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নং এস, অর, ও ২৫৪-আইন/৮৯—Petroleum Act, 1934 (XXX of 1934) এর section 4, sub-section (2) of section 5, sub-section (2) of section 14, sections 21 and 22 এবং sub-section (1) of section 29 এ প্রদত্ত ক্ষমতাবলে সরকার Petroleum Rules, 1937 এ কতিপয় অধিকতর সংশোধনী আনয়নের প্রস্তাব করিতেছেন। প্রস্তাবিত সংশোধনীর ফলে প্রভাবিত বা কতিপয় হইতে পারেন এমন ব্যক্তিদের অবগতির জন্য উক্ত Act এর section 29 এর sub-section (2) এর প্রয়োজন নোভাবেক প্রস্তাবিত সংশোধনীর খসড়া নিম্নে প্রকাশ করা হইল এবং এতদ্বারা নোটিশ প্রদান করা হইল যে উক্ত খসড়াতে অন্তর্ভুক্ত সংশোধনীসমূহ গেজেটে জারীর তারিখ হইতে ৩০ (ত্রিশ) দিন অতিবাহিত হইবার পর উক্ত সংশোধনী চূড়ান্তভাবে জারী করার জন্য বিবেচনা করা হইল।

উক্ত খসড়া সংশোধনী সম্পর্কে উল্লিখিত মেয়াদের মধ্যে নিম্নস্বাক্ষরকারী কোন আপত্তি বা পরামর্শ পাইলে সরকার তাহা বিবেচনা করিবেন :

খসড়া সংশোধনী

উপরি-উক্ত Rules এ,—

(১) তিনরূপ বিধান না থাকিলে, সর্বত্র—

(ক) “Armed Forces of Pakistan” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “Defence Services of Bangladesh” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

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- (খ) "Central Government" শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে "Government" শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (গ) "dangerous petroleum", "non-dangerous petroleum" এবং "heavy petroleum" শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে যথাক্রমে "Class I petroleum", "class II petroleum" এবং "Class III petroleum" শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (ঘ) "gallons" শব্দটির পরিবর্তে "litres" শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (ঙ) "mesh not less than 28 to the linear inch" শব্দগুলি ও সংখ্যাটির পরিবর্তে "mesh not less than 11 to the linear centimeter" শব্দগুলি ও সংখ্যাটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (চ) "Pakistan" শব্দটির পরিবর্তে "Bangladesh" শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (ছ) "Rs." শব্দটির পরিবর্তে "Taka" শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (জ) "one foot", "six inches", "three feet square", "12 feet", "20 feet", "30 feet", "100 feet" শব্দগুলি ও সংখ্যাগুলির পরিবর্তে "30 centimeters", "15 centimeters", "one meter square", "4 meters", "6 meters", "9 meters", "30 meters" সংখ্যাগুলি ও শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (ঝ) "2 gallons", "6 gallons", "60 gallons", "500 gallons", "1,000 gallons" এবং "2,000 gallons" সংখ্যাগুলির ও শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে যথাক্রমে "9 litres", "25 litres", "300 litres", "2,000 litres", "4,500 litres" এবং "9,000 litres" সংখ্যাগুলি এবং শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (ঞ) "75°F", "150°F" এবং "200°F" সংখ্যাগুলি, চিহ্নগুলি এবং বর্ণগুলির পরিবর্তে যথাক্রমে "23°C", "61°C" এবং "95°C" সংখ্যাগুলি, চিহ্নগুলি এবং বর্ণগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (২) rule 3 এর,—
- (ক) clause (b) এর পর নিম্নরূপ clause সন্নিবেশিত হইবে, যথা :—
- "(b) "class-III petroleum" means petroleum which has its flashing point not below 61 degrees centigrade ;"
- (খ) clause (d) তে "District Magistrate" এবং "Additional District Magistrate" শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে যথাক্রমে "Deputy Commissioner" এবং "Additional Deputy Commissioner" শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (গ) clause (e) বিলুপ্ত হইবে ;
- (ঘ) clause (h) এ "two hundred gallons" শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে "one thousand litres" শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (ঙ) rule 4 এ, "Chapter IX" শব্দটি ও সংখ্যাটির পরিবর্তে "Chapter VII and Chapter IX" শব্দগুলি ও সংখ্যাগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(৪) rule 7 এ,—

- (ক) “Karachi” শব্দটি বিলুপ্ত হইবে; এবং  
 (খ) “Chalna” শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “Mongla” শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(৫) rule 27 এ,—

- (ক) sub-rule (2) তে “65 gallons” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “300 litres” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;  
 (খ) sub-rule (3) এর অধীন thickness of metal সম্পর্কিত এন্ট্রিসমূহের পরিবর্তে নিম্নরূপ এন্ট্রিসমূহ প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে; যথা :—

“Capacity exclusive of the prescribed airspace.	Not less than
Not exceeding 10 litres	0.443 mm (27 BG)
Exceeding 10 but not exceeding 25 litres	0.63mm (24 BG)
Exceeding 25 but not exceeding 50 litres.	0.80 mm (22 BG)
Exceeding 50 litres but not exceeding 200 litres.	1.25mm (18 BG)
Exceeding 200 litres but not exceeding 300 litres.	1.59mm (16 BG)”

(৬) rule 28 এর sub-rule (2)তে “50 gallons” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “230 litres” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(৭) rule 29 এর sub-rule (3) এর পরিবর্তে নিম্নরূপ sub-rule প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে, যথা :—

“(3) No person shall deliver any petroleum in bulk to any vessel or vehicle used for the carriage or the transport of petroleum in bulk by water or by land unless such vessel or vehicle is licenced under these rules.”;

(৮) rule 30 এর পরিবর্তে নিম্নরূপ rule প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে, যথা :—

“30. Condition of Carriage of petroleum in the bulk by water.—

Petroleum in bulk shall not be carried by water except in ship or other vessel licenced under these rules, and the petroleum shall be stored in such part of the ship or other vessel and in such manner as may be approved by the Chief Inspector :

Provided that—

- (a) nothing in this rule shall apply to ships importing petroleum ;

(b) petroleum in tank-wagons may, with the permission in writing of the Chief Inspector and subject to such conditions as he may specify, be transported across a river by a recognised wagon ferry.”;

