

GOVERNMENT OF MIZORAM
HIGHER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

No. B. 12024/20/2026-H&TE : Aizawl, the 17th August, 2026. The Ministry of Education, Department of Higher Education, Government of India, in its endeavour to enhance the quality, equity, and governance of technical education, has selected Women Polytechnic, Aizawl and the National Institute of Technology (NIT), Mizoram, under the *Multidisciplinary Education and Research Improvement in Technical Education* (MERITE) initiative.

In order to provide guidance, oversight, and effective coordination for the implementation of the MERITE initiative in the State, the Governor of Mizoram is pleased to constitute **State Steering Committee (SSC)** as detailed below.

- Chairman: Commissioner & Secretary, H&TE
- Members:
- (i) Commissioner & Secretary, Finance Department
 - (ii) Secretary, LESDE
 - (iii) Director, H&TE
 - (iv) Jt. Director (Technical), H&TE
 - (v) Prof. H. Lalhmingsanga, Mechanical Engineering Department, NIT, Mizoram
 - (vi) President, Mizoram Chamber of Commerce & Industries
 - (vii) Secretary, Mizoram Chamber of Commerce & Industries
 - (viii) Pu H. Lalchhuanvela, Ex-Principal, Women Polytechnic, Aizawl.
 - (ix) Pu B. Lalhmuakluaia, Ex-Principal, Mizoram Polytechnic, Lunglei.

Terms of reference:

- (i) Providing strategic direction and policy guidance to STSG for effective implementation of the Project within the State
- (ii) Ensuring alignment of Project interventions with State priorities and the overall objectives of the scheme
- (iii) Providing oversight to promote efficient, transparent, and accountable implementation.
- (iv) Reviewing the overall progress and outcomes of the Project and providing guidance for continuous improvement whenever needed.

- (v) Addressing key policy and implementation challenges and enabling timely decision making.
- (vi) Supporting institutional strengthening and sustainability of reforms introduced under the Project.

Sd/- Dr. LALROZAMA

Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Mizoram

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