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ANNEXURE-I

Questionnaire

Name of Respondent.....

Age **Sex**.....

Educational Qualification.....

Occupation: (Tick mark [√] please)

A. Service (.....) **B. Business** (.....) **C. Politics** (.....)

Religion

Village/Town

Locality

Sub-Division

District

Date

Please furnish information/data on the research topic entitled , ‘**Role of Karbi Middle Class in the Politics of Karbi Anglong District of Assam**’ as per the questionnaire format given below by putting tick mark (√) for the options and your own comment/observation/information against the columns, when required. You may supply with the information/data either based on any authentic source available with you or your own observation/study on the subject. Your name and address will be kept confidential and the data will be used for research purpose and be cited in research writing only.

Give tick mark only [√]

1. Are you aware of the meaning of the term ‘middle class?’

A. Yes [.....]

B. No [.....]

2. If your above (Q. No. 1) answer is ‘No’, you need not answer the question no.2.

If your above (Q.No.1) answer is 'Yes' then according to you which of the following are the main attributes of the middle class?

- A. Middle position between the capitalist and the manual workers [.....]
- B. Non manual occupation [.....]
- C. Education [.....]
- D. Status in the society [.....]
- E. All the above factors [.....]

3. Do you think that a middle class exists among the Karbis ?

- (A) Yes [.....]
- (B) No [.....]

4. Do you think yourself as a representative of the Karbi middle class ?

- (A) Yes [.....]
- (B) No [.....]

5. According to you, which one of the following factors is responsible for the emergence of middle class among the Karbis ?

- (A) Traditional socio-political system of the Karbis [.....]
- (B) British Administrative system, i.e. appointment of Mauzadars and other similar officials [.....]
- (C) Advent of Christianity among the Karbis [.....]
- (D) Spread of Modern education among the tribe [.....]
- (E) Modern means of communication [.....]
- (F) Urbanization [.....]
- (G) Formation of the District Council [.....]
- (H) All the above factors [.....]
- (I) None of the above [.....]

6. Do you think that the 'Karbi-A-Darbar', the first political organization of the Karbis was formed by the Karbi middle class?

(A) Yes [.....]

(B) No [.....]

7. What is your view regarding the role of the Karbi middle class in the politics of Karbi Anglong district?

(A) Not active in Karbi politics [.....]

(B) Dominates the Karbi politics [.....]

8. Do you think that the autonomy movement/ separate state movement of Karbi Anglong is led by the Karbi middle class?

(A) Yes [.....]

(B) No [.....]

9. Do you think that the autonomous state movement of Karbi Anglong is the outcome of the political aspirations of the Karbi middle class?

(A) Yes [.....]

(B) No [.....]

10. What is your view regarding the future role of the Karbi middle class in the politics of the district?

(A) Will continue to dominate the Karbi politics [.....]

(B) Will have no role in Karbi politics in future [.....]

Signature of the respondent

ANNEXURE-II

Memorandum submitted by the Karbi leaders to Sir Robert Neil Reid, Governor of
Assam on 28th October 1940

To,

**H.E. SIR ROBERT NEIL REID, K.C.S.I, K.C.I.E., I.C.S.
GOVERNOR OF ASSAM,
CAMP: - MOHONGDIJUA, MIKIR HILLS, ASSAM
Dated, Mikir Hills, the 28th October, 1940**

May it please Your Excellency,

We the Mikir people numbering nearly a lac and a half beg most humbly and respectfully to accord YOUR EXCELLENCY a most hearty and cordial welcome on the occasion of your EXCELLENCY's gracious visit to our hills that have not hitherto been graced by any August Homage like Your Excellency and we take this opportunity of Your Excellency's visit to convey through Your Excellency the sincere Homage and loyal devotion of our Mikir people to their Gracious Majesties, the King Emperor and The Queen Empress and earnestly pray for their sound health, long life, peace and happiness and the welfare of the Empire at this troublous time.

