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**GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL**

**Personnel & Administrative Reforms and e-Governance Department**

No. 81/AR/O/2R-1/2011

Dated the 20th March, 2017

**NOTIFICATION**

In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 (2 of 1974) (hereinafter referred to as the said Code) and in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, the Governor is pleased hereby to alter, with effect from the 4th day of April, 2017 :-

- (a) The limits of the existing Paschim Medinipur district by way of bifurcating it into two separate districts, namely, Paschim Medinipur with its headquarters at Medinipur and Jhargram with its headquarters at Jhargram; and
- (b) The number of districts in the Medinipur Division into five which will be as follows, namely :-
  - 1) Paschim Medinipur
  - 2) Purba Medinipur
  - 3) Bankura
  - 4) Purulia
  - 5) Jhargram

By order of the Governor,

**BASUDEB BANERJEE**

Chief Secretary to the Government of West Bengal