

Indian System of Medicine – Notification of Ayurveda, Siddha, and Unani Tibb Registered Medical Practitioners as persons practicing the modern scientific system of medicine under the Drugs and Cosmetics Rules, 1945 – Orders – Issued.

# HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (IM 2 -2) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (Ms) No. 248

Dated : 08.09.2010 Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2041 Aavani 23

ORDER :

The following Notification will be published in the <u>Tamil Nadu Government</u> <u>Gazettee</u>.

# NOTIFICATION.

WHEREAS, the rights of practitioners of Indian System of Medicine are protected under section 17(3) (b) of the Indian Medicine Central Council Act, 1970 (Central Act 48 of 1970);

AND WHEREAS, as per section 2 (1) (e) of the said Act, "Indian Medicine" means the system of Indian Medicine commonly known as Ashtang Ayurveda, Siddha or Unani Tibb whether supplemented or not by such modern advances, as the Central Council of Indian Medicine may declare by notification from time to time;

AND WHEREAS, the Central Council of Indian Medicine in its Notification F.No.28-5/2004-AY.(MM), dated the 19<sup>th</sup> May 2004, has clarified that the word "Modern Advances" in clause (e) of section 2 (1) of the said Act as advances made in the various branches of modern scientific medicine in all its branches of internal medicine, surgery, gynaecology and obstetrics, anesthesiology, diagnostic procedures and other technological innovation made from time to time and declare that the courses and curriculum conducted and recognized by the Central Council of Indian Medicine are supplemented with such modern advances;

AND WHEREAS, the Central Council of Indian Medicine has improved and strengthened the syllabus of Indian Medicine by including subjects with regard to National Programmes like National Malaria Eradication programmes, Tuberculosis, Leprosy, Family Welfare Programme, Reproductive and Child Health Programme, Immunisation Programme, AIDS, Cancer etc; Now, THEREFORE, under sub - clause (iii) of clause (ee) of rule 2 of the Drugs and Cosmetics Rules, 1945 the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby declares every registered medical practitioner holding the qualifications specified in the second, third or fourth Schedule to the Indian Medicine Central Council Act, 1970 (Central Act 48 of 1970) and Part III of the Schedule to the Tamil Nadu Siddha System of Medicine (Development and Registration of Practitioners) Act , 1997 (Tamil Nadu Act 34 of 1997) and registered in the Medical Register of the State maintained under the aforesaid Acts, as a person practicing the modern scientific system of medicine for the purposes of the Drugs and Cosmetics Act, 1940 (Central Act 23 of 1940.)

### (BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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The Principal Secretary and Commissioner of Indian Medicine and Homoeopathy, Arumbakkam, Chennai – 106. The Works Manager, Government General Press, Chennai.- 2 (for publication of Notification in the Government Gazette) The Registrar, Tamil Nadu Siddha Medical Council, Arumbakkkam, Chennai – 106. The Registrar, Tamil Nadu Board of Indian Medicine, Arumbakkkam, Chennai – 106. The Director General of Police, Chennai – 4, SF/SC

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