



Government of Karnataka
OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER
Directorate of Health & Family Welfare Services,
Ananda Rao Circle, Bengaluru-560009

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CIRCULAR-2

Sub:- Regarding providing free treatment to Acid attack victims.

Ref:- 1. Letter No:Z 28015/46/2013-H Government of India Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Nirman Bhavan, New Delhi

2. This office even letter no. dated:17.03.2015

In continuation of the circular dated:17.03.2015 it is directed that, the treating doctors / head of the institutions of Central / State Government / Private hospitals should intimate the Public Prosecutor of the concerned court through the District Health & Family Welfare Officer, in writing to enable recovery of the treatment cost towards acid victims from the accused as per Section 326A of Cr.P.C.

Section 326A of Cr.P.C. states that:

"The cost of the first aid and complete treatment of such acid attack victims needs to be informed to the Public Prosecutor so that as per Sec. 326A Cr.P.C. the amount required for treatment could be recovered from the accused."

Commissioner
Health & Family Welfare Services
Bengaluru 17/3

Copy to the following for information and necessary action:

1. The Principal Secretary to Government, Health & Family Welfare Department, Vikasa Soudha, Bengaluru.

2. Deputy Commissioner, _____ District.
3. Chief Executive Officer, _____ Zilla Panchayat,
_____ district.
4. Director, Health & Family Welfare Services, Bengaluru.
5. Director / Principal, _____ Government /
Private medical colleges, _____
6. District Health & Family Welfare Officer, _____ district you
are hereby instructed to circulate the same to all Government / Private
hospitals under your jurisdiction.
7. District Surgeons, _____
8. Medical Superintendent, _____ Hospital.
9. Taluka Medical Officer, _____ Taluka, _____ district.
10. Administrative Medical Officer, Taluka hospital / CHC,

11. Medical Officer, PHC / CHC, _____
_____ district.
12. Director / Medical Superintendents, _____
13. Order copy / Office copy.