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GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BANGLADESH  
MINISTRY OF LAW, PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND JUSTICE  
(Law and Parliamentary Affairs Division)

NOTIFICATION

Dacca, the 20th January 1976.

No. 67-Pub.—The following Regulations made by the President and Chief Martial Law Administrator of the People's Republic of Bangladesh, on the 19th January, 1976, is hereby published for general information:—

**THE MARTIAL LAW (NINTH AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 1976**

Regulations No. III of 1976

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Martial Law Regulations, 1975 (Regulations No. I of 1975), for the purposes hereinafter appearing:

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the Proclamations of the 20th August, 1975, and 8th November, 1975, and in exercise of all powers enabling him in that behalf, the Chief Martial Law Administrator is pleased to make the following Martial Law Regulations:—

1. **Short title.**—These Regulations may be called the Martial Law (Ninth Amendment) Regulations, 1976.

2. **Amendment of Regulation 3, Regulations No. I of 1975.**—In the Martial Law Regulations, 1975 (Regulations No. I of 1975), hereinafter referred to as the said Regulations, in Regulation 3,—

(a) in paragraph (1), *after* the word “Inspector”, the words “or an Officer of the Bangladesh Bureau of Anti-Corruption not below the rank of Inspector or Deputy Assistant Director” shall be *inserted*; and

(b) in paragraph (3), the following explanation shall be *added*, namely:—

“*Explanation.*—When an offence triable under these Regulations is committed outside Bangladesh, it shall be deemed to have been committed within the territorial limits of the jurisdiction of the Martial Law Court in which the person committing the offence is found.”

3. **Amendment of Regulation 7, Regulations No. I of 1975.**—In the said Regulations, in Regulation 7, in paragraph (1), *after* the word “Inspector”, the words “or any Officer of the Bangladesh Bureau of Anti-Corruption not below the rank of Inspector or Deputy Assistant Director” shall be *inserted*.

4. **Addition of new Regulation 19, Regulations No. I of 1975.**—In the said Regulations, *after* Regulation 18, the following new Regulation shall be *added*, namely:—

“19. **Penalty for smuggling.**—(1) Whoever, in breach of any prohibition or restriction imposed by or under any law for the time being in force or evading payment of customs duties or taxes leviable thereon under any law for the time being in force, takes out of or conspires or makes preparation to take out of our brings into or conspires or makes preparation to bring into Bangladesh any goods, including currency, shall, without prejudice to any confiscation or penalty to which the goods or he may be liable under any law for the time being in force, be punishable with death, or with transportation for life, or with rigorous imprisonment for a term which may extend to fourteen years, and shall also be liable to fine or to suffer confiscation of the whole or any part of his property.

(2) Where any goods are seized in the reasonable belief that they have been smuggled into Bangladesh in contravention of any prohibition or restriction imposed by or under any law for the time being in force, the burden of proving that they are not smuggled goods shall be on the person from whose possession the goods are seized.”

ABUSADAT MOHAMMAD SAYEM  
*Chief Martial Law Administrator.*

DACCA;

*The 19th January, 1976.*

A. K. TALUKDAR  
*Deputy Secretary.*

CABINET SECRETARIAT

Establishment Division

NOTIFICATION

Dacca, the 19th January 1976.

No. ED/RVI-5/76-6.—The President has been pleased to re-organise the Departments, Directorates, etc., of the Government with immediate effect, as under:—

- (1) The Department of Crops Preservation be merged with the Department of Agriculture (Extension and Management).
- (2) The Office of the Superintendent of Road Transport Maintenance be merged with the office of the Secretary, Bangladesh Road Transport Authority.
- (3) Department of Health Services (Curative) and the Department of Health Services (Medical Education, Training and Research) be merged together into one Department.
- (4) Office of the Chief Inspector of Boilers and the Inspectorate of Explosives be merged together into one office.
- (5) Press information Department and Mass Communication Department be merged together into one Department.
- (6) Department of Films and the Department of Publication be merged into one Department.
- (7) The Department of Trade Union and the Department of Labour be merged together into one Department.

By order of the President  
and  
Chief Martial Law Administrator  
M. KERAMAT ALI  
Establishment Secretary.

শ্রম, সমাজকল্যাণ, সাংস্কৃতিক এবং ক্রীড়া বিষয়ক মন্ত্রণালয়

(শ্রম ও সমাজকল্যাণ বিভাগ)

শাখা ৬

বিজ্ঞপ্তি

ঢাকা, ১৬ই জানুয়ারী ১৯৭৬।

নং এস, আর, ৩, ২৮-এল/৭৬ শা-৬/২(২)/৭৫/২৯—যেহেতু হোটেল এবং রেস্টুরেন্ট শিল্প প্রতিষ্ঠানের মালিক পক্ষের সদস্য জনাব আব্দুছ সান্তার কোন কারণ না দর্শাইয়া এবং নিম্নতম মজুরী বোর্ডের চেয়ারম্যান সাহেবের বিনা অনুমতিতে বোর্ডের পর পর ৪টি মিটিং-এ অনুপস্থিত ছিলেন সেহেতু ১৯৬১ সালের নিম্নতম মজুরী বিধির ৪ নং বিধির ৪ উপ-বিধিতে প্রদত্ত ক্ষমতাবলে সরকার উক্ত জনাব আব্দুছ সান্তারের নিম্নতম মজুরী বোর্ডের সদস্য পদ শূন্য বলিয়া ঘোষণা করিলেন।

এই বিজ্ঞপ্তি অবিলম্বে কার্যকরী হইবে।

রাষ্ট্রপতির আদেশক্রমে  
মোঃ খাদেম আলী  
উপ-সচিব।

MINISTRY OF FINANCE

(Customs)

NOTIFICATION

Dacca, the 20th January, 1976.

No. S.R.O. 29-L/76/270/D/Cus.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 19 of the Customs Act, 1969 (IV of 1969), the Government is pleased to rescind the erstwhile Government of Pakistan, Ministry of Finance Notification No. S.R.O. 84(R)/66, dated the 11th June, 1966.

By order of the President

A. K. M. WALIUL ISLAM

*Joint Secretary.*

[C. No. 8(4)Cus-1/75]