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To

- i). The Nodal Officer, Disaster Management of YAS Department, DYAS.
- ii). The Alternate Nodal Officer, Disaster Management of YAS Department, DYAS.
- iii). The Head of Office,  
North/ Unakoti/ Dhalai / Khowai /West/ Sepahijala / Gomati/South  
District Youth Affairs & Sports Office.
- iv). The Head of Office,  
Kanchanpur / Kumarghat / Panisagar / LTV / Kamalpur / Gandacherra /  
Teliamura/ Mohanpur/ Jirania / Bishalgarh / Jampuijala / Sonamura /  
Amarpur / Karbook / Santirbazar /Sabroom / Panisagar  
Sub-Divisional Youth Affairs & Sports Office.
- v). The State National Service Scheme Officer (SNO), DYAS.
- vi). The Secretary, Scout and Guide, DYAS

Subject: - Departmental Disaster Management Plan.

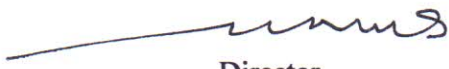
Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith the Departmental Disaster Management Plan, 2017-18 of the Education (Youth Affairs & Sports) Department, Govt. of Tripura for your awareness.

This is for your information and doing the needful please.

Yours faithfully

Enclosed: - As stated.

  
Director  
Youth Affairs & Sports  
Govt. of Tripura

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Copy also forwarded to the:

1. P.A to the Hon'ble Minister, YAS, Govt. of Tripura for kind information.
2. P.S to the Secretary, YAS, Govt. of Tripura for kind information.
3. Joint Secretary, Revenue Department, Govt. of Tripura for kind information.
4. Additional Director, YAS, Govt. of Tripura for kind information.

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# **DISASTER** **MANAGEMENT PLAN**

**Education (Youth Affairs  
And Sports) Department  
Government of Tripura**

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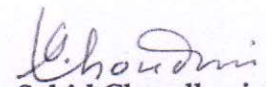


**MESSAGE FROM THE HON'BLE MINISTER,**  
**EDUCATION (YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS) DEPARTMENT**  
**GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA**

Disaster is a sudden, calamitous and unfortunate event that brings with it great damage, loss, destruction and devastation to human life as well as property and also hampers the ongoing development projects in the area affected by the disaster. Disasters can be manmade or natural, which are unpredictable most of the times. This includes Floods, Accidents, Earth Quakes, Cyclones, Tsunamis, Fire, Nuclear accidents etc.

Disaster Preparedness or Disaster Management Activities are aimed to minimize loss of life and damage in the event of a disaster. It is, therefore, very important for any government, community and the state to manage disasters by being prepared for it in advance. Preparedness is the only way of reducing the impact of disasters as most of the disasters are unpredictable and even if predicted, there is not much time to act. Other important aspects of Disaster Management are Mitigation, Rescue, Relief and Rehabilitation. Disaster Management aims to reduce the occurrence of Disasters and to reduce the impact of those that cannot be prevented.

It is indeed laudable that the Youth Affairs & Sports Department has come out with the Departmental Disaster Management Plan. The plan will provide a direction for the sizable workforce in the Department to carry out Disaster Management efforts in an effective and planned manner in the event of a Disaster.

  
**Sahid Choudhuri**

Hon'ble Minister,  
Education (Youth Affairs & Sports),  
Government of Tripura



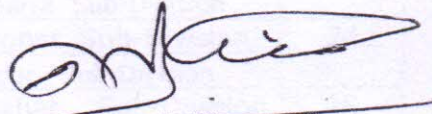
**MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY,**  
**EDUCATION (YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS) DEPARTMENT**  
**GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA**

Effective and efficient Disaster Management is of vital importance to the entire country, particularly the North Eastern Region (NER) which is one of the most disaster prone areas. Natural and manmade disasters which include Earthquakes, Floods, Cyclones, Landslides, Fires, Industrial Accidents, Population Displacements and other complex humanitarian emergencies have caused great misery and suffering in recent years across the country. Moreover, climate change and shifts in monsoon patterns are also posing new challenges for the entire world. This indicates that extreme events will occur with greater frequency and intensity in future, and therefore, we must be prepared for all eventualities.

The development and implementation of effective strategies to counter the impacts of disasters and climate change is imperative. We must ensure that Disaster Risk Reduction, Preparedness, Development of adequate disaster response mechanisms and Climate change adaptation receive priority in all planning and development.

As per Section 40 (1) of the Disaster Management Act, 2005, every Department of the State Government shall have to prepare a Disaster Management Plan in conformity with the guidelines laid down by the National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA). It gives me great pleasure to present the Disaster Management Plan of the Youth Affairs & Sports Department which has been prepared by officers of this department under the guidance of the Tripura Disaster Management Authority (TDMA).

I am certain that the Disaster Management Plan of the Youth Affairs & Sports Department will adequately sensitize the officers and staffs of this department to the risks posed by disasters and help them in being better prepared & equipped to mitigate the after effects of any disaster.

  
**Samarjit Bhowmik**  
Secretary  
to the Government of Tripura