Your Excellency, words fail to express how happy and fortunate we the Mikir feel today for the opportunity so kindly allowed to us to offer our ruler in our own humble way this address of welcome in the midst of the Hills- the sweet abode of the Mikirs. Cut off from the civilized world, isolated as we are. Your Excellency, we the Mikirs may fail to accord you a proper and suitable welcome but we earnestly hope that sincerity of our hearts will ensure the sincerity of our propose.

Your Excellency, on this auspicious occasion, first of all, we the Mikirs who have been kept in perpetual subordination by their progressive neighbors beg to express our deep gratitude to Your Excellency for taking in for the first time a Mikir Representative In the Provincial Legislature an act which has not only received appreciation from the Mikir people but also worked as an incentive among the Mikir youths for improving the status of their tribe and we sincerely hope that however busily engaged Your Excellency might be with multifarious activities Your Excellency would be graciously pleased to bear in mind the deplorable condition of the Mikirs due to complete isolation in the jungle area of the hills and further be pleased to redress to their legitimate grievances as embodied in the memorial annexed herewith.

Your Excellency, our heart is too full of gratitude for the patient hearing Your Excellency has kindly given us. It is our earnest and sincere prayer to the Almighty Father that He may grant Your Excellency sound health and long life and may Your Excellency continue to the immense benefit of us all

“WE HAVE THE HONOUR TO BE SIR,
YOUR EXCELLENCY'S MOST HUMBLE AND
LOYAL MIKIR SUBJECTS”

ANNEXURE-III

Memorandum submitted by the Karbi Adarbar to Sir Andrew Claw, Governor of Assam on 1st March 1947

**An Address of Welcome
To
His Excellency
Sir Andrew Goulay Claw, M.A, K.C.S.I, I.C.S.**

Your Excellency,

We the Mikir people , who are in every respect backward and neglected , feel most encouraged by Your Excellency and Lady Claw's presence in our midst today. We have assembled today to offer our hearty welcome and homage to Your Excellency and Lady Claw with fervent hopes that our long felt grievances will receive Your Excellency's glorious regime of most difficult time is going to terminate in May next . Yet we hope that before Your Excellency's departure from Assam , Your Excellency will have opportunities to initiate measures for the amelioration of the condition of our Mikir tribe for that we shall always pray for Your Excellency's prosperity and long life .

The country is passing through a most critical time in the political history of India. Every minority community is fully alert of the situation and asserting their best for their own political safeguards. The Mikirs, as well have strongly organized themselves to voice their feelings through their only all Assam association called "Karbi A-Dorbar". We humbly pray to Your Excellency to give recognition to the aforesaid association, so that in the matter of framing the coming Constitution of the country the association is consulted.







Your Excellency is aware that the Mikir people are living in areas where there are scanty educational , medical and agricultural facilities . Communication as compared to the rest of the province is nil. So we most humbly pray that immediate steps are taken to better the conditions prevailing in these areas.

It is general opinion of the country that the backward tribes require protection and proactive rules in the hills. But we have come to know that there is proposal for the abolition of Chino Hills Regulations. If that is done, we pray some other rules or regulations should be substituted for safeguarding the interest and existence of the illiterate and ignorant Mikir people.

We remain
Your Excellency's most loyal servants
The Mikir people
Dated Lanka, the 1st March, 1947

ANNEXURE-IV

List of the CEMs of KADC/ KAAC since 1952

 <p>Late Khorsing Terang Period: 23-06-1952 to 28-11-1955</p>	 <p>Late Nihang Rongphar 23-06-1957 to 03-12-1957</p>
 <p>Late Nihang Rongphar 16-12-1955 to 24-05-1956</p>	 <p>Late Chandrasing Teron 03-12-1957 to 25-06-1962</p>
 <p>Late Chatrasing Teron 24-05-1956 to 20-04-1957</p>	 <p>Late Dhoniram Rongpi 25-06-1962 to 12-12-1972</p>



