not be admissible if the attack is inside the wildlife Protected Areas i.e. Wildlife Sanctuary, National Park and Tiger Reserve. — 11/3rd of the amount fixed for case of death/permanent incapacitation.
- (v) Loss of buffalo, Cow, Ox and Mule  
(A) In the shed — Rs. 5,000/-  
(B) In the jungle outside wildlife Protected Areas. — Rs. 2,500/-
- (vi) Loss of Goat, Pig, Sheep  
(A) In shed — Rs. 2,000/-  
(B) In the Jungle outside wildlife Protected Areas. — Rs. 1,000/-

- (vii) Relief for the damage caused to paddy crop. This relief will be admissible for damage to W.R.C/permanent cultivation and any damage in shifting cultivation areas. Upto maximum of Rs. 2,000/- per ha. if entire crop is damaged.

11. (i) Production of postmortem report in case of loss of human life or injury/disability certificate alongwith details of cost of treatment from the competent Medical Officer of the Government of Mizoram as the case may be.
- (ii) All cases of damage done by the wild animals should be reported by the applicant to the nearest Range Officer of the Environment and Forest Department within five days of the incident. The verification of loss that the same was actually caused by wild animals will be done by the President Village Council/and Range Officer or Deputy Ranger or Forester or Forest Guard within a period of 10 days of the occurrence of the incident.
- (iii) Further, the claims of relief shall be filed in the prescribed form of application alongwith relevant supporting documents within a month of the occurrence of the incident to the concerned D.C.F/D.F.O. All such cases are to be examined as per guidelines issued by the Forest Department.
- (iv) All Divisional Forest Officers in Mizoram shall be the final authority to sanction cases of claim on account of losses by the Wild animals up to Rs. 2,000/- in each case and all Conservator of Forests in Mizoram/Chief Wildlife Warden shall be the final authority to sanction such cases of relief beyond Rs. 2,000/- in each case.
- (v) The relief shall be granted in case of loss of cattle to the owner of the Cattle.
- (vi) The relief in the case of loss of the human being shall be granted in the order of preference given below :-
- (a) Wife or Husband, as the case may be.
  - (b) Sons, unmarried or divorced daughters and children of Predeceased son (Equal share)
  - (c) Daughters (Equal share)
  - (d) Grand children being children of sons or daughters who died before him (Equal share)
  - (e) Father or Mother
  - (f) Failing all above any other next of kin entitled to a share in the estate
  - (g) Brother or Sister or children of the deceased person, (Equal share)

By order,

Vanhela Pachuau,  
Secretary to the Govt. of Mizoram,  
Environment & Forests Department.

ANNEXURE-I**FORM OF APPLICATION FOR COMPENSATION**

To

The Divisional Forest Officer,  
----- Forest Division.

I, ----- son/daughter/wife/ widow of -----  
residing at ----- having been injured hereby apply for the grant  
of compensation for the injury/loss sustained by the attack of wild animals.

Necessary particular in respect of injury, loss of property, etc. are given  
below

I, ----- son/daughter/wife/widow of -----  
residing at ----- hereby apply as a legal representative/ agent for  
the grant of compensation on account of death/injury/sustained by Pi/Pu -----  
----- son/daughter/wife/widow of Pi/Pu ----- who died  
incapacitated/injured by the attack of wild animals.

Necessary particulars in respect of the deceased/injured are given below-

1. Name and address of the applicant :
2. Name of the person/injured/dead :
3. Relationship with the deceased/injured :
4. Full address of the person injured/dead :
5. Age of the person injured/dead
6. Occupation of the person injured/dead :
7. Place, date and time of the accident :
8. Name & Address of Police Station in whose  
jurisdiction the accident took place or was  
registered :
9. Was the person in respect of whom :  
compensation is claimed residing or  
moving about in forest land ? If so,  
location and time of the incident.
10. Nature of injuries/loss sustained :
11. Name & Address of the Medical Officer :  
if any, who attended on the injured/dead.
12. Period of treatment and expenditure :  
in any, incurred thereon (to be supported  
documentary evidence).
13. Disability for work, if any caused :
14. Brief description of the wild animals :  
& nature of encounter
15. Address of the custodian/forest officer :  
in charge of the forests
16. Address of the village officer having  
jurisdiction

17. Address of the Beat Officer/Forester/ :  
Deputy Ranger having Jurisdiction.
18. Title to the property of the :  
deceased/injured.
19. Amount of compensation claimed :
20. Particulars of loss and expense :
21. Other particular, if any, which :  
the applicant wished to given.

I ----- solemnly declared that the particulars given above are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Place :  
Date :

Signature or the thumb impression  
of the applicant.

For office use  
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- A a) Loss of earning from ----- to :  
b) Partial loss of earning from ----- to :  
----- at the rate of Rs. ----- a day/week :  
c) Transport to Hospital and other incidental :  
expenses. :  
d) Extra nourishment, if any :  
e) Damage to clothing and articles :  
f) Other item, if any :  
g) Compensation for continuing on :  
permanent disability, if any :  
h) Compensation for pain and suffering :  
i) Compensation for the loss of earning power :  
TOTAL :
- B Whether the application is made within the :  
time limit prescribed :
- C 1) Whether the injured/deceased had been :  
involved in any other similar accident earlier :  
(in case he was, state details)
- 2) Whether the injured/deceased had preferred :  
a claim for damaged in any case earlier, if so :  
with what result ?

D Any other information that may be necessary :  
or helpful in the disposal of the claim  
(Here furnish a brief account of how the accident  
occured and state how the applicant is entitled to  
claim compensation and how the respondent is  
liable to pay the compensation claimed).

E Recommendation of the Reporting Officer. :

Place :

Date :

Signature with office Seal.