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DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION

NOTIFICATION

The 15th August, 2026

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Subject: **Declaration of Kamrup Metropolitan District as a Concentration Hub of Coaching Centres and measures for ensuring compliance with the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in *Sukhdev Saha vs State of Andhra Pradesh & Others Criminal petition no 3177 of 2025***

Whereas, the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, in its judgment/order passed in *Sukhdev Saha vs. State of Andhra Pradesh & Ors.*, Criminal Petition No. 3177 of 2025, has issued directions concerning the regulation of coaching institutions and the safety, well-being and mental health of students, including the guidelines contained in paragraph 35 and the directions contained in paragraph 37 thereof;

And whereas, there is a significant concentration of coaching institutions in **Kamrup Metropolitan District**, particularly in Guwahati and adjoining areas, catering to a large number of students from Assam and other parts of the North-Eastern Region;

And whereas, in view of the substantial concentration of coaching institutions and residential/hostel facilities associated with such institutions in the District, it is considered necessary to designate the District as a **"Coaching Centre Concentration Hub"** for the purpose of coordinated implementation, monitoring and enforcement of the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court;

And whereas, effective compliance requires identification of all coaching institutions operating within the District, assessment of their compliance with the applicable statutory requirements and the directions/guidelines of the Hon'ble Supreme Court, and establishment of an effective district-level monitoring mechanism;

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court and in the interest of the safety, security, mental health and welfare of students, the **Government of Assam hereby declares Kamrup Metropolitan District as a "Coaching Centre Concentration Hub" of**

the State of Assam for the purposes of identification, regulation, monitoring and ensuring compliance by coaching institutions with the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court and applicable laws/rules/orders of the Government.

The **District Magistrate, Kamrup Metropolitan District**, shall undertake a comprehensive exercise for identification and preparation of an updated database of **all coaching institutions operating within the District**, irrespective of their size, mode of operation or whether they are operating from independent premises, educational campuses, commercial premises or residential premises.

The database shall, inter alia, contain:

1. Name and complete address of the coaching institution;
2. Name and contact details of the owner/proprietor/management;
3. Nature and category of coaching being provided;
4. Number of students enrolled;
5. Number of teachers/faculty and other personnel engaged;
6. Details of students residing in hostels/residential facilities connected with the institution;
7. Details of hostel/residential premises, wherever applicable;
8. Details of counsellors/mental-health professionals available;
9. Details of registration/permission/licence under applicable laws, wherever applicable; and
10. Details of compliance with the guidelines/directions prescribed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court and the Government of Assam.

All coaching institutions identified within Kamrup Metropolitan District shall be required to comply with the applicable directions/guidelines of the Hon'ble Supreme Court, including the requirements relating to **student safety, mental health, counselling, institutional accountability, annual reporting, infrastructure safety and other safeguards**.

The District Magistrate shall furnish to the **Department of School Education, Government of Assam**, a consolidated report containing:

1. Total number of coaching institutions identified;
2. Total number of students enrolled;
3. Total number of hostels/residential facilities identified;
4. Number of institutions inspected;
5. Number found compliant;
6. Number found non-compliant;
7. Nature of deficiencies noticed;
8. Corrective action taken;
9. Details of counsellors and counselling facilities;
10. Status of hostel safety measures;
11. Status of annual institutional reports; and
12. Any other information required for demonstrating compliance with the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court.

All coaching institutions operating within Kamrup Metropolitan District are hereby directed to extend full cooperation to the district administration and inspection teams and to furnish all information/documents sought for the purpose of identification, inspection and compliance verification.

Failure to furnish information or obstruction of the inspection/verification process shall be dealt with in accordance with the applicable law.

The **District Magistrate, Kamrup Metropolitan District**, shall take all necessary steps for effective implementation of this Notification and shall ensure that the declaration of Kamrup Metropolitan District as a **Coaching Centre Concentration Hub** results in a sustained system of identification, monitoring, safety assessment and compliance, rather than being limited to a one-time survey.

The concerned Directorates and Departments shall extend all necessary assistance to the District Magistrate for implementation of the directions contained herein.

The first consolidated report shall be submitted **within 30 days from the date of issue of this Notification**, and thereafter periodically as directed by the Government.

This Notification shall come into force with immediate effect.

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Commissioner & Secretary to the Government of Assam,
Department of School Education.