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GOVERNMENT OF MIZORAM
INFORMATION, PUBLIC RELATIONS, PRINTING & STATIONERY DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Aizawl, the 19th June, 2026

No. F-14012/2/2025-IPRP&S: Attention is hereby drawn to Section 5(2) of the Mizoram Journalists' Pension Scheme, 2023, which stipulates that any pension benefit sanctioned can be cancelled if it is found that a beneficiary continues to serve as an active journalist in any capacity.

Concurrently, Section V (a), (b), & (c) of the Constitution of the Mizoram Journalist Welfare Society clearly lays down the eligibility criteria for membership of the Society. Furthermore, Section VI (g) explicitly states that any member who ceases to engage himself or herself in journalism for a period of 6 (six) months can be terminated from their membership of the Society.

Therefore, it is hereby reiterated that an individual cannot be a beneficiary under both the Mizoram Journalists' Pension Scheme and the Mizoram Journalist Welfare Society.

Accordingly, if journalists who have been granted pension under the Mizoram Journalists' Pension Scheme, 2023, are found continuing to serve as active journalists in any capacity to retain Mizoram Journalist Welfare Society membership, or for any other purpose, their pension benefits will be liable to immediate cancellation as per Section 5(2) of the Mizoram Journalists' Pension Scheme, 2023.

This is issued with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Sd/- BETSY ZOTHANPARI SAILO
Secretary to the Government of Mizoram
Information, Public Relations, Printing &
Stationery Department

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4. P.S to Secretary, Information, Public Relations, Printing & Stationery Department.
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6. Secretary, Mizoram Journalists' Welfare Society for information.
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