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Port (Esstt. Ctg.) Section

NOTIFICATION

Dacca, the 15th July 1981

No. S.R.O. 238-L/81/PE/4R-7/81-356.—The following draft of certain further amendments to the Rules for licensing and regulating passenger boats, cargo boats and flats in the port of Chittagong published by the erstwhile Government of India, Department of Communications Notification No. 10-P(31)/37, dated the 2nd July, 1938 which it is proposed to make in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (k) of sub-section (l) of section 6 of the Ports Act, 1908 (XV of 1908), is hereby published as required by sub-section (2) of the said section for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby and notice is hereby given that the draft will be taken into consideration on or after 15th August 1981.

Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the said draft before the date specified will be considered by the Government:

Draft Amendments

In the aforesaid Rules:-

 Throughout the Rules including the marginal Notes for the words or, as the case may be, word "Port Commissioner or Commissioners" wherever occurring the word "Authority" shall be substituted.

(2221)

Price: 50 Paiso

2.	In	rule	5,-

- (a) the words, commas, figures, letters and full-stop "A license may however, be issued after 30th June in any year on payment of half the annual licence fee" shall be omitted and
- (b) for the marginal Notes the following shall be substituted, namely:-
- "Licenses for passenger boat to remain in force until 31st December of the year of issue unless revoked"
- For rule 8 the following shall be substituted, namely:—
 "Fees to be paid for issue, renewals, etc., of passenger Licenses.

The following fees shall be payable for the issue, Renewal, etc., of passenger licenses granted under these rules:—

- (1) For surveying, registering, licensing and issuing license to passenger boats ... Tk. 3.00
- (2) Painting number of license on passenger boat in vernacular ... Tk, 1.00
- (3) License for persons in charges of boats ... Tk. 1.90
- (4) Endorsement of change of owner on register and license Tk. 2.00
- (5) Issue of new license to boats or to majhees in lieu of those defaced or lost ... Tk. 1.00"
- 4. In rule 12 for the words "Sea Customs Act" the words "Customs Act" shall be substituted.
- 5. In rule 8 the word "India" shall be omitted.
- 6. For rule 24 the following shall be substituted, namely:-
 - "Scale of Charges—(1) The following shall be the scale of charges for the hire of licensed boats plying between steamers lying at moorings and the shore in the harbour limits:
 - (a) Between 5 a.m. and 7 p.m.
 - (i) For each adult passenger from or to steamers with baggage mot exceeding 10 seers ... 25 paisa.
 - (ii) For each passenger under 12 years with baggage as above ... 10 paisa.
 - (iii) For luggage in excees of 10 seers ... 10 paisa per maund or fraction of a maund.

- (b) Between 7 p.m and 5 a.m.
- (2) Scale of charges within port limits for each adult passenger with baggage not exceeding 10 seers:—
 - (a) Between 5 a, m, and 7 p. m.
 - (i) Sadarghat to any place up to Chaktai ... 50 paisa
 - (ii) Sadarghat to Meheshkhali 50 paisa
 - (iii) Sadarghat to Bandar/Chaktai to Kalurghat ... Tk.1:00
 - (iv) Across the river to opposite bank 50 paisa
 - (v) Each passenger under 12 years ... Half fare.

Notes—Luggage in excees of 10 seers ... 25 paisa per maund or faction of a maund.

Between 7 p.m. and 5 a.m. .. Double the above fare.

- (3) The above fares are exclusive of any rates charged by Zilla Parishad or Municipality".
- 7. In rule 28, the proviso shall be omitted.
- 8. in rule 29,-
 - (a) sub-rule (a) shall be re-numbered as sub-rule (1) and in sub-rule (1) re-numbered as aforesaid for the marginal noted the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"Cargo boat licenses to remain in force until 31st December of the year of issue unless revoked or suspended and fees for cargo boat licenses to remain in force until 31st December of the year of issue unless revoked or suspended and fees for cargo boat licenses, and (b) for sub-rule (b) the following shall be substituted, namely:—

- (b) The following shall be substituted, namely:-
 - (2) The following fees shall be payable, in respect of cargo licenses granted under these rules, namely:—
 - (1) For surveying, registering, branding and issuing a license to a cargo boat or flat

Tk.1.00 per ton or part thereof subject to minimum of Tk, 5.00.

