## GOVT OF NATIONAL CAPITAL TERRITORY OF DELHI REVENUE DEPARTMENT C.C. SECTION, ROOM NO-206, B-BLOCK 5- SHAM NATH MARG, DELHI-54

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## Sub: Regarding marriage involving Foreign Nationals u/s 15 of Special Marriage Act 1954

The Department has come across cases where certain Embassies refuse to provide the prescribed No Objection Certificate required by Revenue Department as an established practice to ascertain marital status/ citizenship. It is felt that in exceptional cases where Embassy neither communicates any objection nor furnishes No Objection Certificate, the following steps may be taken with prior approval of Divisional commissioner.

- (1) The concerned person may be asked to furnish an affidavit duly attested by the official of the concerned Embassy in India. If the Embassy chooses not to attest even the affidavit, the Foreign National may get the Affidavit attested by an Executive Magistrate on the basis of identity disclosed through the passport.
- (2) In such cases, marriage certificate may then be issued with a disclaimer at the foot note stating that "the marriage is being registered on the basis of documents furnished by the parties engaged in/having solemnized the marriage. The Marriage Officer is not certifying the authenticity of the documents. The party to the marriage shall be personally responsible for any persuasion, fraud or violation of any law for the time being inforce."

This issues with the approval of Secretary(Revenue)-cum-Divisional commissioner.

JUHI MUKHERJEE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER-II ( HQ)

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1. P.S to Divisional commissioner, 5, Sham Nath Marg, Delhi.

2. P.A. to DC-II (HQ), 5, Sham Nath Marg, Delhi.

3. All Deputy Commissioner, Revenue Department, Delhi

System Analyst to upload the web-site of the Department and make necessary correction in the e-distict portal.

5. Guard file

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