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To All State/UT Red Cross Branches

Sub: Empowering State/UT Branches of IRCS to issue Annual Membership Certificates at their own level - reg.

Dear Sir/Madam,

As you are aware that Indian Red Cross Society is a membership based organization and manages its funds for the welfare activities through various srouces. Enrolment of members in different categories is a major source of fund raising.

As per rules for State/UT/District Branches, members can be enrolled at the district or sub-district levels. State branches shall enroll members only when the local district branches are not constituted. However, State/UT Branches can enroll members after obtaining explicit permission of the National Managing Body.

At present, the National Headquartes issues the following categories of membership certificates to the individuals on the recommendations of the State/UT Managing Committee of the concerned State/UT Branches:-

- 1. Patrons
- 2. Vice-Patrons
- 3. Life Members
- 4. Life Associates
- 5. Annual Members
- 6. Annual Associates
- 7. Institutional Members (Annual)

In this connection it is to inform you that the matter empowering State/UT Branches to issue Annual Membership Certificate at their own level was discussed deuring the State Branches Leadership meeting held on 7-8th March, 2019 at IRCS, NHQ.

It is also informed that taking into consideration the request of several State/UT Branches, it has been decided to empower all the State/UT Branches of Indian Red Cross Society to issue Annual Membership certificates at their own level after depositing the requisite fee of 15% share of the National Headquarters. All other categories of certificates will be issued by the National Headquarters as per practice.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully

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