(৯) rule 33 এর clause (a) তে “two feet six inches” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “seventy-five centimeters” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(১০) rule 35 A তে “250 gallons” এবং “20 miles” সংখ্যাগুলি ও শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে যথাক্রমে “1230 litres” এবং “32 kilometers” সংখ্যাগুলি ও শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(১১) rule 37 এর sub-rule (1) এ “500” সংখ্যাটির পরিবর্তে “2000 litres” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(১২) rule 38 এর :—

(ক) sub-rule (1) এর,—

(অ) clause (c) তে “or other officer appointed by the Central Government in this behalf” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “the Chief Inspector or an Inspector of Explosives” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(আ) clause (g) এর শেষ প্রান্তস্থিত ‘and’ শব্দটি বিলুপ্ত হইবে;

(ই) clause (h) এর শেষ প্রান্তস্থিত “full-stop” এর পরিবর্তে “; and” চিহ্ন ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে এবং তৎপরে নিম্নরূপ নূতন “clause” সংযোজিত হইবে, যথা:—

“(i) no work involving the use of fire, welding or hot rivetting shall be performed in or on the tank unless the conservator of the port, the Chief Inspector or an Inspector of Explosives has, on payment of the fee prescribed in sub-rule (2), examined the tank with the aid of a vapour testing instrument and has certified it to be free from dangerous vapour and safe for such work”;

(খ) sub-rule (2) তে “one hundred rupees” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “take three hundred” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(১৩) rule 62 এর,—

(ক) clause (a) তে “40/65 gallon” ও “4 gallons” সংখ্যাগুলি ও শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে যথাক্রমে “200/300 litres” ও “20 litres” সংখ্যাগুলি ও শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(খ) clause (c) তে “four feet” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “1.2 meters” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(১৪) rule 68 এর sub-rule (4) এ “3,000 gallons” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “14000 litres” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

- (১৫) rule 70 এর clause (iii) তে প্রথম লাইনের “Battary,” শব্দটি ও কমাটি বিলুপ্ত হইবে ;
- (১৬) rule 79 এর sub-rule (1) এর clause (b) তে “twelve inches” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “thirty centimeters” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (১৭) rule 80 তে “30 miles” এবং “15 miles” সংখ্যাগুলিও শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে যথাক্রমে “50 kilometers” এবং “25 kilometers” সংখ্যাগুলি ও শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (১৮) rule 82 এর sub-rule (2) তে “20 gallons” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “90 liters” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (১৯) rule 87 এ “one mil-” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “1.6 kilometer” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (২০) rule 95 এর sub-rule (1) এ “six feet” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “two meters” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (২১) rule 103 এর sub-rule (3) তে “rupees twenty” এবং “rupees fifteen” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে যথাক্রমে “taka sixty” এবং “taka forty-five” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (২২) rule 105 এ,—
- (ক) sub-rule (1) এ “15 feet” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “5 meters” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (খ) sub-rule (3) তে “8 feet” এবং “5 feet” সংখ্যাগুলি ও শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে যথাক্রমে “2.5 meters” এবং “1.5 meters” সংখ্যাগুলি ও শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (২৩) rule 110 এর sub-rule (3) বিলুপ্ত হইবে ;
- (২৪) rule 111 এ, “500 gallons” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “3,000 liters” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (২৫) rule 112 এ, “1,000 gallons” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “3,000 liters” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (২৬) rule 11১ এ,—
- (ক) sub-rule (2) এর পরিবর্তে নিম্নরূপ sub-rule প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে, যথা :—
- “(2) A licence in Form H may be granted in such period as the licensing authority may deem necessary subject to a maximum of twelve months. Every other licence granted under these rules shall, unless renewed under rule 119, remain in force until the 31st day of December of the year for which the licence is granted.”

(খ) sub-rule (7) এর পরে নিম্নরূপ sub-rules সংযোজিত হইবে, যথা :—

“(7A) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-rule (3) where the proposed site for storage of petroleum is located at the land within the premises of a recognised industrial unit, tea estate, research centre, hospital, police line, power station or gas field, the licensing authority may, if it is satisfied that the petroleum is required for the consumption of such industrial unit, tea estate, research centre, hospital, police line, power station or gas field, grant a licence without a certificate from the District Authority :

Provided that an Inspector shall not grant such a licence without the prior concurrence of the Chief Inspector.”;

(২৭) rule 118 এর sub-rule (3) তে “Taka eight” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “taka twenty-five” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(২৮) rule 119 এর sub-rule (3) এর পরে নিম্নরূপ sub-rule গুলি যুক্ত হইবে, যথা :—

“(4) Where there has been no contravention of the Act or of the rules framed thereunder or of any condition of the licence, a licence in form ‘K’ or ‘L’ may be renewable for three years and a licence in form ‘J’, ‘M’, ‘N’ or ‘O’ may be renewable for two years.

(5) In the case of an application for renewal of a licence for a period of more than one year at a time the fee at double the rate as prescribed under sub-rule (3), if payable, shall be paid only for the first year of renewal.”;

(২৯) rule 120 এর sub-rule (2) তে “Taka five” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “taka ten” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(৩০) rule 121 এর sub-rule (3) তে “Taka five” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “taka ten” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(৩১) rule 125 এর sub-rule (3) তে “of Taka five” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “equivalent to ten percent of the licence fee subject to a minimum of taka twenty-five” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(৩২) rule 126 এর sub-rule (2) তে “of Taka five” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “equivalent to ten percent of the licence fee subject to a minimum of taka twenty-five” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(৩৩) rule 127 এ “Taka eight” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “taka twenty-five” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(৩৪) rule 128 এর sub-rule (1) এর clause (ii) তে “XXXVI—Miscellaneous Departments (Central), Miscellaneous Explosives” সংখ্যাটি, ফুলটপগুলি ও শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “65—Miscellaneous Non-Tax Revenue-Explosives Department” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(৩৫) rule 130 এর sub-rule (2) তে “free of charge” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “on payment of fee equivalent to one percent of the licence fee subject to a minimum of taka ten” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(৩৬) rule 132 এর,—

(ক) sub-rule (1) এ “refine of blend” শব্দগুলি, দুইবার উল্লিখিত, এর পরিবর্তে “refine blend or reclaim by recycling” শব্দগুলি ও কমাটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(খ) sub-rule (2) এর পরিবর্তে নিম্নরূপ sub-rules প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে, যথা :—

“(2) Any person desiring to refine, blend or reclaim by recycling petroleum shall submit to the Chief Inspector an application along with—

(i) a copy of plans referred to in sub-rule (1) in triplicate, and

(ii) a treasury chalan in original showing deposit of Taka 5,000 into the head of account “65—Miscellaneous Non-tax Revenue Explosives Department.”

