Dear Madam/Sir,

As you may be aware, there is huge shortage of Organs available, as compared to the number of patients who require Organ transplants in our country resulting in a wide gap between demand and supply of organs.

A donor after Brain Stem Death, can donate up to 8 vital organs namely 2 Kidneys, Liver, Heart, 2 Lungs, Pancreas and Small intestine & many tissues like Cornea (Eye), Bone, Skin, Heart valves etc. Thus, one such donor can save up to 8 to 9 lives through organ donation and improve the quality of life of many others through tissue donation. Further, a donor after natural death can also donate tissues (like Cornea, Bone, Skin, Blood vessels) etc. Organ Donation is best possible in the situation of Brain stem death, before the heart stops.

Hon’ble PM Shri Narendra Modi has also highlighted the importance of organ donation in his Mann Ki Baat program.

Anyone can take pledge for Organ donation through NOTTO web-portal https://notto.abdm.gov.in/pledge-registry. A 24x7 toll-free helpline No. 1800114770 is functional for providing any guidance related to pledging process or information on organ donation. The aforesaid web portal can also be accessed through scanning the QR Code as depicted here:-

It is requested to disseminate the information widely so as to engage with all stakeholders to get associated with the noble cause of Organ Donation for the sake of humanity.

Let us all join this national endeavor to promote organ donation and make all efforts to inspire our family, friends and fellow citizens to donate organs and tissues after death.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Dr. Anil Kumar)

To

Director/Joint Director/In-charge, All ROTTOs/SOTTOs