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Dated Dehradun, October 21, 2020NOTIFICATIONMiscellaneous

In pursuance of the provisions of Clause (3) of Article 348 of the Constitution of India, the Governor is pleased to order the publication of the following English translation of '**The Uttarakhand District Planning Committee (Amendment) Act, 2020**' (Act No. 26 of 2020).

As passed by the Uttarakhand Legislative Assembly and assented to by the Governor on 16 October, 2020.

The Uttarakhand District Planning Committee (Amendment) Act, 2020
(Uttarakhand Act no. 26 of 2020)

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ACT

further to amend the Uttarakhand District Planning Committee Act, 2007;

Be it enacted by the Uttarakhand State Legislative Assembly in the Seventy-first Year of the Republic of India as follows:-

Short title and commencement 1. (1) This Act may be called the Uttarakhand District Planning Committee (Amendment) Act, 2020.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

Insertion of new section 8-A 2. After section 8 of the Uttarakhand District Planning Committee Act, 2007, the following section shall be inserted, namely—

"8-A. Approval and application of District plan in inevitable circumstances:

Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act or any other Act when in opinion of the State Election Commission such emergency circumstances

exist, that it is not feasible to conduct the election than, till such circumstances exist, proposed district plan after the approval of the State Government may be approved and applied in the concerned district by the District Magistrate of the concerned district."

Repeal and saving 3.

(1) The Uttarakhand District Planning Committee (Amendment) Ordinance, 2020 (Uttarakhand Ordinance No. 6 of 2020) is hereby repealed.

(2) Notwithstanding such repeal anything done or any action taken under the said Ordinance shall be deemed to have been done or taken under the corresponding provisions of this Act.

By Order,

PREM SINGH KHIMAL,
Secretary.

Statement of Objects and Reasons

Whereas, the State Government is satisfied that it is not feasible to conduct the election of the District Planning Committee due to present emergency circumstances. Therefore it is necessary to authorise the District Magistrate of the concerned district to grant and implement the proposed district plan.

- 2- Compliance with the following said arrangement the Uttarakhand District Planning Committee (Amendment) Ordinance, 2020 has been promulgated.
- 3- The proposed Bill is the replacing Bill of the said Ordinance.
- 4- The proposed Bill fulfills the aforesaid objectives.

Arvind Pandey
Minister.