(3) The Chief Inspector on receiving an application under sub-rule (2) may by order require submission of such particulars as he may specify in the order.

(4) An approval accorded under sub-rule (1) may be subject to such conditions, as the Chief Inspector may deem fit to impose.

(5) The Chief Inspector may revoke an approval granted under sub-rule (1), if the person in whose favour the approval is accorded violates any condition of such approval :

Provided that the approval shall not be revoked without giving the person concerned a reasonable opportunity or showing cause against the proposed revocation.

(6) A person aggrieved by such revocation may prefer an appeal to the Government against such revocation within 30 days from the date of revocation order and the decision of the Government on such appeal shall be final.”

(৩৭) rule 137 এর “300 feet” সংখ্যা ও শব্দের পরিবর্তে “90 meters” সংখ্যা ও শব্দ প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(৩৮) rule 142 তে “40 lbs.” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “20 kilograms” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(৩৯) rule 153 এর sub-rule (2) তে “40 fluid ounces” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “2 liters” সংখ্যা ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(৪০) rule 156 এর—

(ক) clause (a)(ii) তে “1,20,000 gallons” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “6,00,000 liters” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(খ) clause (b)(ii)তে “80,000 gallons” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “4,00,000 liters” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(৪১) rule 157 এর পরিবর্তে নিম্নরূপ rule প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে, যথা :—

“157. Standard test apparatus.—(1) The standard test apparatus shall—

(a) agree in every respect with British Standard Specifications No. 2839 or 3442 as may be applicable, and

(b) have been tested and certified by an officer appointed by the Government under sub-section (1) of section 15 of the Act.”;

(৪২) rule 158 এ,—

(ক) sub-rule (2) এর পরিবর্তে নিম্নরূপ sub-rule প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে, যথা :—

“(2) No certificate shall be granted under section 16 of the Act if the apparatus, any thermometer or barometer is in any respect outside the tolerances laid down in or variations permitted under the British Standard Specification No. 2839 or 3442 as may be applicable.”;

(৪৩) rule 160 এর,—

(ক) sub-rule (1) এ, “Schedule III to these rules” শব্দগুলি ও সংখ্যাটির পরিবর্তে “the British Standard Specification No. 2839 or 3442, as may be applicable” শব্দগুলি, সংখ্যাসমূহ ও কমাটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(খ) sub-rule (3)তে “73° F” সংখ্যাটি, চিহ্নটি ও বর্ণটির পরিবর্তে “22° C” সংখ্যাটি, চিহ্নটি ও বর্ণটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(৪৪) rule 162 এর sub-rule (2)তে “two rupees” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “taka 20” শব্দটি ও সংখ্যাটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(৪৫) rule 163 এর,—

(ক) sub-rule (1) এ “two rupees” শব্দের পরিবর্তে “Taka 50” শব্দটি ও সংখ্যাটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(খ) sub-rule (2)তে “Rs”, “45”, “15” এবং “15” শব্দগুলি ও সংখ্যাগুলির পরিবর্তে যথাক্রমে “Taka”, “500”, “200” এবং “200” শব্দটি ও সংখ্যাসমূহ প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;



(৪৬) rule 164 এর,—

(ক) sub-rule (1) এ—

(অ) “ten rupees” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “Taka 100” শব্দটি ও সংখ্যাটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(আ) “Rs. 100” শব্দ ও সংখ্যাটির পরিবর্তে “Taka 1,000” শব্দটি ও সংখ্যাগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(গ) sub-rule (2) তে, “Ten rupees” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “Taka 100” শব্দটি ও সংখ্যাটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(৪৭) Chapter X এর পরে নিম্নরূপ নূতন Chapter XI সংবোধিত হইবে, যথা :—

## “CHAPTER XI

### MISCELLANEOUS

166. **Dangerous Practices.**—(1) If an Inspector of Explosives finds in any installation, storage shed, receptacle, vehicle, vessel or place where petroleum is being imported, stored, produced, refined, reclaimed by recycling or blended or is under transport or anything therein or practice connected therewith or with the handling or transport of petroleum, any matter which is not provided for by any express provision of, or condition of a licence granted under these rules to be unnecessarily dangerous or defective, so as in his opinion, to tend to endanger the public safety or the bodily safety of any person, such Inspector of Explosives may by an order in writing require the occupier, owner or the person in charge of such installation, storageshed, vehicle, vessel or place to remedy such danger or defect within such time specified in the order.

(2) The occupier, owner or the person in charge, if aggrieved by an order passed under sub-rule (1), may appeal to the Chief Inspector within the time specified in the order and the decision of the Chief Inspector upon such appeal shall be final.

(3) Every appeal under sub-rule (2) shall be in writing and shall be accompanied by a copy of the order appealed against.

(4) If the occupier, owner or the person in charge fails to comply with an order passed under sub-rule (1) within the time specified in it or, where an appeal is preferred under sub-rule (2), fails to comply with the decision of the Chief Inspector thereon within the time fixed in such decision, he shall be deemed to have committed a breach of this rule.

167. **Entry into tanks.**—A person in charge of a tank shall not allow any person to enter into any tank which has contained petroleum unless,—

- (a) the person entering wears a safety helmet of a description approved by the Chief Inspector ; or
- (b) an Inspector of Explosives or the Chief Inspector has, on payment of the fee prescribed in sub-rule (2) of rule 38, examined the tank with the aid of a vapour testing instrument and has certified to be free from dangerous vapour.

168. **Repair of Tanks.**—A person in charge of a tank shall not repair it or cause it to be repaired by the use of any instrument capable of causing a spark or by the use of fire, welding or hot rivetting any tank or other receptacle which has contained Petroleum unless—

- (a) the receptacle has been thoroughly cleaned and freed from petroleum and petroleum vapour or otherwise safety precaution have been taken for carrying out such repair, and
- (b) the Chief Inspector or an Inspector of Explosives has, on payment of the fee prescribed in sub-rule (2) of rule 38 certified the use of such instrument, fire, welding or hot rivetting as safe for each repair.

169. **Dismantling of tank.**—No person shall dismantle or cause to be dismantled any tank which has contained petroleum by using any instrument capable of causing spark or by using fire, welding or hot rivetting unless the conditions laid down in clauses (a) and (b) of rule 168 have been fulfilled.

