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CIRCULAR

School Education Department in thu a dawn danin school thenkhat kut thawha naupang hrem (Corporal punishment) thin an awm tih leh thuneitute phalna la hmasa lova naupangte hnena pawisa chawitir thin an awm tih hriat a ni a. Hetianga naupangte hrem leh pawisa chawitir hi **Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education (RTE) Act, 2009** bawhchhiatna a ni a, RTE Act, 2009 chuan zirlai naupangin an taksa leh an rilru tibuai zawnga hmalak (Physical or Mental harassment) a khap tlat a, sum leh paia phurrit siam lova a thlawna zirtirna an dawn hi a tum ber a ni.

Hemi chungchangah hian School Education Department hnuai School Head, Zirtirtu leh School-a thuneitu zawng zawngte chuan heng a hnuai RTE Act in a sawite hi zawm theuh tura hriattir an ni.

1. Prohibition of Corporal Punishment (Section 17 of the RTE Act, 2009):

- Naupang tupawhin taksa tina zawnga hrem (Physical punishment) emaw rilru lama tihduhdahna (mental harassment) reng reng an tuar tur a ni lo.
- Hemi chungchanga dan bawhchhiatna a awm a nih chuan, a titu chungah disciplinary action bakah na taka dan anga action lak a ni ang.

2. Fine leh Fee khawn chungchang (As per RTE Act guideline)

- Eng school mahin zirlai naupangte lakah an school fee pangngai bak pawisa an fine tir tur a ni lova, pawisa an khawn tur a ni hek lo
- Dan lova naupang emaw an nu leh pa te hnen atangin emaw sum leh pai lo khawn report dawn anih chuan dan angin na taka hmalak a ni ang.

He thupek hi School thuneitu zawng zawngin an zawm nghal tur a ni a, hemi chungchanga dan zawm lo report dawn a nih chuan a mawphurtu Official lakah action lak a ni ang.

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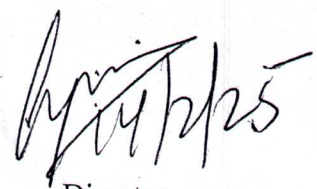
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It has come to the notice of the department that instances of corporal punishment and unauthorized collection of fines in schools have been reported. Such practices are in direct violation of the **Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education (RTE) Act, 2009**, which explicitly prohibits physical or mental harassment of students and ensures free education without financial burdens imposed by schools.

In this regard, all Heads of Institutions, teaching staff, and administrative personnel under School Education Department are strictly directed to comply with the following provisions of the RTE Act:

1. Prohibition of Corporal Punishment (Section 17 of the RTE Act, 2009):

- No child shall be subjected to physical punishment or mental harassment in any form.
- Any violation will invite strict disciplinary action, including suspension and legal consequences.

2. Restriction on Collection of Fines and Unauthorized Fees (As per RTE Act guidelines):

- No school shall demand any fines, donations, or additional charges from students beyond the prescribed fees (if applicable).
- Any report of unlawful financial demands from students or parents will be dealt with severely.

All school authorities must ensure immediate compliance with this directive. Any complaints received regarding non-compliance will result in stringent action against the responsible officials.

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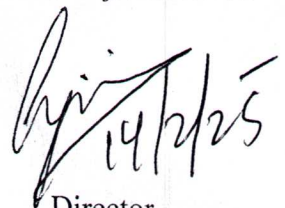
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