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GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
OFFICE OF THE CIRCLE OFFICER, CHENGA REVENUE CIRCLE:.....CHENGA

NO.CRC-9/2014/940

Dated: 25/8/2015
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To

The Addl. Deputy Commissioner, NRC
Barpeta

Sub : Submission of action taken report against the alleged media report of issuance of fake birth certificates

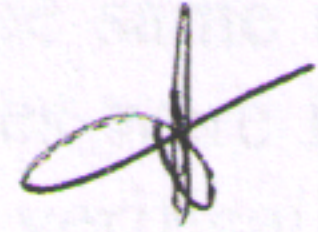
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(2) No.SPMU/NRC/Media Report & Responses/158/2015/86 dtd 18/8/2015

Sir,

In inviting a reference to the above, I have the honour to inform you that as directed an enquiry was conducted by the undersigned into the alleged report of issuance of fake birth certificates by Anganwadi Centres at Kachumara char. The enquiry report is accordingly enclosed herewith for your kind information and necessary action.

Enclo:As stated

Yours faithfully,


Circle Officer,
Chenga Revenue Circle, Chenga

The Supervisor of Kachumara Circle has submitted that she had conducted an enquiry into the alleged report of issuance of fake birth certificates issued by the three mentioned Anganwadi workers in the direction of the CDPO, Chenga during which the three Anganwadi workers admitted of having issued such certificates. The written statements submitted by the Anganwadi workers alongwith photocopies of some birth certificates issued by them are enclosed at Annexure A. The Circle Supervisor further informed that she was not aware of such certificates being issued by the Anganwadi workers until now she was also not aware how long such practice has been continuing.

As per LMP's report based on his field enquiry including statements submitted by the three Anganwadi workers, the Anganwadi workers are required to submit a report regarding comprehensive family details including details of children below 6 years of age of their respective wards to the CDPO's office every month. The birth certificates issued by them are issued at the time of admission of children below 6 years. As informed by them, they have issued such birth certificates on the demand of the guardian of such children as well as on the basis of Social Welfare Department's letter No.SW/D/158/2014/1567 and 28/4/2014 (Annexure B) informing about Supreme Court's direction to notify ASAs, Anganwadi workers, DAs, Head Masters of Government Schools as well as under section 10 of the Registration of Births and Deaths Act and to authorise them to deliver birth certificates under Section 12 of the Act without knowing the said letter actually conveyed.