170. **Notice of accident.**—(1) Where any accident by explosion or fire, which is attended with loss of human life or serious injury to person or property occurs as the result of the ignition of petroleum or its vapour, occurs in or near any place where petroleum is kept and under circumstances making it likely that it was the result of such igniting, the person for the time being in charge of the petroleum shall give information thereof forthwith to the Chief Inspector and to the nearest Magistrate or to the Officer-in-charge of the nearest police-station immediately and by telegraph or telephone where such means of communication is available.

(2) On receipt of such information the Chief Inspector or his representatives may, without unnecessary delay, visit the place of occurrence of the accident. Pending the visit of the Chief Inspector or his representative, or until instruction is received from the Chief Inspector that he does not wish any investigation or inquiry to be made, all wreckage and debris shall be left untouched except in so far as its removal may be necessary for the rescue of the person injured and recovery of the bodies of any person killed by the accident or for the restoration of through communication.”

(48) SCHEBULE I এর পরিবর্তে নিম্নরূপ Schedule প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে, যথা:

"SCHEBULE I

LICENCE (See Rule 115)

Article No. Form of Licence (See Schedule II).	Purpose for which granted.	Authority empowered to grant licence.	Fee.
1	3	4	5
1	H To import Class I petroleum other than petroleum which can be used in an internal combustion engine, in quantity not exceeding 300 litres at any one time.	The Chief Inspector or an Inspector of Explosives authorised by the Chief Inspector in this behalf.	Articles 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 & 7.
2	I To store Class I petroleum in quantity not exceeding 300 litres.	Ditto.	(i) When the quantity to be stored does not exceed 250 kilol- litres Taka 20 for every one kilol- litres or part thereof sub- ject to a minimum of Taka 100 and a maximum of Taka 3,000.

Article No.	Form of Licence (See Schedule II).	Purpose for which granted	Authority empowered to grant licence.	Fee.
1	2	3	4	5
3	J	To store, otherwise than in bulk, (a) Class II petroleum in quantity not exceeding 25,000 litres, or (b) partly Class II and partly Class III petroleum in quantity not exceeding 25,000 litres, or (c) Class III petroleum in quantity not exceeding 45,000 litres.	The Chief Inspector or an Inspector of Explosives authorised by the Chief Inspector in this behalf.	(if) When the quantity to be stored exceeds 250 kilolitres. Takai 3,000 for the first 250 kilolitres plus Takai 50 for every additional ten kilolitres or part thereof, subject to a maximum of Takai 7,000.
4	K	To store petroleum in a tank or tanks in connection with pump outfit for fuelling motor conveyances.	Ditto	
5	L	To import Class I petroleum and to store petroleum in installations.	The Chief Inspector.	
6	M	To import and store Class I petroleum otherwise than in bulk and to store, otherwise than in bulk, (a) Class II petroleum in quantity exceeding 25,000 litres or (b) partly Class I petroleum and partly Class II petroleum.	The Chief Inspector or an Inspector of Explosives authorised by the Chief Inspector in this behalf.	

- 7 Special To import Class I petroleum and The Chief Inspector.  
forms. to store petroleum (in cases not provided for in Articles 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6).
- 8 N For the carriage of petroleum in The Chief Inspector.  
bulk by water.
- 9 O For the transport of petroleum in The Chief Inspector or  
bulk by land. an Inspector of Explosives authorised by the Chief Inspector in this behalf.
- For ship or other vessel the gross tonnage of which does not exceed 400 tons. Taka 500 Plus Taka 50 for every additional 100 tons gross tonnage or part thereof.
- Vehicle the carrying capacity of which does not exceed 5,000 litres, Taka 200 plus Taka 25 for every additional 1000 litres or part thereof”;

## (৪৯) Schedule II এর..

(ক) Form A তে “Nature of Petroleum” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “Class of petroleum” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে।

(খ) Form D তে,—

(অ) Sl. No. 2 এর এন্ট্রির পরিবর্তে নিম্নরূপ এন্ট্রি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে যথা :—

“2. situation of the premises where petroleum to be stored—

District .....

Upazilla/Police Station.....

Town/Village.....

(আ) Sl. No. 3 ও 6 এ “Nature” শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “Class” শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে।

(গ) Form H এ,—

(অ) “Rs. 1” শব্দটি ও সংখ্যাটি বিলুপ্ত হইবে।

(আ) “District Authority” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “Licensing Authority” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে।

(ই) Conditions of licence এর paragraph 2 এর পরিবর্তে নিম্নরূপ paragraph প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে, যথা :—

“2. The receptacles shall have the following thickness of metal :—

Capacity exclusive of the prescribed air-space—	Not less than—
Not exceeding 10 litres	0.443 mm (27 BG)
Exceeding 10 but not exceeding 25 litres	0.63 mm (24 BG)
Exceeding 25 but not exceeding 50 litres	0.30 mm (22 BG)
Exceeding 50 but not exceeding 200 litres	1.25 mm (18 BG)
Exceeding 200 but not exceeding 300 litres	1.59 mm (16 BG)

(ঘ) Form I এ,—

(অ) “Rs. 4” সংখ্যা ও শব্দ বিলুপ্ত হইবে।

(আ) “District Authority” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “Licensing Authority” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে।

(ই) "Conditions of licence" শিরোনাম (heading) এর উপরিস্থ paragraph এর "punishable with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees for a first offence and which may extend to two thousand rupees for any subsequent offence" শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে "punishable for the first offence with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to five thousand taka, or with both and for every subsequent offence with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to ten thousand Taka, or with both." শব্দগুলি ও কমা-গুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(ঈ) Conditions of licence এর paragraph—

(১) ৪ এর পরিবর্তে নিম্নরূপ paragraph প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে, যথা :—

"8. Class I petroleum other than paints, varnishes, lacquers and similar products when stored in a bin shall not be kept in any receptacle other than the standard petrol tins of capacity not exceeding 9 litres exclusive of the prescribed air space";

(২) 14 এ, "Police Station" শব্দগুলির পরে "and to the Chief Inspector of Explosives in Bangladeshh" শব্দগুলি সন্নিবেশিত হইবে ;

(এ) "Form J" এর পরিবর্তে নিম্নরূপ Form প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে, যথা :—

**"FORM J**

(Article 3 of Schedule I)

Licence to store otherwise than in bulk (a) Class II petroleum not exceeding 25,000 litres, or (b) partly Class II and partly Class III petroleum not exceeding 25,000 litres, or (c) Class III petroleum not exceeding 45,000 litres"

No

Fee

Licence is hereby granted to.....  
 .....  
 valid only for the storage of ..... litre  
 of Class II petroleum and..... litres  
 of Class III petroleum in the strage shed described below and  
 shown on the plan attached hereto subject to the provisions of  
 the Petoleum Act, 1934 and the rules make thereunder and  
 to the further condition of the licence.

