F. NO. 35-12A/NMA-2021 Government of India Ministry Of Culture National Monuments Authority

24, Tilak Marg, New Delhi-110001

Dated: 03.01.2022

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This is in connection with applications for grant of NOC from National Monuments Authority (NMA) for construction/reconstruction in the Regulated areas of Centrally Protected Monuments and Sites. It was decided that applications for granting NOC under AMASR Act where the total built up area (existing + proposed) is more than 5000 square meters the application should be submitted in hard copy along with Heritage Impact Assessment (HIA) report through the Competent Authority.

- In this regard, we have received a letter from INTACH stating that all matters pertaining to HIA may be referred to their Architectural Heritage Division, INTACH Headquarters, New Delhi and not to any regional offices, Chapters, Convenors, members or associated experts etc. Copy of the said letter, which is self explanatory, is enclosed for ready reference.
- All Competent Authorities of NMA are requested to take note of the aforesaid directions of INTACH for compliance in all cases where INTACH has been engaged by the NOC applicants as the agency for preparing the HIA report.

(N. T. Paite) Director

Enclosed: As above.

To,

All Competent Authorities of NMA

Copy for information to:

- 1. PS to Chairman. NMA
- 2. PS to MS, NMA
- 3. SA (all circles of ASI)
- 4. Member Secretary, INTACH, New Delhi.
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Subject: Heritage Impact Assessment (HIA)

Dear Sir,

As per our discussion during our last meeting, it is requested that all matters of Heritage Impact Assessment (HIA) may please be referred to us at the Architectural Heritage Division, INTACH headquarters, New Delhi and not to any of our regional offices, Chapters, Convenors, members or associated experts etc. This is as per the direction of the Competent Authority of INTACH.

You are kindly requested to inform the concerned competent authorities of NMA to direct the applicants to get the HIAs prepared by the Architectural Heritage Division of INTACH (in case INTACH is nominated).

Thank you for your cooperation.

Warm regards,

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