Late Joysing Doloi
12-1-2-1972 to 11-05-1978



Sri Bidyasing Engleng
18-01-1980 to 01-01-1981



Late Khorsing Bey
11-05-1978 to 26-09-1979



Sri Biren Singh Engti,
03-03-1981 to 26-02-1983



Sri Bidyasing Engleng
28-09-1979 to 13-12-1979



Sri Bidyasing Engleng
26-02-1983 to 27-02-1983



Sri Bidyasing Engleng
28-01-1984 to 07-08-1985



Sri Bidyasing Engleng
09-12-1986 to 24-01-1989



Sri Khorsing Ingti
09-08-1985 to 11-09-1985



Dr. Jayanta Rongpi,
25-01-1989 to 20-06-1996



Sri Mongalsing Ingti
15-11-1985 to 26-11-1986



Sri Jotson Bey
21-06-1996 to 31-07-2000



Sri Mojari Hanse,
31-07-2000 to 15-03-2001



Sri Mongal Sing Engti
23-01-2007 to 31-12-2008



Sri Khorsing Engti
19-03-2002 to 17-05-2006



Sri Joyram Engleng
13-01-2009 to 19-01-2012



Sri Sum Ronghang
03-06-2006 to 21-12-2006



Sri Joyram Engleng
w.e.f. 20.01.2012 to 15.10.2013



Tuliram Ronghang

w.e.f. 16.11.2013 to till date

ANNEXURE-V

Parliamentary and Legislative Assembly Constituencies in Karbi Anglong and their present Members as on 1st December 2014

A. Parliamentary Constituency and its Member

Name of the Parliamentary Constituency : 3-Autonomous Dist.(ST)
Parliamentary Constituency

Name of the MP of 3 Autonomous Dist.(ST) PC : **Sri Biren Singh Engti , INC**

The Parliamentary Constituency comprising of 5 (Five) L.A. segments namely,

Sl. No.	Name of the L.A.C.	District
1	16-Haflong (ST)	N.C. Hills
2	17-BOKAJAN (ST)	Karbi Anglong
3	18-HOWRAGHAT(ST)	Karbi Anglong
4	19-DIPHU (ST)	Karbi Anglong
5	20-BAITHALANGSO (ST)	Karbi Anglong

B. Legislative Assembly Constituencies and their present Members

Sl. No.	Name of the L.A.C.	Name of the Sitting MLA	Party Affiliation
1	17-BOKAJAN (ST)	Sri Klengdun Engti	INC
2	18-HOWRAGHAT(ST)	Sri Khorsing Engti	INC
3	19-DIPHU (ST)	Sri Bidya Sing Engleng	INC
4	20-BAITHALANGSO (ST)	Dr. Mansing Rongpi	INC

ANNEXURE-VI


MAC Constituencies of the KAAC & their present Members as on 1st December 2014

Sl. No.	Name of the Constituency	Name of the Member	Party Affiliation
1	1-Duaramla	JOYRAM ENGLENG	Indian National Congress
2	2-Amri	D. UPHING MASLAI	Indian National Congress
3	3-Chinthong	PRADEEP RONGPI	Indian National Congress
4	4-Socheng	RUPSING TERON	Indian National Congress
5	5-Rongkhang	HOREN SING BEY	Independent
6	6-Bithung Rengthama	TULIRAM RONGHANG	Indian National Congress
7	7-Kopili	DHONSING KRO	Independent
8	8-Hamren	MONGAL SING TIMUNG	Indian National Congress
9	9-Amreng	ALICE ENGTIPI	Indian National Congress
10	10-Howraghat	PREMOLA BEYPI	Indian National Congress
11	11-Langfer	KANGJANG TERANG	Independent
12	12-Phuloni	DARSING RONGHANG	Independent
13	13-Langhin	SARAT BRAHMA	Independent
14	14-Karkanthi	BIDYA SING TOKBI	Independent
15	15-Mahamaya	BIDYA SING RONGPI	Indian National Congress
16	16-Namati	ASHOK TERON	Indian National Congress



