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ORDER

Subject : Re-constitution of Core Advisory Group on Health

The Commission has decided to reconstitute its Core Advisory Group on Health with the following Members:

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2. The Terms of Reference of the reconstituted Core Advisory Group on Health are as under:

- (i) To advise the Commission on issues relating to availability, affordability and accessibility of health care to the people in India. These issues may include both references made by the Commission to the Core Group and any other issues, which the Members of the Core Group consider it appropriate to suggest to the Commission in the light of the relevant provisions of the Protection of Human Rights Act, 1993.
- (ii) To review Government laws, policies, rules, orders, etc. relating to health and other matters from human rights perspective and make suggestions for changes or their better implementation.
- (iii) To suggest on the possibility as well as plan of action for making health care a justiciable right and enforceable in the country and different States/Union Territories.
- (iv) To identify best practices relating to health care in India and abroad and recommend their possible implementation in different States/Union Territories of the country.
- (v) To identify any other important issues concerning right to health and suggest measures for better implementation.

3. The Core Group will meet periodically at regular intervals or as and when deemed necessary, in the Commission, at the convenience of the Members.

4. The participating Members of the Core Group stationed in Delhi shall be entitled to Taxi fare and those stationed outside Delhi shall be entitled to TA (economy class air fare) for the journeys undertaken by them in connection with the Core Group meetings.


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