

31st December, 1970  
10th Pausa, 1892

C I R C U L A R

Sub: Enforcement of the Registration of Births  
and Deaths Act 1969, (No.18 of 1969)

The Government of India has appointed the 1st January 1971, as the date on which the Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1969 (18 of 1969) shall come into force in the whole of the Union Territory of Goa, Daman and Diu.

The Registration of births and deaths will be done free of charge from 1st January 1971 in the following cases.

(a) In a Municipality

- (i) Within seven days from the date of birth or still-birth, and
- (ii) Within three days from the date of death;

(b) In any other area:-

- (1) Within fourteen days from the date of birth or still-birth, and
- (2) Within seven days from the date of death.

Any birth or death of which information is given to the Registrar after the expiry of the period specified above, but within thirty days of its occurrence, shall be registered on payment of a late fee of rupee one.

Any birth or death of which information is given to the Registrar after thirty days but within one year of its occurrence, shall be registered only with the written permission of the officer prescribed in this behalf and on payment of a late fee of rupees three and production of an affidavit made before a notary public or any other officer authorized in this behalf.

Any birth or death which has not been registered within, one year of its occurrence, shall be registered only on an order of a first class Magistrate or a Presidency Magistrate and on payment of a late fee of rupees five.

All the primary registering authorities are, therefore, requested to follow the above rules with effect from 1st January 1971.

( S. K. Gandhe )

Chief Registrar, Births & Deaths, and  
Director of Statistics

To:-

1. The Head of the Notary Services Panaji.
2. The Collectors of Goa and Daman districts and the Civil Administrator, Diu.
3. The Deputy Collectors, Panaji and Margaon.
4. All the B.D.Os./Mamlatdars.
5. All the Civil Registry offices.
6. All the Panchayat Secretaries.
7. The Dean, Goa Medical College, Panaji.
8. The Assistant Dean, Ribandar Hospital.
9. Women Welfare centre, Mercedes, Goa.
10. Regidors of Panaji, Ribandar, Santa Cruz, Mercedes, Caranzalem and Se.
11. Assistant Registrar, Outpost Brankavora, Diu.
12. Health Centre, Daman.
13. Health Centre, Diu.

Copy for information to:

1. The Chief Secretary, Government of Goa, Daman & Diu, Panaji.
2. The Development Commissioner, - do -
3. The Law Secretary, Govt. of Goa, Daman and Diu, Panaji.
4. The Director of Accounts, Panaji.