17	17-Socheng Dhenta	KACHE RONGPIPI	Indian National Congress
18	18-Lumbajong	ROBINSON KRO	Independent
19	19-Dhansiri	PRADIP DIPHUSA	Indian National Congress
20	20-Singhason	PRADIP SINGNAR	Independent
21	21-Borjan	LONGKI TIMUNG	Indian National Congress
22	22-Sarupathar	JAGAT SING ENGTI	Independent
23	23-Bokajan	JIBAN CHANDRA PATHAK	Indian National Congress
24	24-Deopani	SURJYA RONGPHAR	Independent
25	25-Nilip	SEMSON TISSO	Independent
26	26-Duar Bagori	RATAN ENGTI	Indian National Congress





ANNEXURE-VII





Members of the Executive Committee (EC) of the KAAC as on 16.11.2013





	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Finance,2. Personnel (Council & Transferred Sector)3. Sarba Siksha Abhijan (SSA), Rastriya Maidhyamik Siksha Abhijan (RMSA), Bharat Sarkar Mission (BSM & DIET).4. All Centrally Sponsored Schemes/ Projects and any other Subjects/ Departments not allocated to any other EMs.
<p>Tuliram Ronghang Chief Executive Member (CEM)</p>	

Members of Executive Committee (EC)

1.		<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Public Health Engineering2. Art & Culture (State & Council Sector)
2.		<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Agriculture2. Land Revenue, Land Reform & Settlement and SGB
	<p>Bidya Sing Rongpi, EM</p>	
	<p>Mongal Sing Timung, EM</p>	

3.	 <p>Premola Beypi EM</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Social Welfare & ICDS 2. P&RD
4.	 <p>D. Uphing Maslai EM</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Higher & Secondary Education, Technical Education & Adult Education. 2. Nazarat
5.	 <p>Jiban Ch. Pathak EM</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Water Resource 2. Excise
6.	 <p>Alice Engtipi EM</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Elementary Education 2. Primary Education

7.	 <p>Longki Timung EM</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. PWD
8.	 <p>Ashok Teron EM</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Health & Family Welfare 2. Printing & Stationery 3. Museum & Archeology
9.	 <p>Sarat Brahma EM</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Co-operation 2. Town Committee Affairs 3. Town & Country Planning 4. Sericulture
10.	 <p>Pradip Diphusa EM</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. AH & Veterinary 2. Dairy Development 3. Library

11.	 <p>Rupsing Teron EM</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fishery 2. Transport 3. DRDA
12.	 <p>Pradip Rongpi EM</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Tourism 2. Information & Public Relation 3. Industries & Commerce
13	 <p>Pradip Singnar EM</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Forest & Environment
14	 <p>Kache Rongpipi EM</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Soil Conservation 2. Handloom & Textiles

ANNEXURE-VIII

Telegram sent by Dr.Jayanta Rongpi, Spokesperson ASDC to the Prime Minister of India on 8th September 1987 demanding creation of Autonomous State:

The Government of Assam declared on twenty eight August at Janata Bhavan Dispur after talks with KSA and ASDC “(1) There are genuine social, economic and political problems in the Hill Districts of Assam (2) KSA and ASDC led Autonomous state movement is democratic (3) KSA and ASDC led Autonomous state movement is Mass movement” request declaration of centre’s endorsement of the above three points” Karbi Anglong to remain out of bounds for Congress and its workers till Autonomous state demanded by KSA and ASDC is conceded . Centre’s deliberate apathy deeply resented.

For favour of information

Dated. 08.09.1987

Dr. Jayanta Rongpi

ANNEXURE-IX

Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) signed between the State Government/
Union Government and the ASDC/KSA/ NCHSF/DSU on 1st April 1995

Representative Organizations of Karbi Anglong and North Cachar Hills Districts which are governed under the aegis of the Sixth schedule of the Constitution, have been feeling dissatisfied with the quantum of autonomy available under the said schedule. Resultantly, there has been a demand for constituting an Autonomous State within Assam under Article 244(A) of the Constitution comprising of the two districts.

Keeping in view the strong commitment of the Central Government, the Government of Assam and organizations signatory to this MoU, to uphold the integrity of the state of Assam and not to take recourse to any further reorganization and division of the state, efforts continued in the direction of finding a solution within the framework of the Sixth Schedule of the Constitution.

