## Policy on Equal Opportunity & prohibition of discrimination against Disable <u>employee</u>

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Function: Human resources Management	Policy: Policy on equal opportunity to Disable employee
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Objective	1. To provide equal opportunity to disable employees and to ensure	
	prohibition of discrimination against disabled employee at workplace.	
	2. To provide additional facilities or special benefits to disabled employees	
	to enable them to discharge their duties in the company	
	3. To comply with provision of the Right of persons with disabilities (RPWD)	
	Act 2016.	
Applicability	This policy will be applicable on all employees engaged directly & indirectly having	
Applicability	any disabilities.	
General	1. Selection criteria (job description and employee specification) will be kept	
Guidelines	under constant review to ensure that they are non-discriminatory and that	
	they relate purely to the skills needed for the job and nothing else.	
	2. Each interviewer is mandated to record her/his comments on the	
	candidate's capability in the Interview Evaluation Form. Reasons for	
	rejection must be objective and not related to the person's disability.	
	3. An employee's request for extra leave, for a reason related to her/his	
	disability, will be treated as a request for reasonable accommodation and	
	will be evaluated accordingly. 4. Company provides an option of unpaid special leave for a maximum period	
	of three months for employees with disabilities who plan to undergo	
	medical treatment. The procedure for availing the leave is detailed out in	
	the company's Leave Policy	
	5. For official travel, employees with disabilities will be provided accessible	
	modes of transport - air travel (in case road/train travel is inaccessible),	
	and accessible guest houses and hotels and allowing a personal attendant	
	to travel along, as the case may be. An employee can place a written/email	
	request for this with HR through his/her HOD.	
	<ol><li>Management shall ensure to make all company events and meetings inclusive by ensuring that it should be accessible to employee with</li></ol>	
	disabilities.	
	7. Management shall entrust the responsibilities to someone who will be	
	responsible for taking or Implementing the action plan for making the	
	workplace and IT systems accessible for people with disabilities	
	8. Management shall ensure that all employees are aware of the Equal	
	Opportunity Policy and knows their duties and rights in relation to the	

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	<ul> <li>Equal Employment Opportunity policy. Liaison officer shall develop proactive strategies to prevent discrimination and harassment.</li> <li>9. Employees with disability have the right to file a complaint concerning any discrimination to liaison officer or HR either directly or through his/her immediate. Any policy violation i.e. when any person with disability is discriminated against or not provided reasonable accommodation or denied access to any company facility, will be regarded as grievance and action shall be initiated against whom the complaint is received</li> <li>10. Management shall ensure that facilities &amp; amenity to be provided to the persons with disabilities to enable them to discharge their duties effectively</li> <li>11. Provisions for assistive devices, barrier free accessibility and other provisions for person with disabilities shall be made.</li> </ul>
Disability certificate	<ol> <li>Person with disability shall submit the certificate of disability in the prescribed format V, VI, VII issued by the appropriate government</li> </ol>
Contact	For any doubt or clarification, please contact GA and HR Department.
Approval	Approved by:
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