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Recommendation No 55/16-17/WB HRC/COM/496/15-16

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To: The Chief Secretary
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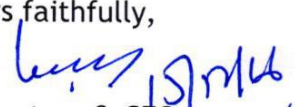
Sir,

I am directed to send herewith an authenticated copy of the Recommendations dated 25.11.2016, in connection with a news-item furnished by Shri Babu Das, made by the West Bengal Human Rights Commission alongwith the copies of the enclosures for taking necessary action. The recommendations are self-explanatory.

Action taken or proposed to be taken by the Government on the recommendations may please be intimated to the Commission as early as possible.

Enclosures: As stated above.

Yours faithfully,

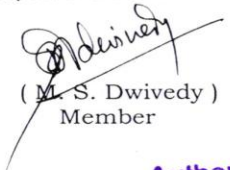

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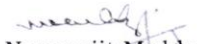
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The matter was discussed in the Commission today. It was decided (1) that the report submitted by the DIG-CID, West Bengal vide his Memo No. 1278/Law/WBHRC dated 03.11.2016 was interim in nature. They (CID) were still awaiting for the report from the facebook authorities regarding details of log in and log out for the period from 01.07.2015 to 01.09.2015 in respect of Sri Prantik Ghosh, Son of Jagganath Ghosh, Superintendent of Kishalaya Home, Barasat under Social Welfare Department, Govt. of West Bengal. It was also mentioned in the report that the computer used for uploading data on facebook of Sri Prantik Ghosh was appearing official in nature. DIG-CID, West Bengal may please give a clarification to this effect and also as to how an official computer was being used for his personal purpose such as uploading data of personal nature by Sri Prantik Ghosh. A further report may be sent to this Commission by the DIG-CID, West Bengal by 30.12.2016 and (2) the Commission further discussed the matter regarding the use of official Computer and Server by a government servant for uploading personal data in personalized facebook, use for sending personal e-mail etc., without any prior clearance of the Government. In the instant case of Sri Prantik Ghosh, the annexed report of DIG-CID is indicative of such an action coupled with the allegation of posting child pornography picture of which is a subject matter of a further enquiry by the CID Authority. However, the point in question ~~is~~ remains the use of Govt. computer for private purposes. The Commission observes that the matter may be brought to the notice of the Chief Secretary, Govt of West Bengal for considering the same and framing adequate rules to prevent such misuse in future.

Pr. Secretary, WBHRC is directed to forward this recommendation to the Chief Secretary, Govt of West Bengal along with the complaint against Sri Prantik Ghosh, ex-Superintendent, Kishalaya Home, Barasat and the report of the District Magistrate and interim report of DIG-CID, West Bengal.


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