Following initiation of the dialogue by Chief Minister, Assam in January, 1992 with the leaders of the hill tribals, a series of discussions have been held by the Union Home Minister. The following understanding has been reached:

i. The Autonomous District Councils of Karbi Anglong and North Cachar districts will be renamed as Karbi Anglong Autonomous Council and the North Cachar Hills Autonomous Council.

iii. The jurisdiction of the two Councils for the exercise of executive power will extend to the subjects/ departments listed in Annexure- I. A resolution to this effect will also be passed by the state Legislature. To this above extent, the executive powers of the state will stand delegated to the above Councils.

iii. The State Government will, before the beginning of the financial year, give an indication to the Councils of the overall financial allocations for them. The Councils will, therefore prepare and pass their own budget and forward it to the state of being included in the overall State budget. Ordinarily no change will be made in the budget as proposed by the Councils. However, if for any reasons it becomes necessary to do so , the Councils would be consulted and would be explained the reasons for change .

iv. Action will be urgently initiated for amendment of para 3(1) of the Sixth Schedule for transferring legislative powers to the Councils in respect of the following subjects, in addition to powers already available to them under the Sixth Schedule;

A. Industries, subject to the provision of entries 7 and 52 of list I of Seventh Schedule.

B. Communications , that is to say roads, bridges, ferries and other means of communication not specified in list ; municipal tramways , inland waterways and traffic thereon subject to the provisions of the list I and list III with regard to such waterways; vehicles other than mechanically propelled vehicle;

C. Preservation, protection and improvement of stock and prevention of animal diseases; veterinary training and practice and cattle pounds ;

D. Primary and Secondary education;

E. Agriculture including agricultural education and research and, protection against pests and prevention of plant diseases;

F. Fisheries;

G. Water, that is to say water supplies, irrigation and canals, drainage and embankments, water storage and water power subject to the provisions of entry 56 of list I;

H. Social security and social insurance. Employment and unemployment;

I. Flood Control schemes for protection of village, paddy fields, markets, town etc.(not of technical nature);

J. Theaters and dramatic performance cinemas subject to the provisions of entry 60 of list I; sports, entertainments and amusements;

K. Public Health and sanitation, hospitals and dispensaries;

L. Minor irrigation;

M. Trade and commerce in; and protection, supply and distribution of foodstuffs, cattle fodder, raw cotton and raw jute; and

N. Libraries, museums and other similar institutions controlled and financed by the state; ancient and historical monuments and records other than those declared by or under law made by Parliament to be of national importance.

Additionally, the feasibility of inclusion of 'alienation of land' in clause (a) and sub para(1) of para 3 of the Sixth Schedule will be examined .

The laws relating to List III of the Seventh Schedule of the constitution enacted by the councils shall be reserved for consideration and approval of the president .

V. Action will be initiated for necessary amendment of the sixth Schedule to provide for exercise of discretionary powers by the Governor of Assam in respect of matters specially indicated or entrusted to the Councils in the matter provided for in paragraph 22-BB of the Sixth Schedule of the constitution . However, the present formulation in paragraph 22-BB may be modified to provide that in addition to the Council of Ministers the Governor shall consult the District Council by omitting the words " and if he thinks necessary." Additional provisions viz. Paragraphs 2(6), 2(6-A) excluding the first provision there under , 8(4) and 10(3) may be brought within the purview of para 22-BB.

VI. Para 14(2) of the Sixth Schedule be modified by omitting the words "with the recommendations of the Governor with respect thereto."

VII. The State Government would propose to the Central Government to examine the feasibility of bringing paragraphs 4(3),4(5), 12 (1-B) and 17 of the Sixth Schedule within the purview of Paragraph 20-BB.

VIII. While law and order will continue to be the responsibility of the State Government, it would , however, evolve a mechanism for consultation with the CEM of the Council concerned regarding the posting of senior police and law and order officers i.e. the Superintendent of Police and below and the Deputy Commissioner and below in the area of the Councils > Similarly, the State Government will also evolve a mechanism for associating the CEM of the Council concerned in the performance appraisal/recording of Confidential Report in respect of the above mentioned officers in accordance with the procedures being followed by the state government.

