

The status of the implementation of various provisions of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016

Sl. No.	No. of Section	Provisions of the Act	Action taken
1.	14 to 15	Provision for guardianship	The State Govt. has issued an order in this regard vide No. CUC-101(2)/5/2022-SW-SW dated 13 th October, 2022 (copy enclosed as Annexure-1)
2.	17 (h)	To provide scholarship in appropriate cases to students with benchmark disability	The Social Welfare Department has been providing Scholarship to persons with disabilities since 80s and the same is being provided under Chief Ministergi Shotharabasingi Tengbang Scheme (CMST) since 2017-18.
3.	19 (1)	Skill Training and Self Employment	The Skill Training has been given to persons with disabilities under the component of CMST and more programmes will be implemented in collaboration with Central Institute of Petrochemicals Engineering & Technology (CIPET), Takyelpat Industrial Estate, Imphal and other Training Providers registered in the National Skill Development Corporation (NSD)/Sector Council for Persons with Disabilities (SCPwD).
4.	23 (1)	Appointment of Grievance Redressal Officer	The following Departments has nominated Grievance Redressal Officers. Copies enclosed <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Social Welfare Department b. Agriculture Department c. Health Services d. Public Works Department (copy enclosed as Annexure-2)
5.	24 (3) (c)	Support during natural or man-made disaster and in areas of conflict	The State Govt. is providing aids and assistive devices to the persons with disabilities who are displaced and residing in Relief Camps due to current communal crisis
6.	24 (3) f	Provisions of aids and appliances	The State Govt. has launched a new scheme for fitting Artificial limbs for persons with disabilities and so far 54 persons with disabilities have been benefited under the scheme.
7.	24(3) g	Disability pension	The State Govt. has launched a new

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			Pension Scheme for persons with disabilities since 2022-23 over and above Indira Gandhi National Disabled Pension Scheme (IGNDPS).
8.	24(3) h	Unemployment allowance to persons with disabilities registered with Special Employment Exchange for more than 2 (two) years and who could not be placed in any gainful occupation	The State Govt. is providing Unemployment Allowance to persons with disabilities registered with Special Employment Exchange for more than 2 (two) years and who could not be placed in any gainful occupation since 2006-07.
9.	24 (3) i	Care -Giver Allowance to persons with disabilities with high support needs	The State Govt. has launched this scheme as a component of Chief Ministergi Shotharabasingi Tengbang Scheme (CMST) since 2017-18. So far more than 7573 persons with disabilities are enjoying the allowance.
10.	31 (1)	Free education for children with benchmark disabilities	The Social Welfare Department has been running 4 (four) Residential Special Schools at Takyel, Mongshangei and Heikakpokpi and imparting free education, uniform and hostel facilities free of cost upto X standard.
11.	33	Identification of Posts for reservation	The process for identification of posts is underway. In spite of it, the State Govt. has issued an Office Memorandum for Reservation of Persons with Disability in appointment by way of Direct Recruitment in Govt. Establishments (copy enclosed as Annexure-3)
12.	36	Special Employment Exchange	The Additional Director of Employment has issued an Office Memorandum vide No. SEEX/PH/1/49/97 dated 10 th June, 2009 that registration of persons with disabilities is to be done by all District Employment Exchanges by opening a Special Cell. Copy enclosed as Annexure-4 .
13.	49	Appointment of competent Authority for registration of Institutions	The State Govt. has issued an order in this regard vide No. 11/3/97-S(SW) dated 7 th October, 1997 that Director Social Welfare Manipur shall be the competent authority for grant of Certificate of Registration. Copy of order is enclosed as Annexure-5
14.	50	Registration of Institutions for	So far, more than 60 institutions

		persons with disabilities	have been registered for providing different services to persons with disabilities.
15.	51	Application for grant of certificate of registration	The voluntary organizations have been submitting applications for issuance or renewal of their recognition certificate and no application is pending.
16.	66	State Advisory Board on Disability	The State Advisory Board on Disability is constituted vide No. 10/11/2017-S(SW) dated 1 st September, 2018 and proposal for reconstitution has been submitted to Govt. vide letter No. 10/205/2017-SW(D)SAB dated 17 th June, 2022 (copies enclosed as Annexure-6).
17.	70	Meetings of the State Advisory Board on Disability	The Meeting of the current year is yet to be held.
18.	72	District Level Committee on Disability	Some of the districts have constituted District Level Committee on Disability (copies enclosed). They are <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Bishnupur b. Churachandpur c. Senapati d. Pherzawl e. Tengnoupal f. Tamenglong (copies enclosed as Annexure-7)
19.	79	Appointment of State Commissioner	The person holding the office of the State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities retired on 31 st December, 2022. Now, the process for appointment is under way and soon the Commissioner will be appointed. Copy of notification and other relevant copies are enclosed as Annexure-8.
20.	84	Special Court	The State Govt. has issued a Notification in this regard vide No. 5/20/2020-Case/L-(SC) dated 25 th August, 2020 (copy enclosed as Annexure-9)
21.	101	Power of State Govt. to make rules	The State Govt has framed the State Rules vide No.10/9/2016-S(SW) dated 20 th June, 2020 (copy enclosed as Annexure-10).