

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Health Medical & Family Welfare Department - Implementation of Pre-Conception and Pre-Natal Diagnostic Techniques (Prohibition of Sex Selection) Act, 1994 and Rules 1996 – Re-Constitution of State Supervisory Board under PC & PNDT Act, 1994 – Orders – Issued.

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HEALTH MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE (E1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 366

**Dated: 29-04-2026
Read the following:**

- 1.G.O.Rt.No.59, HM&FW (E2) Department, Dated:08.02.2021.
- 2.From the Commissioner of Health & Family welfare & MD, NHH, A.P., Mangalagiri, e-file No.993183.

In the reference second read above, The Commissioner of Health & Family Welfare, AP., Vijayawada has informed that, the Government have reconstituted the State Supervisory Board for PC & PNDT Act, vide G.O.Rt.No.59, HM & FW(E2) Department dt.08.02.2021, for a period of (3) years and the term has been completed by 07.02.2024. He has requested to reconstitute the State Supervisory Board under PC&PNDT Act 1994 for implementation of the said Act of Rules in the State.

2. Government after careful examination of the proposal of the Commissioner of Health and Family Welfare, AP, Mangalagiri have decided that a State Supervisory Board be re-constituted and notification issued.

3. Accordingly, the following Notification will be published in the extraordinary issue of Andhra Pradesh Gazette:-

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred under sub-section (1) of Section 16(A) of the Pre-Natal Diagnostic Techniques (Regulation and Prevention of Misuse) Act, 1994 and as amended by the Pre-Natal Diagnostic Techniques (Regulation and prevention of Misuse) Act, 2002 (Central Act 14 of 2003), the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby re-constitutes the State Supervisory Board for the whole of the State of Andhra Pradesh.

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Sl.No.	Name of the official/ non-official and Designation	Designation as per the Act
1	The Hon'ble Minister for Health, Medical and Family Welfare Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh.	Chairperson/Chairman
2	The Secretary to Government, Health Medical and Family Welfare Department, Andhra Pradesh.	Vice – Chairperson/Chairman.
3	The Commissioner of Health and Family welfare Department, Andhra Pradesh.	Member - Convener
4	The Secretary or Commissioner, Women Development and Child Welfare Department, Andhra Pradesh or their representatives.	Member
5	The Secretary or Commissioner, Social Welfare Department, Andhra Pradesh or their representatives.	Member
6	The Secretary or Commissioner of Law Department, Andhra Pradesh or their representatives.	Member
7	The Secretary or Commissioner of Indian System of Medicines and Homoeopathy or their representatives.	Member
8	The Director of Public Health and Family Welfare, Andhra Pradesh.	Member
9	Smt. Kavali Greeshma Prasad, M.L.C.	Member
10	Smt. Gouthu Sireesha, M.L.A.	Member
11	Dr. Nelavala Vijayasree, M.L.A.	Member
12	The HOD/Professor, Department of Sociology, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur.	Member

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13	The Joint Secretary to Government, Law Department, Andhra Pradesh.	Member
14	Smt. G.Rashmi, Secretary, Vasavya Mahila Mandali, Vijayawada.	Member
15	Smt. Y.Padma Latha, President, Swarajya Abhyudaya Sewa Samithi, East Godavari District.	Member
16	The HOD/Professor, Gynac and Obg., Siddhartha Medical College, Vijayawada.	Member
17	The President/ Secretary, Vijayawada OBG Society, which is a part of FOGSI, Andhra Pradesh.	Member
18	The HOD/Professor, Pediatrics, Siddhartha Medical College, Vijayawada.	Member
19	The President/Secretary, Indian Academy of Pediatrics, Andhra Pradesh.	Member
20	The HOD/Professor, Radiology, Guntur Medical College, Guntur.	Member
21	The President/Secretary, Indian Radiological & Imaging Association, Andhra Pradesh.	Member
22	The Additional Director (MCH)/ State Nodal Officer (PC & PNDT Act).	Member
Co-opted Members		
1	The Director, Secondary Health, Andhra Pradesh.	Co-opted Member
2	The Chairman, Andhra Pradesh Medical Council, Vijayawada.	Co-opted Member

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3	The Superintendent of Police, Women Protection Cell, CID, Andhra Pradesh.	Co-opted Member
4	The Director of Medical Education, Andhra Pradesh.	Co-opted Member
5	The Joint Director, Information and Public Relations, O/o Commissionerate, Andhra Pradesh.	Co-opted Member

4. The State Supervisory Board shall meet at least once in four (4) months and shall perform the following functions:

- (1) To create public awareness against the practice of pre-conception sex selection and pre-natal determination of sex of foetus leading to female foeticide in the State;
- (2) To review the activities of the Appropriate Authorities functioning in the State and recommend appropriate action against them;
- (3) To monitor the implementation of provisions of the Act and the Rules and make suitable recommendations to the Board;
- (4) To submit consolidated reports as may be prescribed in respect of the various activities undertaken in the State under the Act to the Board and the Central Government; and
- (5) Any other functions as may be prescribed under the Act.

5. The Commissioner of Health and Family Welfare & Mission Director (MD), National Health Mission (NHM), AP, Mangalagiri shall take further action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**SAURABH GAUR
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

The Commissioner, Printing Stationery and Stores Purchase, A.P., Vijayawada.
(with a request to publish the Notification in the A.P. Gazette).

All the Members in State Supervisory Board through the Commissioner of Health and Family Welfare & MD, NHM, AP, Mangalagiri.

All the Collectors & District Magistrates in A.P.

All the District Medical & Health Officers in A.P.

Copy to:-

The Women, Children, Disabled (WCD) Department, A.P Secretariat, Velagapudi.

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The Law Department, A.P Secretariat, Velagapudi.
The Social Welfare Department, A.P Secretariat, Velagapudi.
The Director of Medical Education, A.P, Vijayawada.
The Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Director of Secondary Health, A.P., Tadepalli.
The Chairman, Andhra Pradesh Medical Council, Vijayawada.
The Superintendent of Police, Women Protection Cell, CID, Andhra Pradesh.
The OSD to Hon'ble Minister (HFW&ME).
The PS to Secretary to Government, HM&FW Department.
The Joint Secretary to Govt. of India, MoH&FW, Nirman Bhavan, New Delhi.
The Commissioner Information and Public Relations, AP, Vijayawada.
SC/SF (C.No.993183)

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