
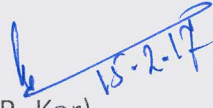



OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT & SESSIONS JUDGE::KARIMGANJ.

MINUTES OF THE MONTHLY MEETING HELD IN THE OFFICE CHAMBER OF THE DISTRICT & SESSIONS JUDGE, KARIMGANJ ON THE 15th DAY OF FEBRUARY,, 2017 AT 4-00 P.M. IN PURSUANCE OF THE HON'BLE GAUHATI HIGH COURT'S NOTIFICATION NO. 52 DATED 20th AUGUST 2013, IN REFERENCE TO THE DIRECTION CONTAINED IN THE ORDER DATED 05.08,2013 AND 10.01.2014 PASSED IN WP© (TAKEN UP) NO. 4299 OF 2006 AND A.B. NO. 5537 OF 2013 RESPECTIVELY FOR THE MONTHS OF FEBRUARY, 2017, ATTENDED BY THE DISTRICT & SESSIONS JUDGE, DISTRICT MAGISTRATE, SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE & JOINT DIRECTOR OF HEALTH SERVICES, KARIMGANJ.

Present:-

1. The District & Sessions Judge, Karimganj:- (U. Prasad) ^U 15.02.17
2. The District Magistrate, Karimganj:- (P.K. Talukdar) 
3. The Superintendent of Police, Karimganj:- (P.R. Kar)  15-2-17
4. The Joint Director of Health Services, Karimganj:- (K. Paul)  15.2.17

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Minutes of the monthly conference of the District & Sessions Judge, Karimganj, the learned Deputy Commissioner, Karimganj, the Superintendent of Police, Karimganj, Dr. Sri K.L.Paul, representing the Joint Director of Health and Dr. Sri A.Choudhury, representing the Superintendent of Karimganj Civil Hospital held on 15/02/2017 –

- (1) Sri P.K.Talukdar, ACS, Deputy Commissioner has assured of definite follow up action with regards appointment of Public Prosecutor under Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe (Prevention of Atrocities) Act as was resolved in the conference dated 11/01/2017.
- (2) Practice of producing victims before doctors trained in alternative medicines for their medico legal examination by the investigating officers has been brought to the notice of the Superintendent of Police, Karimganj as well as Dr. Sri K.L. Paul and Dr. Sri A.Choudhury as reports by such doctors have the potential of creating loopholes in the prosecution's case. Mr. Superintendent of Police, Karimganj has assured of instructing the investigating officers under his command to get the medico legal examination of victims done by a registered medical practitioner trained in allopathy. Dr. Sri K.L. Paul and Dr. Sri A.Choudhury have assured of issue of direction/advisory in order to stop the practice. Dr. Sri A.Choudhury has pointed out that because of temporary nature of service of the MBBS doctor working on contractual basis, in some cases, they are reluctant to conduct medico legal examination of victim on the ground that they shall have to appear before the Court for giving evidence even after their terms of contract is over. It has been agreed that an MBBS doctor having a contractual service is not exempt from discharging his duties which includes medico legal examination in