- (4) For endorsement of change of ownership on the register and license Tk. 2:00
- (5) For the issue of a duplicate license to a vessel in lieu of license that has been lost ... Tk.5.00
- (6) For the issue of a duplicate license to the manjhee or the officer in charge of cargo boat or flat in lieu of license that has been lost ... Tk.2.00
- (7) For replacing the defaced license .. Tk.1.00

Note—The manihees or owners of all such boats shall appear at the license office with their boats during the period between 2nd and 31st January for obtaining or renewing their licenses on payment of the usual fees. They shall not be liable for prosecution by plying for hire on expired licenses during the month of January."

- In rule 30, the brackets, words, figure and full stop, this rule does not apply to the cases indicated in the proviso to rule 28 shall be omitted.
- 10. In rule 32 in the paragraph under heading class III, in the 3rd sub-paragraph for the figure '50' the figure '60' shall be substituted and II. After rule 34 the following shall be added, namely:

Notes License fees for ballam boat shall be as for cargo boat of flat.

35. Measurement of Tonnage—The following formulae are to be used in the computation of tonnage:—

Tonnage
$$\frac{L \times B \times D}{100} \times C$$

Where L=The length in feet from the inside of stem to inside of stem post at the height of gunwale amidships.

- B=The breadth in feet from side to side inside the seaming plank under the deck beam amidships.
- D=The depth in feet from uderside of deck beam amidships to upper side of foor ceiling plank.
- C = The following factors:-

0.64 for cargo boats and kisties.

0.77 for ballam boats.

0.9 for cargo flats.

In the case of boats carrying passengers the number of passengers that may be carried is equal to $\frac{L \times B}{6}$ where L and B are as defined above.

In the loading of a cargo boat of any description the tons weight must not exceed the tonnage figure given on the license certificate".

In these rules "Authority" means the Chittagong Port Authority established under section 4 of the Chittagong Port Authority Ordinance, 1976 (Ord. LII of 1976).

By order of the President
AHMED SHAHRIAR CHOWDHURY
Deputy Secretary.

MINISTRY OF LAW AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS

Justice Branch.

Section IV.

NOTIFICATIONS

Dacca, the 15th July, 1981.

No. S.R.O. 239-I /81/363-JIV/5C-4/81.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 13 of Civil Courts Act (XII of 1887), the Government is pleased to make the following amendments in this Ministry's Notification No. 119-JIV/5C-4/81, dated the 9th March, 1981, namely:—

In the aforesaid Notification, for serial 1 and 3 and the entries relating thereto in the first and second columns the following shall be substituted, namely:—

- "1. Subordinate Judge Court, Rangpur (Sadar)
- (1) All police stations of Sadar Subdivision.
- (2) Kaliganj.
- (3) Patgram.
- (4) Hatibandha.
- 3. Subordinate Judge Court, Nilphamari ...
- (1) All police stations of Nilphamari Subdivision".

No. S.R.O. 240-L/81/364-JIV/5C-4/81.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 13 of the Civil Courts Act (XII of 1887), the Government is pleased to make the following amendments in this Ministry's Notification No. 111-JIV/5C-4/81, dated the 9th March, 1981, namely:—

In the aforesaid Notification for serials 3 and 4 and the entries relating thereto in the first and second columns the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"1. Subordinate Judge, 4th Court, Mymensingh (Sadar).

(1) Phulpur, (2) Haluaghat,

(3) Dhobarua, (4) Durgapur.

2. Subordinate Judge Court, Netrokona

(1) Netrokona,

(2) Atpara,

(3) Barhatta, (4) Kalmakanda,

(5) Khaliajuri, (6) Madan,

(7) Mohonganj, (8) Purbadhala,

(9) Kendua".

By order of the President SYED MISBAHUDDIN HOSSAIN Deputy Secretary.

MINISTRY OF JUTE

NOTIFICATION

Dacca, the 17th July 1981

No. S.R.O. 242-L/81.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 20 of the Jute Ordinance, 1962 (LXXIV of 1962), the Government is pleased to make the following further amendments in the Jute (Licensing and Enforcement) Rules, 1964, namely:—

In the aforesaid Rules, in Schedule 1, for entry (4) and the entries relating thereto in the first and second columns the following shall be substituted, namely:

"(4) Exporter
(a) Raw Jute

.. Tk. 6,500

(b) Jute manufacture

.. Tk. 7,500".

By order of the President

MOHAMMAD ISMAIL HOSSAIN

Deputy Secretary.

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