## NATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION (LAW DIVISION)

MANAV ADHIKAR BHAWAN, BLOCK-C, G.P.O. COMPLEX, INA. NEW DELHI- 110023

Case No. 2380/12/33/2011-AD

Dated 26/04/2016 2 3 MAY 2016

To

TEJANG CHAKMA, COMPLAINTS COORDINATOR ASIAN CENTRE FOR HUMAN RIGHTS, C-3/441-C, (2ND FLOOR), JANAKPURI, WEST DELHI, DELHI.

Sir/Madam,

With reference to your complaint dated 29/11/2011, I am directed to say that the matter was considered by the Commission on 25/04/2016. The Commission has made the following directions.

These proceedings shall be read in continuation of earlier proceedings of the Commission dated 14.10.2015. The matter relates to death of undertrial prisoner Ram Swarup on 15.11.2011 in the custody of Sub Jail, Raisen, Madhya Pradesh due to medical negligence. The Commission has recommended an amount of Rs. Three lakhs as interim relief to be paid to next of kin of the deceased.

In response, the Under Secretary, Public Health and Family Welfare Department, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh vide communication dated 2.2.2016 has submitted the compliance report. Perusal of the same reveals that an amount of Rs.3,00,000/- has been paid to Smt. Uma Bai wife of deceased under trial prisoner Ram Swarup on 29.5.2015. Proof of payment has also been annexed. It has been stated that Departmental Action against the delinquent medical officer Dr. Raj Kumar Ahirwar, District Hospital, Raisen has been initited.

The Commission has considered the matter. An amount of interim relief of Rs. 3,00,000/- as recommended by the Commission has been paid to wife of the deceased. The Chief Secretary, Government of Madhya Pradesh shall see that the Departmental Proceedings against Dr. Raj Kumar Ahirwar are concluded expeditiously. With these directions, the reports received from the State Authorities are taken on record and the case is closed.

Let a copy of these proceedings also be transmitted to the Deputy Director (M&C), NHRC and to beneficiaries for their information.

LINKED WITH MAIN FILE NO.2242/12/33/2011-JCD.

This is for your information.

Yours faithfully,

ASSISTANT REGISTRAR(LAW)