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Sub:- Special Schemes & Development Programme for Persons with Disabilities

Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016(Central Act No.49 of 2016) published in the Official Gazette Govt. of Goa series 1 No.32 dated 9th Nov.2017 for strict compliance to all the Head of Department/Public Sector undertaken/Autonomous bodies of Corporation etc.

As per section 37 Special Schemes & Development Programmes for Persons with Disabilities.

1. Five percent reservation in allotment of agricultural land and housing in all relevant schemes and development programmes, with appropriate priority to women with benchmark disabilities.
2. Five percent reservation in all poverty alleviation and various developmental schemes with priority to women with,you have to appoint benchmark disabilities;
3. Five percent reservation in allotment of land on concessional rate, where such land is to be used for the purpose of promoting housing, shelter, setting up of occupation, business ,enterprise, recreation centres and production centres.

You are, therefore requested to reserve 5% reservation in schemes & Development Programme and give wide publicity to the scheme for Persons with Disabilities.

Yours Sincerely,

(S.V.Naik)
Director of Social Welfare &
Ex-Officio Jt. Secretary

To,
All the Heads of Departments/Offices