

Agreement of future care for Abhigyan and Aishwarya

This agreement is to meet the decision set on the 28th of November 2011 of the County Committee for Child Welfare and Social Affairs in Rogaland, Norway and to make a settlement by the county court of Stavanger to ensure that the children Abhigyan and Aishwarya can return to India to grow up with their parental uncle as primary caretaker. The agreement sets out the responsibilities and obligations of both the biological parents and for the parental uncle Arunabhas Bhattacharya.

As parents of Abhigyan and Aishwarya we agree that

Our children Abhigyan, born 12.10.08, and Aishwarya, born 06.12.10, are placed in foster care with their parental uncle, Arunabhas Bhattacharya. He will be their custodian parent and they will live with him as long as they are minors in accordance with the Indian Juvenile Justice (Care & Protection of Children) Act, 2000, section 42 (2).

The children shall be placed with the uncle as custodian parent even if we as the parents choose not to live together, separate or divorce.

Abhigyan is in need of medical treatment and necessary follow ups. The reputed Dr. Anjan Bhattacharya, who is a specialist in Emotional Behavioral Development has agreed to treat the boy at the Apollo Gleneagles Hospital, Kolkata.

We will cover all expenses related to this necessary treatment.

As foster parent I agree to

Care for the children who are placed with me as they were a member of my family and promote their welfare. To promote the children's well being in respect of their physical, emotional, and cultural development. Contribute to the assessments of the children's educational needs. Actively encourage the children's knowledge and experience of their religious, cultural and linguistic background and ethnicity.

Ensure that the children are registered with a General Practitioner and that they receive appropriate health care which may include contact with General Practitioners, dentists, opticians and mental health specialists. Furthermore the information gathered by the Norwegian authorities will be made available to the relevant specialists in India.

Stavanger 19.03.12

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Anurup Bhattacharya

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Arunabhas Bhattacharya

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Sagrika Bhattacharya

This agreement is notarized by the Indian Embassy in Oslo which recognizes the agreement under Indian law as stated in the Annexure I (Note from the Embassy of India).