The licence shall remain in force till the 31st day of December 19.....

The ..... 19 .....

Plan No. .... dated, .....

Licensing Authority

Description of the storage shed referred to above.

Date of renewal	Date of expiry.	Signature of licensing Authority
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This licence is liable to be cancelled if the licensed premises when inspected are not found conforming to the description and conditions attached hereto and contravention of any of the rules and conditions under which the licence is granted is also punishable for the first offence with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months or with fine which may extend to five thousand taka, or with both and for every subsequent offence with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to ten thousand taka, or with both.

#### Conditions of Licence

1. The Petroleum shall be stored only in the storage shed which shall be constructed of suitable un-inflammable materials, but the beams, rafters, columns, windows and doors may be of wood. The building shall rest on foundation walls, the walls and floors being suitably finished to form a sump or enclosure not more than 0.6 meter in depth and capable of receiving and retaining in cases of accident or emergency, a volume not less than the maximum quantity of petroleum allowed in the building.

2. The storage shed shall not form part of, or be attached to, any building in which any person resides or works or where persons assemble for any purpose unless it is separated therefrom by a substantial floor or partition which is constructed of un-inflammable material and has no openings in it.



3. The storage shed, if in any building, shall not be situated under any staircase or under any other means of exist likely to be required to be used for escape in case of fire.
4. No alterations shall be carried out in the storage shed without the previous sanction in writing of the licensing authority.
5. If the licensing authority calls upon the holder of a licence by a notice in writing, to execute any repairs to the storage shed which may, in the opinion of such authority, be necessary for the safety of the shed, the holder of the licence shall execute the repairs within such period, not being less than one month from the date of receipt of the notice, as may be fixed by the notice.
6. Any two storage sheds not more than 4 meters apart shall be deemed to be one storage shed.
7. Class II petroleum shall be packed in air-tight tins or drums of steel or iron or in other receptacles not easily broken.
8. The drum or other receptacle containing petroleum shall only be opened in the licensed premises and for the necessary for drawing off the petroleum, and during such drawing off every reasonable precaution shall be adopted for preventing the escape of petroleum or the vapour therefrom.
9. The licensee shall keep record and accounts of all petroleum in stock and of sales or issues thereof. The accounts shall clearly indicate date-wise opening balance, receipts, sales and closing balance. Separate accounts shall be maintained for different class of petroleum.
10. Adequate precautions shall be taken to prevent unauthorised persons having access to any petroleum kept and to any receptacles which contain or have contained petroleum.
11. Adequate precautions shall be taken at all times for the prevention of accident by fire or explosion.
12. Every care shall be taken to prevent any petroleum escaping into any drain, sewer, harbour, river or watercourse.
13. Any accident, fire or explosion occurring within the licensed premises, which attended with loss or human life or serious injury to person or property, shall be reported to the nearest Magistrate or to Officer-in-charge of the nearest Police Station and to the Chief Inspector of Explosives immediately and by telegraph or telephone where such means of communication are available.
14. Free access to the licensed premises shall be given at all reasonable times to any Inspector or Sampling Officer and every facility shall be afforded to such officer for ascertaining that the rules and conditions of this licence are duly observed.” ;

(গ) "Form K" তে,—

(অ) "Conditions of licence" শিরোনাম (heading) এর উপরিস্থ paragraph এর "punishable with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees for a first offence and which may extend to two thousand rupees for any subsequent offence" শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে "punishable for the first offence with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to five thousand taka, or with both and for every subsequent offence with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to ten thousand taka, or with both" শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(আ) Conditions of licence এর paragraph—

(১) 1 এ, "3 Lb. per square inch" সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে "0.25 Kg. per square centimeter" সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(২) 1(b) তে, "30 gallons", দুইবার উল্লিখিত, সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটির পরিবর্তে "150 liters" সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(৩) 22 তে, "Police Station" শব্দগুলির পর "and to the Chief Inspector of Explosives in Bangladesh" শব্দগুলি সন্নিবেশিত হইবে;

(ঘ) "Form L" এর পরিবর্তে নিম্নরূপ Form প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে, যথা :—

**"FORM L**

(Article 5 of Schedule 1)

Licence to import Class I petroleum and to store petroleum in installation.

No.

Fee.

Licence is hereby granted to.....  
 .....  
 only for the importation of.....  
 liters of Class I petroleum and for the storage of.....  
 ..... liters of petroleum in  
 the place described below and shown on the plan attached hereto  
 subject to the provisions of the petroleum Act, 1934, and the  
 rules made thereunder and to the further conditions of the  
 licence.

This licence shall remain in force till the 31st day of  
 December 19.....

Litres

Class I petroleum in bulk.....	.....
Class I petroleum otherwise than in bulk.....	.....
Class II petroleum in bulk.....	.....
Class II petroleum otherwise than in bulk.....	.....
Class III petroleum in bulk.....	.....
Class III petroleum otherwise than in bulk.....	.....
Total	.....

The 19

Plan No..... Date..... Chief Inspector of  
Explosives in Bangladesh.

Description of the place referred to above.

Date of renewal.	Date of expiry	Signature of licensing Authority.
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This licence is liable to be cancelled if the licensed premises when inspected are not found conforming to the description and conditions attached hereto and contravention of any of the rules and conditions under which this licence is granted is also punishable for the first offence with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to five thousand taka, or with both and for every subsequent offence with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to ten thousand taka, or with both.

### Conditions of Licence

1. Petroleum shall be kept only in the storage tanks and storage and filling sheds or other approved places within the installation specified for the purpose on the plan attached hereto.
2. (i) The tank or tanks shall be supported on an approved foundation and shall be surrounded by a wall or embankment of substantial construction, or shall be partially sunk in an excavation. The enclosure thus formed shall contain only one of the following classes of petroleum, shall be of dimension sufficient to contain the quantity of petroleum specified under the class to be stored and shall be so constructed and maintained to prevent the escape therefrom of any petroleum in the form of liquid, whether under the action of fire or otherwise—
  - (a) Class I petroleum—10 per cent. more petroleum than the tank or tanks are capable of containing ;
  - (b) Class II petroleum other than Class III petroleum—the amount of petroleum the tank or tanks are capable of containing ;
  - (c) Class III petroleum—the amount of petroleum the largest tank in the enclosure is capable of containing :

Provided that class III petroleum may be stored in the same enclosure as class II petroleum other than Class III petroleum in the dimension under (b) above is observed.

