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Government of Himachal Pradesh
Department of Panchayati Raj

To

The Panchayat Secretary
Gram Panchayat Mangsu
Development Block Narkanda
District Shimla-H.P.

Shimla-9

Dated 16-4-25

2025

Subject:- Clarification regarding entry of the foreign national in the Parivar Register.

Sir/Madam,

Please refer to your letter dated 22-02-2025 on the subject cited above. In this regard it is to inform you that the matter was taken up with the Law Department to clarify the following issues :

1. Whether the name of a foreign national women who has married to such Himachali bonafide resident whose name is already entered in the Parivar Register of a Gram Panchayat can be entered in the Parivar Register in the family account of her husband.
2. What kind of marriage certificate is valid in case of marriage of an Indian national and a foreign national ?

The Law Department opined as follows:

The record reveals that the Registrar of Marriages has registered the marriage of Mr.Emmanuel John Mallick with Silvia Rodriques Alves under the Himachal Pradesh Registration of Marriages Act, 1996. It is for the Registrar to inquire into the validity of the marriage. But since Registrar of Marriages has registered the marriage, the bride name may be entered in the Pariwar Register in view of the provisions contained in rule 21(2) of the said rules. The Registrar of Marriages has registered the marriage under the provisions of the Act ibid and the consequential certificate has been issued on the basis of such marriage which is a valid certification in case of marriage between and Indian and a foreign national.

You are therefore, directed to act accordingly.

Yours faithfully


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