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NOTIFICATION

No. DGSW-PCRD- Meeting File/2023-

Consequent upon promulgation

of the Punjab Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2022 "**District Welfare and Rehabilitation Unit (DWRU)**" is hereby notified Under Section 24 (i) with following composition as given in Section 24(2) of the Act ibid in each district of Punjab to exercise such powers and perform such functions as assigned to it under the provisions of this Act, rules and regulations made there under:

		Chairperson
(a)	Deputy Commissioner concerned	Chairperson
(b)	District Zakat Officer;	Member
(c)	District Manager, Technical and Vocational Training Authority (TEVTA)	Member
(d)	District Head of Primary and Secondary Health care Department of the Government	Member
(e)	District head of School Education Department of the Government;	Member
(f)	District head of Sports;	Member
(g)	District Head of Industries, Commerce, Investment and Skills Development Department of the Government;	Member
(h)	District Head of Labour and Human Resource Department of the Government;	Member
(i)	District head of Special Education Department of the Government;	Member
(j)	One prominent social worker to be nominated by the Chairperson of a Unit;	Non-Official Member
(k)	Four Persons with Disabilities including at least one each from the persons with visual impairment, hearing impairment, any physical disability and intellectual disability engaged in welfare of persons with disabilities;	Non-Official Member
(l)	One person from amongst the parents of a Person with Disabilities to be nominated by the Chairperson of a Unit; and	Non-Official Member
(m)	One representative of the local government to be nominated by the Head of local government at the District concerned.	Non-Official Member
(n)	District Head of the Department;	Member/ Secretary

2. District Welfare and Rehabilitation Unit (DWRU) shall have to exercise such powers and functions under section 24 (iii) of the Act, ibid and its regulations made there under.

TORs:-

- (a) Collection of data of establishments for purposes of this Act;
- (b) Facilitation of persons with disabilities through different modes regarding employment and training, as the case may be;
- (c) Referral of persons with disabilities for medical treatment and financial assistance;
- (d) Maintenance of database of persons with disabilities to whom certificate has been issued by the Board;
- (e) Coordination with any authority or entity from both the public and private sector, including but not limited to the Chamber of Commerce, philanthropists and NGOs, for purposes of rehabilitation of persons with disabilities;
- (f) Redressal of grievances of persons with disabilities through order after affording an opportunity of hearing to the concerned parties;

- (g) Facilitation and guidance of persons with disabilities for job application in both the public and private sector;
- (h) Provision of financial assistance to persons with disabilities from the Fund;
- (i) Arranging for adult literacy with the collaboration of Literacy and Non-Formal Basic Education Department of the Government and NGOs;
- (j) Preparation of monthly progress reports and their submission to the Council; and
- (k) Any other powers or functions as may be conferred by the Council, from time to time.



(MUDDASSIR RIAZ MALIK)
DG (SW & BM) / SECRETARY
COUNCIL ON THE RIGHTS OF PERSONS
WITH DISABILITIES (CRPD)

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1. All the Deputy Commissioners of the Punjab.
2. All the Deputy Directors, Social Welfare & Bait-ul-Maal, Punjab.
3. The Section Officer (Disability), Social Welfare & Bait-ul-Maal, Punjab, Lahore.
4. PS to Secretary, Social Welfare & Bait-ul-Maal, Punjab, Lahore.
5. PS to Secretary to Government of the Punjab, Sports & Youth Affairs Department
6. PS to Secretary to Government of the Punjab, School Education, Department, Lahore.
7. PS to Secretary to Government of the Punjab, Special Education, Department, Lahore.
8. PS to Secretary to Government of the Punjab, Zakat & Ushr, Department, Lahore.
9. PS to Secretary to Government of the Punjab, Primary & Secondary Healthcare, Department, Lahore.
10. PS to Secretary to Government of the Punjab, Labour Department, Lahore.
11. PS to Secretary to Government of the Punjab, Industries Department, Lahore.
12. PS to Director General, TEVTA, Punjab, Lahore.

(MUHAMMAD IRFAN GONDAL)
DIRECTOR (CRPD)