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NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR PROTECTION OF CHILD RIGHTS

नई दिल्ली-110 001

New Delhi - 110 001



F. No. 32-348/2022/NCPCR/Misc/LC/ N 31

Date: 04.11.22

Notice u/s 13 of CPC Act, 2005

To,

Sh. S Chandrasekar, I.A.S.
District Collector & District Magistrate
Kannur District, Kerala
Email: dcknr.ker@nic.in

Subject: Request to initiate necessary action and inquiry in a matter where a minor was beaten up by an adult for leaning on a car in Thalassery.

Sir,

National Commission for Protection of Child Rights (hereinafter referred to as the Commission) is a statutory body constituted under Section 3 of the Commission for Protection of Child Rights (CPCR) Act, 2005 to protect the child rights and other related matters in the Country. The Commission is further mandated to monitor the proper and effective implementation of Protection of Children from Sexual Offences (POCSO) Act, 2012; Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015 and Right to Free and Compulsory Education (RTE) Act, 2009. In addition to functions assigned under Section 13 of the CPCR Act, 2005, the Commission has also been mandated under Section 13(1) (j) to take suo-moto notice of matters related to deprivation and violation of child rights. **The Commission also has the powers of Civil Court trying a suit under Section 14 of CPCR Act, 2005 and Code of Civil Procedure, 1908.**

2. The Commission has come across a video in a news report wherein a minor was brutally beaten for leaning on a parked car. It is mentioned in the news report that the incident happened in Thalassery, Kannur District. The news report includes a CCTV footage of a six-year-old boy who hails from a Rajasthani family who had come to Kerala to work being kicked and beaten up. It has been further reported in the news that the child's waist is seriously injured. The link to the news report which mentions the said incident has been provided below:

<https://www.manoramanews.com/news/breaking-news/2022/11/04/man-brutally-attacked-six-year-old-in-thalassery.html>

3. In view of the above, the Commission deems it appropriate to take suo-moto cognizance U/s 13/ (1) (j) of CPCR Act, 2005 since there is a prima-facie violation of Section 75 under

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Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015 and relevant provisions of the Indian Penal Code, 1860.

4. The Commission thereby requests your good offices to investigate the matter by lodging an FIR against the man who is seen in the video. Further, the child who is seen in the video should be identified and produced before the Child Welfare Committee for recording of his statement and rehabilitation as per the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection) Act, 2015. Furthermore, proper medical treatment shall be provided to the minor victim on an urgent basis.

5. An Action Taken Report along with copy of FIR and relevant records may be submitted to the Commission within 07 days of receipt of this letter.

With regards,

Encls. As Above

Yours Sincerely,



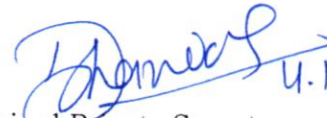
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(Dharmendra Bhandari)

Principal Private Secretary
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