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ശ്രീ. സജീവ് ജോസഫ്		ശ്രീമതി വീണാ ജോർജ്ജ് (ആരോഗ്യ- വനിത-ശിശുവികസന വകുപ്പ് മന്ത്രി)	
(എ)	കാരുണ്യ ആരോഗ്യ സുരക്ഷാ പദ്ധതിയുടെ ഭാഗമായി നാഷണൽ ഹെൽത്ത് അതോറിറ്റിയുടെ ഹെൽത്ത് ബെനിഫിറ്റ് പാക്കേജ് ഏഇ ഉത്തരവിന്റെ ഭാഗമായാണ് കേരളം നടപ്പിലാക്കുന്നതെന്ന് വ്യക്തമാക്കാമോ;	(എ)	29.05.2018 തീയതിയിലെ സ. ഉ (സാധാ) നം. 1739/2018/ആ.ക.വ പ്രകാരമാണ് നാഷണൽ ഹെൽത്ത് അതോറിറ്റിയുടെ ഹെൽത്ത് ബെനിഫിറ്റ് പാക്കേജ് കേരളത്തിൽ നടപ്പിലാക്കി വരുന്നത്.
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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA Abstract

Health & Family Welfare Department – National Health Protection Scheme – Pradhanamanthri Rashtriya Swasthya Suraksha Mission – Merging of CHIS Plus and Karunya Benevolent Fund into a Common Comprehensive Health Protection Scheme – Determination of procedures and cost to be covered – Committee constituted - Orders Issued

HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (M) DEPARTMENT

GO(Rt)No.1739/2018/H&FWD Thiruvananthapuram, Dated:29.05.2018

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At present Kerala has two major schemes where financial support is provided to patients. One of them through insurance route (RSBY, CHIS PLUS) and other directly by a Government agency (Karunya Benevolent Fund). There is considerable overlap between these two programmes in terms of coverage, benefit package and delivery of services. The government of India has recently announced the NHPS (National Health Protection Scheme) benefit package under PMRSSY (Pradhana Mantri Rashtriya Swasthya suraksha Mission) in the place of the present RSBY Scheme which aims to provide secondary and tertiary coverage upto Rupees 5 Lakh. In this context, for the feasible and smooth operationalisation of the scheme in the State, Government order the following.

- i. To combine the CHIS PLUS and Karunya Benevolent Fund into a common comprehensive Health Protection Scheme which would align with NHPS
- ii. An integrated implementation mechanism will be developed to roll out the new programme by merging CHIAK and Karunya Benevolent Fund.
- iii. The Department of Health and Family Welfare will be the Nodal Department for NHPS.
- iv. The field mechanism of both Labour and Lottery Department (Taxes Department) will be used for implementation of the scheme at the field level.
- v. The title of the new scheme will contain "Karunya Suraksha Padhathi" to acknowledge the resources being generated from the Karunya Lottery Scheme.
- vi. To enroll all RSBY beneficiaries in the scheme along any family identified by Central Government based on deprivation data who are not part of the RSBY list.
- vii. The sum assured of Rs.5 lakhs announced by the Central Government will be provided in two stages. An insurance managed cover upto 2 Lakhs per family and

reimbursement/cashless treatment for identified procedure upto Rs.3Lakhs which will be provided directly by the State Health Agency.

wiii.To implement the benefit package in two modes upto 2 lakhs though the insurance mode and 3 lakhs directly.

Government are also pleased to constitute a Committee with the following members to determine the procedure and cost to be covered under National Health Protection Scheme .

- 1. Dr.D.Narayana, Director, Gulati Institute of Finance and Taxation Chairman
- 2. Dr.Ajayakumar, Joint Director of Medical Education and Special officer Directorate of Medical Education
- 3. Dr.Bindu Mohan, Additional Director (Health Services Medical)
- 4. Dr. Arun B. Nair, Technical consultant (Health Financing)
- 5. Dr.Raju.S, Medical Officer, CHIAK
- 6. Lt.Col.Dr.Kurian George, Medical Officer, Karunya Benevolent Fund.

The above committee will work out the approximate financial commitment of the State Government and submit the same to Government for earmarking the funds.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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