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TOURISM & CULTURE (TOURISM) DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 8th July, 2013

No. 8021-T.TSP-III-27/2013(Pt.)/TSM.— In pursuance of provision of clause 9.1 of Odisha Tourism Policy 2013 issued vide Tourism Department Resolution No. 4871, dated the 17th April, 2013 and published in Extraordinary issue of *Odisha Gazette* bearing number 744, dated the 20th April, 2013, Government have been pleased to constitute the **State Tourism Promotion Council (STPC)**, the apex body to guide and monitor the development of tourism and various tourism related issues of the State. The STPC will be headed by the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Government of Odisha. It will also act as the high level clearance authority for tourism projects shall have the following members:—

(1)	(2)
Chief Minister	Chairman
Minister of Tourism	Member
Minister of Forest & Environment	Member
Minister of Transport	Member
Chief Secretary of State	Member
Secretary, Finance	Member
Secretary (Tourism)	Member Secretary
Secretary (Forest & Environment)	Member
Secretary (Transport)	Member
Secretary, Handloom & Handicrafts	Member
General Managers of Railway Divisions covering Odisha	Member
Senior representative from FICCI	Member

Senior representative from CII	Member
Representative from Airport Authority of India	Member
Representative from 2 major airlines operating in the State (nominated by the Secretary, Tourism)	Member
Representative from IATO / TAAI	Member
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Two leading hoteliers(nominated by the Secretary, Tourism)	Member
Representative of ASI	Member
Director, Department of Tourism	Member Convenor

The nominated members shall have a maximum tenure of 3 years unless renewed by the Secretary, Tourism. The STPC shall meet atleast once in 12 months.

The State Tourism Promotional Council will review and monitor, time to time, the implementation of the Policy and suggest changes in the policy frame work.

ORDER

Ordered that the notification be published in the Extraordinary issue of *Odisha Gazette* and copies thereof be forwarded to all the members / all Departments / all Heads of Departments / all RDC / all Collectors / Accountant General (A&E), Odisha.

By Order of the Governor

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