- (ii) Except for the necessary pipes and valves the space within an enclosure and not occupied by the tank or tanks, shall be kept entirely clear and unoccupied. Alternatively gas-tight metal tanks may be sunk completely underground the tanks being packed round with sand, earth or clay, so that no air-space is left below ground level and the tank is not visible. Tanks so buried shall not be required to maintain the safety distances laid down in condition 8 but the space over the buried tanks must not be used for any purpose. The filling and dipping pipes in an underground tank shall be carried down to the bottom of the tank.
3. All tanks shall be fitted with a vent pipe leading into the open air, the open end being covered with fine copper or other non-corroding metal wire gauze of mesh not less than 11 to the linear centimeter and fitted with a hood or the tank shall be fitted with an approved relief valve or other approved means for preventing dangerous internal or external pressures being produced.
4. Cast iron valves are not permitted on any tank and all valves in an installation must be permanently marked in a manner clearly indicating the direction of opening and shutting the valve.

5. Pumps shall be placed only in the positions shown on the plan attached hereto and they shall together with all connections and fittings be so constructed and maintained as to prevent leakage of petroleum.
6. Storage or filling sheds shall be constructed of suitable unflammable material. The building shall rest on foundation walls and shall be surrounded by a wall or embankment of substantial constructions or the walls and floor shall be suitably finished to form a sump or enclosure not more than 0.6 meter deep. A combination of these methods is permissible. The enclosure or sump thus formed shall be sufficient capacity to contain the total quantity of petroleum liable at any time to be present in the building and shall be so constructed and maintained as to prevent the escape therefrom of any petroleum in the form of liquid whether under the action of fire or otherwise. In the case of class I petroleum or partly class I and partly class II petroleum the enclosure or sump shall be capable of receiving and retaining a volume not less than 5 per cent. in excess of the maximum quantity allowed in the building. The sumps and enclosures must be kept clean and free from any accumulation of inflammable liquids.
7. Every storage or filling shed in which class I petroleum is stored or filled shall be adequately ventilated near the ground level immediately above any walls constructed to prevent any leakage of petroleum and also near or in the roof. The ventilators shall be provided with two thicknesses of fine copper or other non-corroding metal wire gauze of mesh not less than 11 to the linear centimeter.
8. (a) A distance of not less than 20 meters shall be kept clear between (i) a storage tank and any other storage tank (ii) between a storage tank and a storage or filling shed, the distance being measured between the nearest points of the perimeters of the storage tanks or storage or filling sheds, as the case may be.  
(b) A distance of not less than 25 meters shall be kept clear between any storage tank or storage or filling shed and any protected work.  
(c) Notwithstanding anything contained in clause (a) or clause (b)–
  - (i) Where the quantity of class I petroleum or partly class I and partly class II petroleum not in bulk to be stored in a storage shed does not exceed 2,50,000 litres, the following reduced distances may be kept clear between the shed or enclosure wall and (A) any other building

forming part of the installation, (B) any protected work, or (C) any storage tank containing class II petroleum having a capacity not exceeding 2,50,000 litres :-

	Meters.
Not exceeding 5,000 litres	1
Exceeding 5,000 litres but not exceeding 50,000 litres	5
Exceeding 50,000 litres but not exceeding 1,00,000 litres	6
Exceeding 1,00,000 litres but not exceeding 1,50,000 litres	7
Exceeding 1,50,000 litres but not exceeding 2,00,000 litres	8
Exceeding 2,00,000 litres but not exceeding 2,50,000 litres	10

- (ii) When a storage tank containing class II petroleum has a capacity not exceeding 5,00,000 litres a distance of not less than 10 meters be kept clear between it and (A) another such tank of similar or less capacity, or (B) a storage or filling shed containing class II petroleum.

Such a storage tank and storage or filling shed may, where the total quantity stored does not exceed 10,00,000 litres keep a distance of not less than 10 meters clear between the enclosure wall or embankment and any protected works.

- (iii) When a storage tank containing class II petroleum has a capacity not exceeding 2,50,000 litres a distance of-

- (a) for horizontal tanks, not less than one-third ;
- (b) for perpendicular tanks not less than one-half the height of the tank may be kept clear between it and (A) another such tank or (B) as storage or filling shed wherein class II petroleum is stored in quantity not exceeding 2,50,000 litres.

Such a storage or filling shed may, where the total quantity stored does not exceed 5,00,000 litres keep a distance of not less than 4 meters clear between the enclosure wall or embankment and any protected work.

(iv) In the case of class III petroleum a distance of not less than 4 meters may be kept clear between a storage tank and (A) another such tank, or (B) a storage or filling shed containing such petroleum and a distance of not less than 10 meters shall be kept clear between such storage tank or filling or storage shed and any protected works. When the total quantity stored in such storage tank and storage or filling shed does not exceed 5,00,000 litres, half the distances given in clause (iii) for the like quantity of class II petroleum other than class III petroleum may be observed.

9. The distances specified in condition 8 may be reduced by the licensing authority in cases where screen walls are provided or other special precautions taken or where there are special circumstances that, in his opinion, warrant the alteration.
10. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary when petroleum is stored in an installation at or near wells, pumping stations or refineries, the concessions in clause (c) of conditions 8 shall not apply and no storage tank, the capacity of which exceeds 2,50,000 litres or storage or filling shed shall be placed nearer than 50 meters to any still, boilers furnace or fire, in such an installation all tanks shall be situated in a compact area (a) under a single control, (b) enclosed or capable of being enclosed by one continuous fence, (c) on which there shall be no protected works.
11. No alterations shall be carried out in the installation without the previous sanction in writing of the licensing authority. Such alterations so sanctioned shall be shown on an amended plan to be attached to this licence.

*Explanation.*—In this condition, the term “installation” includes the pipe lines terminating in or emanating from the storage tanks and all the facilities connected with the piping system for loading and unloading pontoons jetties and other landing facilities.

12. If the licensing authority calls upon the holder of a licence, by a notice in writing, to execute any repairs to the licensed premises, which are, in the opinion of such authority, necessary for the safety of the premises, the holder of the licence shall execute the repairs within such period, not being less than one month from the date of receipt of the notice, as may be fixed by notice.
13. No person shall repair or cause to be repaired any receptacle or pipe in which, to his knowledge, any petroleum is or has been kept until he has taken all reasonable precautions

to ensure that the receptacle or pipe has been rendered free from petroleum and any inflammable vapour :

Provided that this condition shall not be deemed to prohibit the usual soldering operations connected with the filling and despatching of petroleum receptacles.