IX. In the finalization of the annual plan, for the discussion with the Planning Commission, officers of the Council would be included in the state delegation.

X. The feasibility of separately mentioning the funds meant for the areas of the Councils in the release made by the Union Government and the modalities for the same will be examined urgently.

XI. A suitable mechanism will be evolved to monitor the adequacy and promptitude in the release to the Councils by the State Government of the funds meant for the Councils.

Signed in New Delhi, on April 1, 1995, by

Sd/-

(Dharam Sing Teron)

Chairman, ASDC

Sd/-

(Robindra Rongpi)

President, Karbi Student's Association (KSA)

Sd/-

(Prakanto Warisa)

President, North Cachar Hills Student's Federation (NCHSF)

Sd/-

(Joithon Longmailai)

President, Dimasa Student's Union (DSU)

Sd/-

(Holiram Terang)

Spokesman, ASDC

Sd/-

(Jayanta Rongpi)

Spokesman, ASDC

Sd/-

(Hiteswar Saikia)

Chief Minister of Assam

In presence of Shri S.B. Chavan

Hon'ble Union Home Minister

ANNEXURE-1

Department for entrustment to the N.C. Hills & Karbi Anglong Autonomous Councils under para 6(2) of Sixth Schedule to the Constitution of India.

1. Industry
2. Animal Husbandry & veterinary
3. Forest
4. Agriculture
5. P.W.D
6. Sericulture
7. Education : (a) Primary Education up to the level of Higher Secondary Education
(b) Adult Education
8. Cultural Affairs
9. Soil Conservation

10. Co-operation
11. Fisheries
12. Panchayat and Rural Development including DRDA
13. Handloom & Textile
14. Health & Family welfare
15. Public Health Engineering
16. Irrigation
17. Social Welfare
18. Flood Control Department
19. Sports & Youth welfare
20. Weight & Measure
21. Food & Civil Supplies
22. Town & Country Planning
23. College Education (General), including Library Services, District Museum & Archeology
24. Land Reforms
25. Publicity/Public Relation
26. Printing & Stationary
27. Tourism
28. Transport
29. Excise
30. Finance including Sales tax on purchase of Goods other than Newspapers, Excise, and Professional

ANNEXURE-X

Office Memorandum (OM) of the Hills Areas Department, Govt of Assam, dtd.
31/12/1996 granting more powers to the KAAC



GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM

HILL AREAS DEPARTMENT

NO. HAD. 57/95/316,

Dated Dispur, the 31st Dec, 1996

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Whereas in pursuance to the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU), reached between the Chief Minister, Assam and the Autonomous State Demand Committee, Karbi Students' Association, N.C. Hills Students' Federation and Dimasa Students' Union on 1st April, 1995 in New Delhi, in the presence of the Union Home Minister, granting greater autonomy to the autonomous Councils of Karbi Anglong and North Cachar Hills within the frame work of the Sixth Schedule to the Constitution of India.

And whereas the Assam Legislative Assembly via its Resolution, dated 12th April, 1995 adopted and approved the aforesaid Memorandum of Understanding, reached on 1st April, 1995 referred to above and the House resolved further

that the jurisdiction of the Karbi Anglong Autonomous Council and North Cachar Hills Autonomous Council for the executive powers would extend to the 30 (thirty) subjects/departments listed in Annexure – I of the Memorandum of Understanding and to that extent the executive powers of the State shall stand entrusted and delegated to the above mentioned Councils.

And whereas the Governor of Assam has been pleased to entrust and delegate the function relating to thirty subjects/departments to which the executive powers of the State of Assam extends with the consent of the Karbi Anglong Autonomous Council and in exercise of the powers conferred under sub-Para (2) of paragraph 6 of the Sixth Schedule to the Constitution, as listed in Annexure – I of the Memorandum of Understanding vide Notification No. HAD. 57/95/63 – 64 dated 29-6-1995 and published in the Official Gazette of the Government of Assam.

