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GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY **DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT**

No. 1992/DCE/S1/2018.

Puducherry, dated 16th April 2018.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 70 of the Puducherry Excise Act, 1970 (No.12 of 1970), the Lieutenant-Governor, Puducherry, hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Puducherry Excise Rules, 1970, the Draft of the same having been previously published in the Extraordinary Gazette No. 11, Part II, dated 27th March, 2018, as required by sub-section (1) of section 70 of the said Act, inviting objections and suggestions from all persons likely to be affected thereby, within seven days from the date of publication of the said notification in the Official Gazette;

And whereas, no objections or suggestions have been received within the abovesaid stipulated time and therefore, the Government have decided to confirm the said rules issued in respect of the proposal for amendment to the Puducherry Excise Rules, 1970;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 70 of the Puducherry Excise Act, 1970 (No. 12 of 1970), the Lieutenant-Governor, Puducherry, hereby makes the following rules, further to amend the Puducherry Excise Rules, 1970, namely:-

- 1. Short title and commencement.— (i) These rules may be called the Puducherry Excise (Second Amendment) Rules, 2018.
- (ii) They shall come into force on and from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
- 2. Amendment of rule 5A.— In the Puducherry Excise Rules, 1970, (hereinafter referred to as the said rules), in rule 5A, for the existing words 'six rupees' the words 'seven rupees' shall be substituted.
- 3. Amendment of rule 5B.— In the said rules, in rule 5B, for the existing entries "Rs. 2.50", the following entries "Rs. 3.50" shall be substituted.
- 4. Amendment of rule 109A.— In the said rules, in rule 109A, for the existing rule, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"Collection of Label Fee.— A label fee of $\ref{6,000}$ per annum per brand per pack size on existing labels of various pack sizes and $\ref{12,000}$ per brand per pack size for new labels for the first year and $\ref{6,000}$ per brand per pack size for every subsequent years, thereafter shall be collected.

Provided that where a label fee has already been collected per brand, the applicable differential label fee shall be collected per brand per pack size on the existing labels.

Explanation: For the purposes of these rules, the pack size refers to the capacity of the individual package for which the label is intended to be affixed to or printed on the package containing liquor."

5. Amendment of rule 109B.— In the said rules, in rule 109B, for the existing rule, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"Collection of label fee for Imported brands.- A label fee of ₹10,000 per annum per brand per pack size on existing imported brand labels of various pack sizes and ₹20,000 per brand per pack size for new imported labels for the first year and ₹10,000 per brand per pack size for every subsequent years, thereafter shall be collected.

Provided that where a label fee has already been collected per brand, the applicable differential label fee shall be collected per brand per pack size on the existing labels.

Explanation: For the purposes of these rules, the pack size refers to the capacity of the individual package for which the label is intended to be affixed to or printed on the package containing liquor."

(By order of the Lieutenant-Governor)

G. Johnson,
Under Secretary to Government (Revenue).

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