

प्रेषक,

अमित मोहन प्रसाद,
अपर मुख्य सचिव,
चिकित्सा एवं स्वास्थ्य
उत्तर प्रदेश शासन।

सेवा में,

- 1-समस्त अपर मुख्य सचिव/प्रमुख सचिव/सचिव, उ०प्र० शासन।
- 2-समस्त विभागाध्यक्ष, उ०प्र०।
- 3-समस्त मण्डलायुक्त, उ०प्र०।
- 4-समस्त जिलाधिकारी, उ०प्र०।

चिकित्सा अनुभाग-7

लखनऊ : दिनांक 12 मई, 2022

विषय:-Foundation for Smoke-Free World (FSFW) अथवा अन्य किसी तम्बाकू उद्योग नीत फाउन्डेशन के साथ सहभागिता/सहयोग से बचने के संबंध में।

महोदय,

कृपया उपर्युक्त विषय पर अपर सचिव स्वास्थ्य एवं परिवार कल्याण मंत्रालय भारत सरकार, नई दिल्ली के अर्द्धशासकीय पत्र संख्या-पी 16012/08/2019-टी०सी०, दिनांक 24 जून, 2019 तथा अर्द्धशासकीय पत्र संख्या- पी 16012/08/2019-टी०सी०, दिनांक 24 अप्रैल, 2022 (छायाप्रतियाँ संलग्न) का सन्दर्भ ग्रहण करें।

2- भारत सरकार द्वारा उपरोक्त पत्रों के माध्यम से यह अवगत कराया गया है कि Foundation for Smoke-Free World (FSFW) विश्व की सबसे बड़ी तम्बाकू कम्पनी Philip Morris International (PMI) द्वारा पूर्ण वित्त पोषित इकाई है। PMI कम्पनी ENDS (Electronic Nicotine Delivery Systems) उपकरणों यथा ई सिगरेट आदि का उत्पादन करती है तथा इन उपकरणों को धूम्रपान के Harm Reduction Alternative के रूप में प्रमोट करती है। PMI द्वारा FSFW को वर्ष 2018 से प्रति वर्ष आठ करोड़ यू०एस० डालर प्रति वर्ष की सहायता 12 वर्षों के लिये दी जा रही है।

3- इस सम्बन्ध में यह उल्लेख करना है कि WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control (WHO FCTC) जिसमें भारत भी एक पार्टी/सदस्य है, के अनुच्छेद 5.3 के अनुसार कन्वेंशन के सभी सदस्य देश अपनी जन स्वास्थ्य नीतियों को अपने राष्ट्रीय कानूनों के अनुसार तम्बाकू उद्योग के व्यापारिक एवं अन्य निहित स्वार्थों से सुरक्षित रखने के लिये बाध्य है। अनुच्छेद 5.3 के क्रियान्वयन के संबंध में निर्गत दिशा निर्देशों में स्पष्ट रूप से कहा गया है कि सरकारों को तम्बाकू उद्योग के साथ संव्यवहार को सीमित रखना चाहिए तथा उसके साथ भागीदारी से बचना चाहिए।

4- कन्वेंशन सचिवालय द्वारा FSFW के लान्च अवसर पर यह बयान जारी किया गया है कि यह फाउन्डेशन तम्बाकू उद्योग द्वारा वित्त पोषित है अतः इस फाउन्डेशन का जन स्वास्थ्य के सम्बन्ध में कोई हस्तक्षेप WHO FCTC संधि का खुला उल्लंघन है। कन्वेंशन सचिवालय द्वारा यह भी उल्लेख किया गया है कि यह बहुत खतरनाक डेवलपमेन्ट है जिसका उद्देश्य संधि के क्रियान्वयन को नुकसान पहुंचाना है।

5- भारत सरकार द्वारा यह संज्ञान में लाया गया है कि यू0के0 स्थिति Centre For Health Research And Education (CHRE) संगठन जो FSFW, का अग्रणी मोर्चा है, देश के विभिन्न भागों में कैंसर जागरूकता कैंम्प लगवाने की योजना करने की योजना बना रहा है। यह कैंम्प प्रायः राज्य सरकारों एवं प्रशासनों की सहभागिता से आयोजित होते हैं।

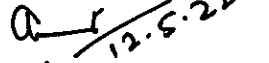
6- भारत सरकार तम्बाकू नियंत्रण के लिये प्रतिबद्ध है और तम्बाकू की मांग और आपूर्ति में कमी करने हेतु लगातार प्रयास कर रही है। इस प्रकार के कैंम्पों में तम्बाकू उद्योग की सहभागिता तम्बाकू नियंत्रण हेतु किये जा रहे प्रयासों को नुकसान पहुंचायेगी।

7- अतः उपरोक्त पृष्ठ भूमि में मुझे यह कहने का निदेश हुआ है कि वृहद जन स्वास्थ्य के हित में प्रदेश के सभी विभागों/संस्थानों को FSFW अथवा तम्बाकू उद्योग नीत किसी अन्य फाउन्डेशन या संगठन का किसी कार्यक्रम में सहयोग नहीं लेना चाहिए तथा उनके साथ सहभागिता करने से बचना चाहिए।

कृपया तदनुसार सभी सम्बन्धित को निर्देशित करते हुए आवश्यक कार्यवाही सुनिश्चित करने का कष्ट करे।

संलग्नक: यथोक्त।

भवदीय



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अपर मुख्य सचिव।

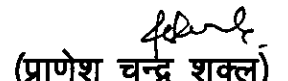
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प्रतिलिपि निम्नलिखित को सूचनार्थ एवं आवश्यक कार्यवाही हेतु प्रेषित:-

- 1-मिशन निदेशक, राष्ट्रीय स्वास्थ्य मिशन, उ0प्र0।
- 2-महानिदेशक चिकित्सा एवं स्वास्थ्य सेवाए/परिवार कल्याण, उ0प्र0।
- 3-महानिदेशक चिकित्सा शिक्षा एवं प्रशिक्षण, उ0प्र0।
- 4-समस्त प्रधानाचार्य, राजकीय मेडिकल कॉलेज, उ0प्र0।
- 5-समस्त मुख्य चिकित्साधिकारी, उ0प्र0।
- 6-गार्ड फाईल।

आज्ञा से,


(प्राणेश चन्द्र शुक्ल)
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D.O. No. P.16012/08/2019-TC
Dated the 14th April, 2022

Dear Sir,

21/04/2022
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2. It is to reiterate that the Government of India is committed for tobacco control. Government of India is the Party to WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control (WHO FCTC) and has to undertake various demand and supply reduction measures for tobacco control. The efforts of the tobacco industry to advance cessation through private cancer hospitals and cancer screening camps (often in partnership with State governments and district administration) will jeopardize with tobacco control efforts.

3. In the above background, it is advised that any collaboration with the Foundation for a Smoke Free World entity /or any tobacco industry led foundations should be avoided in the larger interest of Public Health. Further, all the departments and institutions in your State/UT may also be advised accordingly.

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Warm regards

Yours sincerely,

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To : Chief Secretary, All States.

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