The following administrative changes and modalities are adopted for observance by the State Government and the Karbi Anglong Autonomous Council for management of the subjects, mentioned in the MoU dated 1.4.1995. The work Council 1.4.1995. The work Council, wherever it occurs in this Memorandum shall mean “The Karbi Anglong Autonomous Council, Diphu”.

The modalities and administrative changes are: -

- (A) In order to enable the Karbi Anglong Autonomous Council to finance the expenditure of the entrusted and delegated functions of the thirty subjects/departments without difficulty, the State Government shall make funds available as advance under the Head – “K – Deposits advances, Part – III Advance not bearing Interest Departmental Advance not bearing Interest Departmental Advance – Special Advance”. The Administrative Departments of the State Government shall release the funds on a six monthly basis in April and October of each financial year. It shall be the duty of the Council to submit separate detailed accounts every month to the Accountant General, Assam to make necessary adjustment by debit to the appropriate Head of Account of the State Budget.
- (B) It shall be the responsibility of the Council to ensure that the existing Rules, instructions, norms guidelines, etc, of the Government of India and the State Government, governing the implementation of the plan

schemes relating to the entrusted subjects/departments and there matters including the non-plan matters relating to the entrusted subjects/departments are followed strictly till the Council frames Rules on the same in terms of the provisions of the Sixth Schedule to the Constitution of India, it being understood that the Rules directions, etc., of the Government of India, Comptroller & Auditor General of India and other sound financial managements/principles shall always be followed.

- (C) The Council shall be competent to sanction reappropriation of funds from one scheme to another within the same Major Head of Account. The State Government shall move for transfer of funds from one Major Head of Account to another Major Head of Account. In respect of any of the thirty entrusted subjects/ departments only on receipt of proposal to this effect from the Council.

- (D) The Council shall be fully responsible to the State Legislature in all matters relating to the funds transferred to the Council and for this purpose, the Principal Secretary and other Secretaries to the Executive Committee of the Council shall be made available for examination by the Public Accounts Committee and other Committees of the State Legislature.

- (E) The Council shall appoint a Principal Secretary of it in the rank of Commissioner & Secretary to the Government of Assam and for this purpose, the Government of Assam will place the services of the IAS Officer of Assam cadre of this rank at the disposal of the Council. The State Government will make available the services of two Officers in the rank of Secretary to the Government of Assam (one of whom will be from a Technical Deptt.) for appointment as Secretaries of the Council. The State Government will also make available three Deputy Secretaries (one of whom will be from a Technical Department and remaining ones from the Assam Civil Services) for appointment as Deputy Secretaries of the Council. All these Officers shall on deputation from the State Government to the council as per usual terms and conditions and their services shall be placed at the disposal of the Council with prior consultation with Council.
- (F) The Zonal Heads of Departments from Hill Areas shall be withdrawn by the State Government Officers in the rank of Additional Chief Engineer, PWD and its equivalent in all the entrusted departments with all administrative, financial and technical powers of the Head of Department delegated by the State Government shall be posted and placed under the administrative control of the Karbi Anglong Autonomous Council. Officers as mentioned above shall be posted within 31st January, 1997. During the

interim period, the existing Zonal Heads of Department stationed in Karbi Anglong District shall be placed under the administrative control of the Karbi Anglong Autonomous Council.

- (G) The Chief Executive Member/Executive Member / Principal Secretary / Secretary to the Executive Committee of the Council shall be competent to initiate/review/accept the annual confidential Reports (ACRS) of all the Officers and staff placed under the administrative control of the Council. The administrative control of Council over the Officers and staff at its disposal shall be complete in all matters of Intra Council transfer and posting. As regards disciplinary actions, against the Officers and staff of the entrusted subjects/departments, the Council shall exercise the powers as the borrowing Authority and the State Government shall exercise the powers as the lending Authority and both the State Govt. and the Council shall follow the relevant rules, regulations etc, of the respective service Rules, (IAS/ACS, etc.,).
- (H) The State Government shall consult the Council, while posting and transferring the Officers of the entrusted subjects/departments in or out of the Council. Under no circumstances, the officers and staff not released by the Council shall be accepted by the State Government. Before deputing any Officer or staff the Government shall provide a panel of names, enabling

the Council to select and accept the same. The State Government shall take necessary action under the relevant Rules and procedure against the officers and staff, found involved in any prima-facie case of misconduct/dereliction of duty etc. during the period of deputation to the Council even after they are repatriated to the State Government.

