OFFICE OF THE STATE IMPLEMNTATION SOCIETY SAMAGRA SHIKSHA (Secondary), BABUPARA, IMPHAL WEST, MANIPUR

No. 5-5/IEDSS/SIS/RMSA/2016

Imphal, the 24th May, 2022

To,

Headmaster/ Headmistress/ Principals (of all High / Secondary/Hr. Secondary Schools) Manipur

Subject : Examination Accommodations Regd.-

Sir,

In inviting a reference on the above subject, I am to state that relevant notifications have been made by Board of Secondary Education, Manipur viz. Notification No. Ex/137/82(Pt) dated 9th February, 2022 and another notification by Council of Higher Education, Manipur (both copies enclosed) on Examination Accommodations for CWSN students studying in Class IX - XII. So, you are hereby requested to take relevant necessary measures like helping to identify CWSN students in your school, giving awareness, pasting on the school notice board etc so that your eligible students also get the benefit of the said Examination Accommodations.

Thanking You.

Enclosed: As stated above.

Yours Sincerely,

(Dr. A. Chinglenkhomba Meetei) ASPD Samagra Shiksha, Education (S) Manipur

Copy to :

- 1. The Commissioner, Education-S, Govt. of Manipur
- 2. The State Project Director, Samagra Shiksha, Manipur
- 3. The Director, Education-S, Manipur.
- 4. All ZEOs, Manipur
- 5. Guard file.

BOARD OF SCONDRY EDUCATION, MANIPUR

NOTIFICATION The 9th February, 2022

No. Ex/137/82 (Pt.) In pursuance of the state Project Director, Samagra Shiksha, Manipur vide its letter No. 5-5/IEDSS/SIS/RMSA/2016 dt. 03/02/2022, regarding accommodations offered to CWSN students (i.e. 21 different disabilities as per PWD Act, 2016), it is hereby notified for information of all concerned that the provisions and facilities being offered to the Children with Special Need (CWSN) vide Rule No. 13 and 14 of the regulations for HSLC Examination of Board of Secondary Education, Manipur are as under:-

SPECIFIC EXEMPTIONS / RELAXATIONS TO PERSONS WITH BENCHMARK DISABILITIES BY THE BOARD,

Notwithstanding anything contained in any other regulations, the BSEM shall have power, in the case of a person with exemptions / relaxations to :-A) Physical disability – Visual Impairment (Dia land)

- Physical disability Visual Impairment (Blind or low vision)
 - the visual Impairment disability (blind or low vision) examinees are allowed the facility of a writer for writing out the answer scripts. Any amanuensis must be of a lower grade in Academic qualification then that of the blind candidate. For a candidate of the HSLC Examination, the amanuensis must be of a student of Class IX or below.

The Officer -in-Charge of the Examination Centre concerned shall recommend the name of suitable amanuensis and forward the same immediately to the controller of Examinations of the BSEM giving full particulars of the amanuensis for his consideration and approval. In this connection, a prescribed forwarding letter will be supplied by the BSEM to the amanuensis.

2. After getting approval of Controller of Examinations, the Officer-in –Charge concerned shall arrange a separate suitable room for the blind candidate and the amanuensis and appoint one invigilator for that room.

- The candidate will be allowed 60 (sixty) minutes of extra time for each paper.
- 4. The amanuensis shall be paid by the Officer of the Board at the rate of Rs. 200/- per shift.
- 5. Separate/alternative question are prepared for Mathematics and Science subject.
- B) Physically Disability Hearing Impairment (Mute speech and language)
 - 1. For Deaf and Mute examinee one trained teacher of the school concerned is required to nominate as invigilator.
 - 2. The Officer-in-Charge shall arrange a separate suitable room for them.
 - The candidate will be allowed 60 (sixty) minutes of extra time for each paper.
- C) Multiple Disabilities (Differently abled candidate) caused by chronic neurological conditions & Blood disorder, Mental retardations, illness etc.
 - 1. The Officer-in-Charge shall arrange a separate suitable room for them.
 - The candidate will be allowed 60 (Sixty) minutes of extra time for each paper.
 - 3. Such candidate will not be allowed to use writer facility. One attendant is allowed in the room if he claims to be needed. But the condition will be decided after careful examination of the matter.
- D) The medical certificate issued by the following agencies/ organisations will be considered for granting concessions to Disabled Candidates.
 - 1. Disability Certificate (s) issued by Government hospitals controlled by either the Central or State Government from the Chief Medical Officer / Civil Surgeon / Medical Superintendent.
 - Disability certificate(s) issued by recognized institutions of national level.
 - 3. Disability Certificate(s) issued by Non-government Organisation / Practitioners registered with Rehabilitation Council of India/ Central Govt./State Govt. of the respective State.
 - 4. The disability certificate issued by the Competent authority at any place shall be accepted.
- E) Other general institutions / facilities
 - Answer book of candidates with Benchmark Disabilities are sent separately by the Centre concerned to the BSEM.

