

MOST IMMEDIATE

Government of India
Ministry of Defence
Department of Defence
D(JCM)

Subject:- Circulation of a copy of Gazette Notification of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016-reg.

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment OM No. 16-08/2015-DDIII dated 6th January, 2017 on the subject mentioned above.

2. Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 which gives effect to the provisions of the United Nation Convention for the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (UNCRPD) to which India is a signatory was notified on 28th December, 2016. A copy of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act can be downloaded from website:- www.disabilityaffairs.gov.in/upload/uploadfiles/files/RPWD%20ACT%202016.pdf

3. All addresses are, therefore, requested to go through various provisions of the Act and acquaint themselves about its provisions and initiate necessary action with respect to the relevant sections concerning them.

Encl. as Above


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MoD ID No.24(1)/D(JCM)/2017 dated 2nd Febraury, 2017

Copy also to:- Director (Coord)/DDP/DDRD/Def.(Finance)/DESW with the request of needful compliance to Coordination Division of MoD.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Circulation of a copy of Gazette Notification of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016- reg

The undersigned is directed to forward herewith a copy of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 notified on 28th December, 2016 and to say that the said Act gives effect to the provisions of the United Nations Convention for the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (UNCRPD) to which India is a signatory. The above Act provides a number of Rights and Entitlements for the persons with disabilities as well as casts duties and responsibilities on the Central and State Governments to take measures in various sectors to achieve the inclusion and empowerment of persons with disabilities.

3. In order to bring the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 into force at an early date, this Department has initiated the process of setting up of various Committees and also for framing Rules.

4. In the meantime, all the Central Ministries/Departments may go through various provisions of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 to acquaint themselves about its provisions and initiate necessary action with respect to the relevant sections concerning them.

5. Copy of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act can also be downloaded from our website:-

<http://www.disabilityaffairs.gov.in/upload/uploadfiles/files/RPWD%20ACT%202016.pdf>

Encl: As above

Yours sincerely

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