- (I) The salary and allowances of the Principal Secretary and other Secretaries/Deputy Secretaries as well as the Officers and staff of the entrusted subjects/departments who are on deputation to the Council shall be paid by the Council and necessary funds for this purpose shall be made available to the Council by the State Government. In respect of provident fund, Group Insurance and other related matters, these Officers and staff shall continue to be controlled by the State Government. The Council shall not be liable to pay any leave salary, pension contribution, etc. In respect of these officers and staff of the entrusted subjects/departments placed under the administrative control.
- (J) The Karbi Anglong Autonomous Council shall prepare the estimates receipts and expenditure pertaining to Karbi Anglong Autonomous District in respect of entrusted subjects/ departments as per the allocations, norms etc. communicated by the State Government.

The State Government shall prepare the estimated receipts and expenditures, pertaining to Karbi Anglong Autonomous District in respect of non-entrusted subjects/departments and forward the same to the Karbi Anglong Autonomous Council.

The Karbi Anglong Autonomous Council in their Council session shall consider the estimated receipts and expenditure pertaining to Karbi Anglong Autonomous District in respect of both entrusted and non-entrusted subjects/departments and send the same along with the synopsis of their consideration to the State Government within the stipulated time as provided for in the paragraph 13 of Sixth Schedule to the Constitution of India.

Ordinarily no change will be made in the estimated receipts and expenditures as considered by the Karbi – Anglong Autonomous Council, in respect of the entrusted subjects/Departments. However, for any reasons, if it becomes necessary to do so, the Council, shall be consulted and reasons for the proposed changes shall be explained.

The State Govt. shall then place the estimated receipts and expenditures as considered by the Karbi Anglong

Autonomous Council, along with the synopsis before the State Legislature as provided for in the paragraph 13 of the Sixth Schedule to the Constitution of India.

- (K) In respect of the entrusted subjects/departments, the Council shall prepare the annual Plan by taking into account the special needs, physical resources, priorities, etc. as per the Annual Plan allocation against each sector/sub-sector, etc. by following the norms and guidelines of the Planning Commission of the Government of India. The Council shall send the Annual plan in respect of the entrusted subjects/departments to the Development Commissioner for Hill Areas of the State Government for inclusion in the Hill Areas Sub-Plan of the State. The other plan activities such as evolution, monitoring, compilation, quarterly review, etc. of the Hill Areas Sub-Plan shall be performed by the development Commissioner for Hill Areas as usual. In the finalisation for the Hill Areas sub-plan of the State of Assam by the Planning Commission of the Government of India, the officials of the Council shall be included in the State delegation.

- (L) There shall not be any common outlay in respect of Karbi Anglong District. The existing schemes under 'common outlay' shall be transferred to the Council as per their geographical locations.
- (M) All Centrally sponsored schemes/Central Sector Schemes/NEC Schemes/Externally Aided Schemes, etc. in respect of the entrusted subjects/departments for which fund will be released by the State Government to the Council as per sanction and release by the Government of India to the State Govt. shall be implemented by the Council as per the norms and guidelines of the Government of India and communicated by the State Government.
- (M) All.
- (N) In case of any confusion/doubt/interpretation of any clause/clauses of the MoU, etc. arising out of any matter in exercise of the aforesaid delegated and entrusted powers, the matter shall be referred to the Governor for final decision.

This Office, memorandum is issued due consultation and with the consent of the Karbi Anglong Autonomous Council and it supersedes the Office Memorandum issued earlier from time to time on this subject in so far as they relate to the Karbi Anglong Autonomous Council. However, all actions

taken acts done under the office Memorandum, so superseded shall be deemed to have been validly taken or done.

This Office Memorandum comes into force with immediate effect.

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(T.K. Kamilla) dt. 31.12.96.

Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Assam.