14. All empty receptacles which have contained dangerous petroleum shall, except when they are opened for the purpose of cleaning them and rendering them free from petroleum vapour, be kept security closed unless they have been thoroughly cleaned and freed from petroleum and inflammable vapour.
- 15.(a) Adequate precautions shall be taken at all times for the prevention of accident by fire or explosion.
- (b) Wherever so specified by the Chief Inspector, storage tank shall be fitted with approved fire-foam attachments which shall be maintained in proper order at all times.
16. Every care shall be taken to prevent any petroleum escaping into any drain, sewer, harbour, river or water course and enclosures or sumps must not be permanently connected with any drain or sewer.
17. Any accident, fire or explosion occurring within the area specified in the licence, which is attended with loss of human life or serious injury to person or property shall be reported to the nearest Magistrate or to the Officer-in-charge of the nearest Police Station and to the Chief Inspector of Explosives immediately and by telegraph or telephone where such means of communication are available.
18. The licensee shall keep records and accounts of all petroleum in stock and of sales or issues thereof in such form as the licensing authority may from time to time prescribe and shall exhibit his stock and records to an Inspector or a sampling officer.
19. The licensee shall not deliver from the licensed premises—
  - (a) any licensable quantity of petroleum to any one other than holder of a storage licence or his authorised agent or a Port Authority of Railway Administration acting as carrier ;
  - (b) any Petroleum to any vessel or vehicle used for the transport of petroleum in bulk by water or by and unless such vessel or vehicle has got a valid licence granted under the Petroleum Act, 1943 ;



20. Free access to the licensed premises shall be given at all reasonable times to any Inspector or Sampling Officer and every facility shall be afforded to such officer for ascertaining that the rules and the conditions of this licence are duly observed.
21. Before petroleum is stored in the premises the licensee shall send to the licensing authority a report in writing to the effect that the premises have been built according to the approved plan.” ;

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(অ) “Form M” এ,—

- (অ) “500 gallons” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “25000 liters” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (আ) “Conditions of licence” শিরনামা (heading) এর উপরিস্থ paragraph এর “punishable with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees for a first offence and which may extend to two thousand rupees for any subsequent offence” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “punishable for the first offence with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to five thousand taka, or both and for every subsequent offence with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to ten thousand taka, or with both” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;

(ই) Condition of licence এর paragraph—

(১) 5 এর পরিবর্তে নিম্নরূপ paragraph প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে যথা :—

“5. The following distances shall be kept clear at all times between protected works and a storage shed or an enclosure wall used for the storage of class I petroleum or partly class I petroleum and partly class II petroleum :

Quantity to be stored	Distances to be kept clear.
	Meters.
Not exceeding 5,000 litres ... ..	4 .
Exceeding 5,000 litres but not exceeding 50,000 litres. . . . .	5
Exceeding 50,000 litres but not exceeding 1,00,000 litres. . . . .	6

	Meters
Exceeding 1,00,000 litres but not exceeding 1,50,000 litres .. .. .	7
Exceeding 1,50,000 litres but not exceeding 2,00,000 litres. .. .. .	8
Exceeding 2,00,000 litres but not exceeding 2,50,000 litres. .. .. .	10
Exceeding 2,50,000 litres .. .. .	15

(২) ৬ এর পরিবর্তে নিম্নরূপ paragraph প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে, বধ্য :-

“6. The following distances shall be kept clear at all times between the protected works and the storage shed or an enclosure wall used for the storage of class II petroleum only :-

Quantity to be stored	Distance to be kept clear.
	Meters
Exceeding 25,000 litres but not exceeding 50,000 litres .. .. .	4
Exceeding 50,000 litres but not exceeding 2,00,000 litres. .. .. .	5
Exceeding 2,00,000 litres .. .. .	6

(৩) 14 এ, “Police Station” শব্দগুলির পর “and to the Chief Inspector of Explosives” শব্দগুলি সন্নিবেশিত হইবে;

(৪) 15 এর পরে নিম্নরূপ paragraph সংযোজিত হইবে, বধ্য :-

“16 The licensee shall keep records and account of all petroleum in stock and of sales or issues thereof. The accounts shall clearly indicate date-wise the opening balance receipts, sales, closing balance. Separate account shall be maintained for different classes of petroleum.”;



## Conditions

The petroleum shall be stored only in—

(1) the following parts of the vessel

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(2) the following [manner, that is to say.....

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(৩) “Form O” এর পরিবর্তে নিম্নরূপ “Form” প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে, যথা :—

## “FORM O

(Article 9 of Schedule 1)

Licence for the transport of petroleum in bulk by land.

No.	:	Fee
Name of the Vehicle	:	Registration No. ;
Engine No.	:	Chasis No.;
Name of owner.	:	
Capacity in litres.	:	

Class(es) of petroleum authorised to be carried :

Licence is hereby granted to.....  
 ..... in respect of  
 the above vehicle for the carriage of petroleum in bulk by land  
 subject to the provision of the Petroleum Act, 1934 and the rules  
 made thereunder and to the further condition of the licence.

The licence shall remain in force till the 31st day of December,  
 19.....

The , 19.....

Plan No. dated

Licensing Authority.

Date of renewal.	Date of expiry.	Signature of the Licensing authority.
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This licence is liable to be cancelled if the licensed vehicle when inspected, is found not conforming to the description and conditions attached hereto and contravention of any of the rules and conditions under which license is granted is also punishable for the first offence with imprisonment for a term which may extend to five thousand taka, or with both and for every subsequent offence with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to ten thousand taka, or with both.

