

**MINISTRY OF SOCIAL INTEGRATION, SOCIAL SECURITY AND  
NATIONAL SOLIDARITY  
(Social Security and National Solidarity Division)**

**PRESS COMMUNIQUÉ**

The Ministry of Social Integration, Social Security and National Solidarity wishes to inform that any person who carries on a residential care home without a licence shall commit an offence and shall, on conviction, be liable to a fine of not less than 25,000 rupees and not more than 100,000 rupees and to imprisonment not exceeding 5 years in accordance with Section 26 of the Residential Care Homes Act.

Any person wishing to admit his relative into residential care home shall ensure that the chosen home holds a valid licence in accordance with aforesaid Act.

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