## GOVERNMENT OF MANIPUR SECRETARIAT: HOME DEPARTMENT

Imphal, the 2<sup>nd</sup> January, 2012

## NOTIFICATION

No. 1/9(10)/99-H (Pt-1): The Ministry of Home Affairs (Foreigners Division), Government of India vide its Circular No. 412 dated 29th December, 2011 has excluded the entire area of the State of Manipur from the Protected Area Regime notified under the Foreigners (Protected Areas) Orders 1958 for a further period of one year beyond 31.12.2011 subject of the following conditions:

- 1. As per Circular No. 393 of the Ministry of Home Affairs (Foreigners Division), New Delhi dated 30<sup>th</sup> December, 2010 and Notification No. 1/9(10)/99-H(Pt.) of Home Department, Government of Manipur dated 5<sup>th</sup> January, 2011 the entire area of the State of Manipur had been excluded from the Protected Area Regime initially for a period of one year, subject to certain conditions laid down by the Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi. The entire area of the State of Manipur has now been excluded from the Protected Area Regime for another period of one year w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2012 subject to the following conditions:
  - Citizens of Afghanistan, China and Pakistan and foreign nationals having their origin in these countries would continue to require prior approval of the Ministry of Home Affairs before their visit to the State of Manipur.
  - Citizens of Myanmar visiting the state of Manipur beyond 16 Kms from the ii) Indo Myanmar border would continue to require prior approval of the Ministry of Home Affairs before visiting the State.
  - All Foreigners visiting Manipur will register themselves with the Superintendent of Police (CID/SB), Manipur who has been designated as Foreigners Registration Officer (FRO) of the State within 24 hours of their arrival.
- 2. Foreign Missionaries visiting the State of Manipur may be given 'Missionary Visas' as per the provisions of Chapter 7 of the Visa Manual.
- 3. In-order to monitor the movement of the foreigners in the State of the following actions are to be taken by the Foreigners Registration Officer (FRO) of the State i.e. Superintendent of Police (CID/SB), Manipur:
  - Check points are to be established at entry points i.e. at Imphal Airport, Mao and Jiribam.
  - At the check points the following details in respect of every foreign national 11. entering the State a) Passport, b) Visa, c) Purpose of Visit, d) Duration of Visit, e) Date & Time of Arrival, f) Date & Time of Departure g) Place of stay/Accommodation, g) Details of local contact including telephone Nos. shall be recorded.
- 4. These instructions shall come into force with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2012.

By orders and in the name of the Governor.

> (Dr. Rashini Yengkhom) Under secretary (Home),

> Government of Manipur.

## Copy to:

- 1. Secretary to H.E, the Governor of Manipur, Raj Bhawan, Imphal.
- 2. Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister, Manipur.
- 3. S.O. to Chief Secretary, Manipur.
- 4. Director General of Police, Manipur.
- 5. Addl. Director General of Police (Intelligence), Manipur.
- 6. Commissioner (Home), Government of Manipur.
- 7. Commissioner (Tourism), Government of Manipur.
- 8. Director, Ministry of Home Affairs (Foreigners), Government of India, Jaisalmer, House, 26-Mansingh Road, New Delhi- 110011.
- 9. Resident Commissioner / DRCs, Manipur Bhawans, New Delhi/ Kolkata/ Guwahati.
- 10 Joint Secretary (Information Technology), Government of Manipur with a request to host the Notification on the Homepage of the Government of Manipur Website.
- 11. Director (DIPR), Government of Manipur. He is requested to kindly take necessary action for wide publicity to the Notification via print & electronic media.
- 12. Superintendent of Police (CID/SB), Manipur / Foreigners Registration Office (FRO), Manipur.
- 13. Director (Printing & Stationary), Government of Manipur, with a request to publish the Notification in the Extra-Ordinary Gazette of Manipur.

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