2. Request for such permission should be made by the candidate through the head of the institution with specific recommendation by the registered medical authority to the Board. It should be forwarded to the Controller of Examinations for considerations.

The Board after having examination will decide the matter. After approval by Controller of Examinations, the guardian shall submit the approval letter issued by the Controller of Examinations to the Officer-in-charge of the Examination centre concerned for doing the needful.

- At the time of submission of such request to the Controller of Examinations, the following documents are to be enclosed for reference.
 - a) One medical Certificate issued by Competent authority.
 - b) One Xerox copy of Admit Card of the forthcoming examination.

4) On the basis of the approval of the Controller of Examinations, the Officer-in-Charge concerned shall arrange a suitable room for the candidate. Beyond this process, the Board will not be responsible.

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(Dr. S. Mangijao Singh) Secretary

Copy to: -

- 1. The Commissioner, Education (S), Govt. of Manipur
 - 2. L. Nandakumar, State Project Director, Sanagra Shiksha, Manipur
 - 3. Additional State Project Director, Sanagra Shiksha Secondary
 - 4. The Chairman, Board of Secondary Education, Manipur
 - 5. The Controller of Examinations, Board of Secondary Education, Manipur
 - 6. Guard file.

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COUNCIL OF HIGHER SECONDARY EDUCATION MANIPUR

Imphal, the 9th February, 2022.

The State Project Director, Samagra Shiksha, Manipur.

Subject:- Notification regarding accommodations offered to CWSN students (i.e. 21 different disabilities as per PWD Act, 2016).

Sir,

To

With reference to the Letter No.5-5/IEDSS/SIS/RMSA/2016 dated 03-02-2022 of the Office of the State Implementation Society, Samagra Shiksha, Secondary, it is to state the Council of Higher Secondary Education, Manipur is already offering several concessions/accommodations to Children With Special Needs (CWSN) who are appearing in the Class XI or Higher Secondary Examinations conducted by the Council which are incorporated and notified under the Curriculum and Syllabus for Class XI & XII under the Scheme of Examination at Para 3.11. The relevant portion of the said concessions/accommodations offered by the Council is enclosed herewith for kind information.

It is further to state that the Council is minutely considering and deliberating upon the 43 (forty-three) concessions/accommodations mentioned in the Model CWSN Board Provisions enclosed in the Letter dated 03-02-2022 and fresh notification in this regard shall be issued at the earliest in order to fulfill the obligations under the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016.

Encl.: As stated above.

Yours faithfully;

(CH. BIREN SINGH) Secretary, Council of Hr. Sec. Edn., <u>Manipur.</u>

Copy to:-

- 1. The Chairman of the Council
- 2. Guard file.

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CURRICULUM AND SYLLABUS

COUNCIL OF HIGHER SECONDARY, MANIPUR

Under provision 3.11 Appointment of amanuensis (for blind/physically handicapped/spastic candidates)

- (a) Student who is reading at least a class lower than the candidate (for blind/ physically handicapped/spastic) who is appearing in the class XI or Higher Secondary Examination of the Council
- Secondary Examination of the Council may be appointed as Amanuensis. (b) The Head of the institution from where such a blind/physically handicapped/spastic candidate enrolled for the examination shall recommend a suitable amanuensis. He/she shall forward the recommendation for appointment of amanuensis along with a reading certificate from the Head of the institution where he/she is studying/ indicating the class in which the amanuensis is presently reading and 4(four) copies of his/her latest passport photographs to the office of the Controller of Examination on the Council at least10(ten) days before the commencement of the examination.
- (c) The Controller of Examination.
 (c) The Controller of Examination of the Council shall appoint amanuensis of such candidates and copies of such appointment letters shall be furnished to the officer-in-charge of the concerned centers of the examination, the candidate and the person appointed as amanuensis at least 5(five) days before the commencement of the examination
 (d) An additional time of the function
- (d) An additional time of 1 (one) hour shall be permitted to such candidates
 (e) No fee from the readiate
- (e) No fee from the candidate for using the amanuensis shall be charged and no remuneration for the amanuensis shall be given by the council.