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Chairpersons
All Registered Hospices

Subject - Use of Form B-12 for Registration of Deaths in Hospices

We are pleased to inform you that Form B-12 may be used for the registration of deaths occurring in hospices, in accordance with the instructions issued by the Registrar General to all Regional Registrar Generals vide circular dated 31.01.2023 (attached).

02) This circular was issued by the Registrar General following the request made by the Director, National Cancer Control Program based on the recommendation of the National Steering Committee of Palliative Care.

03) The Registrar General further informed that all Regional Registrar Generals will be instructed to follow the same procedure outlined in the above-mentioned circular for the registration of deaths occurring in hospices.

04) Please note that the Form B-12 is an official death-declaration form and will be issued only to qualified and duly registered medical officers. Each medical officer is personally responsible for every death declaration issued by him/her. The Form B-12 can be obtained from the Divisional Secretariat Office relevant to the area in which the hospice is located.

Hospices that already have an established death registration procedure may continue to follow the same. However, hospices that experience difficulties in registering deaths may utilize Form B-12 in accordance with the above instructions.

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