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Sub : Clarification on making / changing entries in birth record of children taken on adoption through – adoption agencies

Ref : Circular No. 1/7/2011-VS-CRS/31 dated 31/01/2018 from Deputy Registrar General (CRS), Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi.

It is to inform that the Office of Registrar General, India has submitted clarification in respect of adoptions made through institutions i.e. adoption agencies.

The Ministry of Women and Child Development has revised its guidelines and notified the same in Gazette Notification dated 04-01-2017 as 'Adoption Regulations 2017' wherein removes the clause of production of adoption deed for institutional adoptions and mentioned at section 36 of the new notification that production of adoption order of Court is sufficient for registration of birth of child adopted through adoption agencies.

In view of above, the Office of Registrar General India has decided **not to insist the public for production of adoption deed for registration of birth of adopted child and register the birth event or make necessary correction / change on the basis of adoption order of the court and issue birth certificate of the adopted child.**

All the Registrars of Births and Deaths are requested to take note of the aforesaid content and issue birth certificate of adopted children with the name of adoptive parents as parents.

*(Signature)*  
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To,  
All Registrars of Births and Deaths,  
Daman / Diu.

Copy forwarded for kind information to :-

- 1) The Secretary (Planning) and Chief Registrar of Births and Deaths, Secretariat, Daman & Diu.
- 2) The Registrar General, India, MHA, Office of Registrar General, India, Govt. of India, Vital Statistics Division, West Block- 1, R.K. Puram, New Delhi- 110066 with reference to Circular No. 01/7/2011-VS(CRS)/31 dated 31/01/2018.
- 3) The Collector & District Registrar of Births and Deaths, Daman / Diu.
- 4) The Director, Census Operation Gujarat, Ministry of Home Affairs, Directorate of Census Operation Gujarat, Census Bhavan, Sector 10/A, Gandhinagar-382010.
- 5) The Block Development Officer & Addl. District Registrar of Births and Deaths, Daman / Diu District.
- 6) The Assistant Director (Official Language), Secretariat, Daman with request to translate the same in Hindi.
- 7) The DIO, NIC to upload in the official website.