

**MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION****NOTIFICATION**

New Delhi, the 7th February, 2017

**S.O. 395(E).**—Whereas an M/s Aman Aviation Pvt. Ltd. Robinson R44 helicopter VT-PHB was involved in an accident at Juhu aerodrome on 11.12.2016 while operating joyride flight over Mumbai.

And whereas, it appears to the Central Government that it is expedient to investigate and determine the causes and contributory factors leading to the said accident and make recommendations to avoid recurrence of such accidents in future.

Now, in the exercise of the powers conferred by the Rule 11(1) of the Aircraft (Investigation of Accidents and Incidents) Rules, 2012, the Central Government hereby directs that a formal inquiry in the accident be made.

Accordingly, the Central Government hereby appoints a Committee of Inquiry headed by Sh. R S Passi, Deputy Director, AAIB with following members:

- (i) Sh. K Ramachandran, Air Safety Office, AAIB as member
- (ii) Col. Pradeep Srivastava, Pool of Experts of AAIB as member

The committee will also take the assistance of other experts/agencies whenever required.

The headquarters of the Committee will be at New Delhi.

The Committee will complete its inquiry and submit its report to the Central Government preferably within six months.

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