





## केंद्रीय दत्तक–ग्रहण संसाधन प्राधिकरण Central Adoption Resource Authority

(भारत सरकार के महिला एवं बाल विकास मंत्रालय का सांविधिक निकाय) (A Statutory Body of Ministry of Women & Child Development, Government of India)

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To,

All State Adoption Resource Agencies (SARAs)

Subject: Completion of DNA Proceedings- Ensuring Compliance with Adoption Regulations and Confidentiality Norms

Madam/Sir,

Attention is drawn to the Regulation 39 of the Adoption Regulations, 2022, wherein it is stipulated that it is the responsibility of the Child Welfare Committee (CWC) to ensure completion of necessary DNA formalities before declaring a child legally free for adoption in certain cases, in order to prevent any harassment to adoptive family.

2. Accordingly, SARAs are requested to process such cases at state level in coordination with the concerned stakeholders as per the legal framework. Also issue necessary instructions to DCPUs, CWCs and SAAs under their jurisdiction for the same. It is imperative that the process adheres to all legal protocols and respects the rights and welfare of the child as per Section 3(vi)(xi) of the JJ (C&PoC) Act, 2015.

Yours sincerely,

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