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NOTIFICATION

Imphal, the 13th December, 2021

No. ARREV-102/1/2021-REV-REVENUE: In exercise of the powers conferred by section 24 read with section 8(4) of the Manipur Conservation of Paddy Land and Wetland Act, 2014 (Act No. 10 of 2014), the Governor of Manipur is pleased to make the following rules, namely:-

The Manipur Conservation of Paddy Land and Wetland (Conversion of Paddy Land for Public Purposes and Fees) Rules, 2021

1. Short title and commencement: -

(1) These rules may be called the Manipur Conservation of Paddy Land and Wetland (Conversion of Paddy Land for Public Purposes and Fees) Rules, 2021.

(2) These rules shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. Definition: - In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires,-

"Act" means the Manipur Conservation of Paddy Land and Wetland Act, 2014 (Act No. 10 of 2014).

3. Permission for conversion of paddy land for public purposes: -

(1) The Revenue Department shall place the application along with the report before the State Level Committee who shall examine the report. The State Level Committee may call for such additional information from the Deputy Commissioner concerned as may be considered necessary for examining the proposal for conversion. After such examination, the State Level Committee shall submit the report to the Revenue Department along with its recommendation, for its decision.

(2) The decision taken as per Rule 3 (1) will be conveyed by the Revenue Department to the Deputy Commissioner for implementation.

(3) The Deputy Commissioner shall ensure that fee of an amount equal to the difference between value of agricultural land and non-agricultural/homestead land in the revenue village where the land is located, or an amount of Rs. 500/- per square meter, whichever is higher, is deposited by the applicant to the Government account before conversion of the paddy land.

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Government of Manipur.