OFFICE OF THE FOOD SAFETY COMMISSIONER **GOVERNMENT OF MANIPUR** SECRETARIAT: HEALTH DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION Imphal, the 26th of February, 2013

No.15/52/88-M(FSSA)Pt: Consequent on the State Cabinet Decision taken on 14.02.2013 and in pursuance of Regulation 2,3,4 of the Food Safety and Standards (Prohibition and Regulation on Sales) Regulation, 2011, the Governor of Manipur is pleased to notify the Complete Ban on the manufacture, storage, transportation, distribution, display, sale and purchase of Gutkha, Khaini, Zarda, Pan Masala and other chewable, smokeless tobacco products containing tobacco or nicotine food ingredients as unsafe food injurious to health, by whatsoever name it is available in the market, in the State of Manipur in the interest of public health with immediate effect and until further orders.

Offenders in contravention of the above orders shall be liable to be prosecuted under the provisions of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006.

By Orders & in the name of the Governor,

(Ram Muivah)

Commissioner of Food Safety

Principal Secretary (Health & FW) Government of Manipur.

Copy to :-

- 1) Secretary to the Hon'ble Governor of Manipur.
- 2) Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister, Manipur.
- 3) PPS to Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister, Manipur.
- 4) PPS to Hon'ble Minister (Health & FW), Manipur.
- 5) PPS to All Ministers, Manipur.
- 6) PPS to All Parliamentary Secretaries, Manipur.
- 7) Chief Secretary, Govt. of Manipur.
- 8) Director General of Police, Manipur.
- 9) All Additional Chief Secretaries, Govt. of Manipur.
- 10)All Principal Secretaries/Commissioners/Secretaries, Govt. of Manipur.
- 11) Secretary (Law), Government of Manipur.
- 12) Chief Executive Officer, Food Safety and Standards Authority of India, Ministry of Health & FW, Govt. of India, FDA Bhavan, New Delhi.
- 13)Director, Printing & Stationery with six (6) spare copies for kind publication in the Official Gazette.
- 14) Director of Health Services, Manipur.
- 15) Director of Family Welfare, Manipur.
- 16) Director of JNIMS, Imphal.
- 17) Director of RIMS, Imphal.
- 18) Director, Consumer Affairs and Public Distribution, Manipur.
- 19) Director of Prosecution, Manipur.
- 20) Director of Information and Public Relations, Manipur.
- 21) All Deputy Commissioners, Manipur.
- 22)All Superintendents of Police, Manipur.
- 23) All Members of State Food Safety Authority, Manipur.
- 24) Executive Officer, Imphal Municipality.
- 25)Addl. Food Safety Commissioner, Manipur.
- 26)All Chief Medical Officers/Designated Officers (Food Safety), Manipur.
- 27) Food Analyst, FTL, Lamphel.
- 28) Dy. Food Safety Commissioner, Manipur.
- 29) All Food Safety Officers, Manipur.
- 30) Director, All India Radio, Imphal.
- 31) Director, DDK, Imphal.
- 32)All News Editor of Print & Electronic Media, Manipur
- 33) Martha, IT Department for uploading in the Manipur Govt website.
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