

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA**  
**DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR, EMPLOYMENT & SKILL DEVELOPMENT**

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**BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR**

**NOTIFICATION**

Dated Shillong, the 16<sup>th</sup> January, 2025

No: LE&SD.62/2024/85: In exercise of the powers conferred under Section 112 of the Factories Act, 1948 (Central Act 63 of 1948), the State Government of Meghalaya hereby makes the following rules to further amend the Meghalaya Factories Rules, 1980, (herein after referred to as the Principal Rules), namely:-

**THE MEGHALAYA FACTORIES (AMENDMENT) RULES, 2025.**

**Short title and commencement.**

1. (1) These Rules may be called the Meghalaya Factories (Amendment) Rules, 2025.
- (2) They shall extend to the whole State of Meghalaya.
- (3) They shall come into force with effect from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

**Amendment of sub-rule (2) of Rule 6**

2. The existing sub-rule (2) of Rule 6 of the Principal Rules, shall be substituted by the following:-

“(2) Every license granted or renewed under this chapter shall remain valid or be in force for a minimum period of one year to a maximum period of 10 years as applicable. The license so granted or renewed shall remain valid up to the end of the tenure period.”

**Amendment of sub-rule (2) of Rule 8**

3. The existing sub-rule (2) of Rule 8 of the Principal Rules, shall be substituted by the following:-

“(2) Every application for renewal of a License shall be applied online, and shall be made not less than 2 (two) months before the date on which the License expires, and, if the application is so made, the premises shall be held to duly licensed for a validity period of 1 (one) year and may be extended to 10 (ten) years on a case-to-case basis as applicable with the approval of the Chief Inspector.”

Sd/-

(Shri. C. Songate, IRS)

Principal Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya,  
Department of Labour, Employment & Skill Development

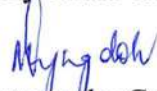
**Memo.No. LE& SD 62/2024/85-A**

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Copy to:-

1. The P.S. to Chief Minister to the Govt. of Meghalaya for favour of kind information of Hon'ble Chief Minister.
2. The P.S. to Minister in-charge Department of Labour, Employment & Skill Development Department for information of Minister.
3. The P.S. to all Ministers, Meghalaya for favour of kind information of Minister.
4. The P.S. to Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya for favour of kind information of the Chief Secretary.
5. P.S to the Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya, Department of Labour Employment & Skill Development, & Chairman, Meghalaya Building and Other Construction Workers' Welfare Board, for favour of kind information of Principal Secretary.
6. To the Secretary, Ministry of Labour and Employment, Room No 104, Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg New Delhi-110001.
7. P.A to the Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya, The Cabinet Affairs Department Labour, Employment & Skill Development Department for kind information of Secretary.
8. Deputy Commissioner of all Districts for kind information.
9. The Labour Commissioner, Meghalaya, Shillong for information and necessary action.
10. To the Chief Inspector of Boilers and Factories with necessary action to circulate to the Registered Factories of the State of Meghalaya.
11. The Joint Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya, Department Labour, Employment & Skill Development Department for favour kind information.
12. Cabinet Affairs Department with reference endorsement vide I/D No 6/2025 dated 13.1.2025.
13. NIC to upload in the website and office portal of the Department.
14. All Administrative Departments/ All Heads of Departments.
15. The Director of Printing & Stationery, Meghalaya, Shillong for publication in the next issue of the Meghalaya Gazette with a request to supply 200(two hundred) copies to this Department.

By Order etc.,



Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,  
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