F.No. CW-II-20/2/2019-CW-II Government of India Ministry of Women and Child Development

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi Dated:10.09.2021

To,

The Chief Executive Officer, Central Adoption Resource Authority R. K. Puram, New Delhi

Subject: The Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Amendment Act, 2021 -reg.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to CARA's F.No. CARA-LP01/6/2021-O/o JD(Prg and Admn) regarding recent in the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Amendment Act, 2021 and to covey that as per Section 1(2) of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Amendment Act, 2021 provides that *it shall come into force on such date as the Central Government may, by notification in the Official Gazette, appoint.*

2. So far, the Ministry has not notified such date of enforcement. However, the ministry is ceased of the matter and is working towards it. Hence, till the time a date is notified by the Government, the current rules, procedures etc. need to be adhered to in order to continue the processes and to not create any disruptions on the ground.

3. This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.

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