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To,

Shri Toko Tatung

Hon'ble Member of Legislative Assembly

16-Yachuli (ST) Constituency

Arunachal Pradesh

<u>Subject: Appreciation for Your Advocacy on Women's Rights and</u>
<u>Appeal for Legislative Action on Polygamy.</u>

Respected Sir,

On behalf of the Arunachal Pradesh Women's Welfare Society, I extend my deepest appreciation and heartfelt gratitude for your resolute commitment to championing the rights and welfare of women in our state. Your vocal advocacy and firm stance against the practice of polygamy reflect the visionary leadership that is essential in fostering a more just and equitable society.

Your courageous efforts in addressing this deeply rooted social issue have not only uplifted the morale of countless women across Arunachal Pradesh but have also reinforced public confidence in the pursuit of justice, equality, and gender empowerment. By bringing this critical issue into the public discourse, you have demonstrated an unwavering dedication to safeguarding the dignity and rights of women, many of whom continue to suffer the adverse consequences of polygamous marriages.

Beyond the significant hardships faced by women, the impact of polygamy on children's overall health, upbringing, and emotional well-being is equally concerning. Children from polygamous and broken families often experience instability, emotional neglect, and a lack of proper parental care, which severely affects their mental and physical development. It has been observed that many such children struggle with psychological distress, low self-esteem, and difficulties in social integration.

Of particular concern is the alarming trend of substance abuse and depression among children from broken families. The absence of a nurturing and supportive family environment often leaves these children vulnerable to negative influences, leading them down a path of addiction



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and mental health struggles. These challenges not only affect their personal well-being but also contribute to broader societal issues, including juvenile delinquency, school dropouts, and an increased burden on the healthcare system.

Recognizing the gravity of this concern, we earnestly appeal to you to raise the issue of polygamy in the forthcoming session of the Arunachal Pradesh Legislative Assembly, scheduled to commence on 6th March 2025. Your proactive leadership in steering meaningful legislative discussions and advocating for concrete policy measures to address this practice will be instrumental in shaping a more progressive legal and social framework for women's and children's rights in our state.

We firmly believe that with your continued advocacy, the voices of countless women and children who have endured the negative consequences of polygamy will be heard, and their grievances will be addressed through well-considered legislative and policy interventions. Your leadership in this matter will serve as an inspiration to policymakers, community leaders, and civil society organizations working towards gender justice and child welfare.

Once again, we express our profound gratitude for your dedication to this cause. We extend our unwavering support to you in this important endeavor and stand ready to collaborate in any capacity that may further strengthen efforts to uphold the rights and dignity of women and children in Arunachal Pradesh.

With deepest regards,

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