



**GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM**  
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**ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF ASSAM**  
**NOTIFICATION**

**Dated: Dispur, the 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2021**

**No.AR.44/2018/Pt.26/14** : The Governor of Assam is pleased to order that the Guwahati Development Department and the Urban Development Department be merged, and henceforth renamed as "Department of Housing and Urban Affairs".

All correspondence will now be made in the name of the Department of Housing and Urban Affairs, instead of the Guwahati Development Department or the Urban Development Department.

Above mention department is merged as per the recommendation of the Report of the Assam Administrative Reforms Commissions,2005, so as to streamline the departments which will be cost effective, less overlapping in terms of functions and more citizen friendly.

This will come into force with immediate effect.

*Archana Varma 20/7*

Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Assam  
Administrative Reforms and Training Department  
**Dated: Dispur, the 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2021**

**Memo No.AR.44/2018/Pt.26/14-A**

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1. Accountant General, Assam Maidamgaon, Beltola, Ghy.-29.
2. The Commissioner to the Governor of Assam.
3. PPS to Hon'ble Chief Minister, Assam, for kind appraisal of Chief Minister, Assam.
4. SO to the Chief Secretary, Assam, for kind appraisal of Chief Secretary, Assam.
5. All Divisional Commissioners, Assam.
6. All Deputy Commissioners & Sub-Divisional Officers.
7. All Departments of the Assam Secretariat.
8. All Heads of Departments.
9. P. S. to the All Ministers, Ministers of Independent Charge and Ministers of State.
10. P. S. to the Principal Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister of Assam, for kind appraisal of Principal Secretary.
11. The Superintendent of Assam Govt. Press for favour of publication in the next issue of the Assam Gazette.

By order etc.,

*Shakati 20/7/2021*

Joint Secretary to the Govt. of Assam  
Administrative Reforms and Training Department