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Central Adoption Resource Authority केन्द्रीय दत्तक-ग्रहण संसाधन प्राधिकरण

(A Statutory Body of Ministry of Women & Child Development, Government of India)
(भारत सरकार के महिला एवं बाल विकास मंत्रालय की सांविधिक निकाय)



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Sub: Provisioning of Counselling facility to the Prospective Adoptive Parents, Older Children and others for adoption related issues at district level by the DCPUs.

1. As per the provisions of Regulation 34(6) of Adoption Regulations 2017, the District Child Protection Unit (DCPU) shall set up Counselling Centre with the support of SARA or CARA to assist SAA or CCI, for:

- Counselling of the prospective adoptive parents.
- Counselling of older children.
- Preparing post-adoption follow-up report.
- Preparing family background report in cases of inter-country relative adoptions.
- Post adoption counselling to adopted children and adoptive parents.
- Counselling of older adoptees in root search.

2. Further, Steering Committee of CARA, in its Meeting held on 29th June 2017, has decided that the extension of Counselling facilities at the State & District levels to be done by the respective State Governments within the existing infrastructure available at the District Level, for discharging this statutory obligation.

3. It has also been decided that DCPU and SARA shall fix one particular day of the week for the purpose of adoption counselling by the Counsellor of the DCPU located at the District Level. Wide publicity of the availability of the facility must be done by the State Government and the District Administration.

4. Confirmation with details in this regard shall be furnished to this Authority by 30th September 2017.

5. This issues with the approval of competent authority.


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To

- All State Adoption Resource Agencies (SARA)
- All District Child Protection Units (DCPUs)
- All Specialised Adoption Agency (SAA)