#### Conditions of licence

1. The licensed vehicle shall not be used for carrying passenger or any article other than petroleum.
2. No smoking, no fire or artificial light or any article capable of igniting inflammable vapour shall be allowed on the licensed vehicle.
3. Only responsible persons who are conversant with the conditions of this licence shall be employed for driving the licensed vehicle or attending to it.
4. Before petroleum is loaded into or unloaded from the licensed vehicle—
  - (a) its engine shall be stopped and the battery shall be isolated by a proper switch or other wise ;
  - (b) its chassis shall be electrically bonded by a cable with the pipe into or from which it is to be unloaded or loaded ;
  - (c) the correct filling or discharge hose shall be selected and connected by oil-tight coupling at both ends;
5. The licensed vehicle shall at all times carry—
  - (a) a portable fire extinguisher of capacity not less than 9 litres and suitable for extinguishing oil fires ; the extinguisher shall be kept unlocked at any an easily accessible and safe position.
  - (b) a separate oil-tight and electrically continuous hose for each class of petroleum it is carrying the hoses shall have at each end oil-tight coupling to match the discharge faucet of the licensed vehicle and the inlet pipe in which the petroleum carried in the vehicle is to be unloaded ;
  - (c) a strong and flexible cable for electrical bonding ; the cable shall be at least 5 metres long and shall have at each end a suitable clamp or clip ;

6. The licence or its authenticated copy shall at all times be kept in the licensed vehicle and produced on demand by an inspector.
7. Every facility shall be given at all reasonable time to any inspector or sampling officer for ascertaining that the rules and the conditions of this licence are duly observed or for drawing samples.
8. Any accident, fire or explosion occurring in the licence vehicle, which is attended with loss of human life or serious injury to person or property shall be reported to the nearest Magistrate or to the Officer-in-charge of the nearest Police Station and to the Chief Inspector of Explosives immediately and by telegraph or telephone where such means of communication are available.”;

(৫১) Schedule III বিলুপ্ত হইবে।

নং-এস, আর, ও ২৫৫-আইন/৮৯—Petroleum Act, 1934 (XXX of 1934) এর section 4 এবং section 29(1) এ প্রদত্ত ক্ষমতাবলে সরকার Carbide of Calcium Rules, 1937 এ কতিপয় অধিকতর সংশোধনী আন্বেষণের প্রস্তাব করিতেছেন। প্রস্তাবিত সংশোধনীর কালে প্রভাবিত বা কতিগ্রস্ত হইতে পারেন এমন ব্যক্তিদের অবগতির জন্য উক্ত Act এর section 29(2) এর প্রয়োজন সৌভাবিক প্রকাশ করা হইল এবং এতদ্বারা নোটিশ প্রদান করা হইল যে উক্ত ঋসভ্রাতে অন্তর্ভুক্ত সংশোধনীসমূহ গেজেটে জারী হইবার তারিখ হইতে ৩০ দিন অতিবাহিত হইবার পর উক্ত সংশোধনী চূড়ান্তভাবে জারী করার জন্য বিবেচনা করা হইবে।

উক্ত ঋসভ্রা সংশোধনী সম্পর্কে উল্লিখিত মেয়াদের মধ্যে নিম্নস্বাক্ষরকারী কোন আপত্তি বা পরামর্শ পাইলে সরকার তাহা বিবেচনা করিবেন।

ঋসভ্রা সংশোধনী

উপরি উক্ত Rules এ,—

(১) অতঃপর নির্দিষ্টভাবে ভিন্নরূপ বিধান না থাকিলে, সর্বত্র—

- (ক) “Pakistan” শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “Bangladesh” শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;
- (খ) “Central Government” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “Government” শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;
- (গ) “Rs.” শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “Taka” শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;
- (ঘ) “one pound”, “5 pounds”, “250 pounds”, “500 pounds”, “twenty eight pounds”, “five pounds” এবং “two pounds” শব্দগুলি ও সংখ্যাগুলির পরিবর্তে যথাক্রমে “500 grams”, “3 kilograms”, “125 kilograms”, “250 kilograms”, “15 kilograms” “3 kilograms” এবং “1 kilograms” সংখ্যাগুলি ও শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(২) rule 3 এর,—

(ক) clause (e) তে “District Magistrate” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “Deputy Commissioner,, শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(খ) Clause (f) এ “District Magistrate” এবং “Additional District Magistrate” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে যথাক্রমে “Deputy Commissioner” এবং “Additional Deputy Commissioner” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(৩) rule 4 এ,—

(ক) “Karachi” শব্দটি বিলুপ্ত হইবে;

(খ) “Chalna (Khulna)” শব্দগুলি ও বন্ধনীসমূহের পরিবর্তে “Mongla” শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(৪) rule 13 এ, “Port Commissioners” শব্দগুলি, দুইবার উল্লিখিত, এর পরিবর্তে উভয়স্থানে “Port Authority” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(৫) rule 18 এ, “Board of Trade” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “Government” শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(৬) rule 21 এর,—

(ক) sub-rule (1) এর clause (ii) তে “five” শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “three” শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(খ) sub-rule (3) তে “Armed Forces of Pakistan” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “Defence services of Bangladesh” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(৭) rule 22 এর,—

(ক) “20 feet”, “10 feet”, “40 feet”, “60 feet” এবং “30 feet” সংখ্যাগুলি ও শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে যথাক্রমে “6 meters”, “3 meters”, “12 meters”, “18 meters” এবং “9 meters” সংখ্যাগুলি ও শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(খ) “3000 pounds”, দুইবার উল্লিখিত সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটির পরিবর্তে উভয়স্থানে “1500 kilogram” সংখ্যাটি ও শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(৮) rule 24 এ, “a foot” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “30 centimeters” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(৯) rule 25 এ, “one foot” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “30 centimeters” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(১০) rule 27 এ, “half a pound” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “250 grams” সংখ্যা ও শব্দ প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(১১) rule 32 তে “180° F” সংখ্যা, সংকেত ও বর্ণের পরিবর্তে “82° C” সংখ্যা, ও সংকেত ও বর্ণ প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

- (১২) rule 33তে, “60 inches”, “250 inches” and “60 inches”, সংখ্যা ও শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে যথাক্রমে “150 centimeters”, “625 centimeters” and “150 centimeters” সংখ্যা ও শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;
- (১৩) rule 42 এর sub-rule (3) তে “two rupees” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “Taka fifty” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;
- (১৪) rule 44 এর sub-rule (2)তে “two rupees” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “Taka twenty” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;
- (১৫) Rule 45 এর sub-rule (3) তে “two rupees” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “Taka twenty” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;
- (১৬) rule 47 এর sub-rule (3) তে “of two rupees” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “equivalent to ten percent of the licence fee subject to a minimum of Taka fifty” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;
- (১৭) rule 48 এর sub-rule (2)তে “of two rupees” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “equivalent to ten percent of the licence fee subject to a minimum of Taka fifty” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;
- (১৮) rule 49 এ “five rupees” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “Taka fifty” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;
- (১৯) rule 50 নিম্নরূপ rule দ্বারা প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে, যথা :—

“50. **Payment of fees.**—(1) Every application under this Chapter shall be accompanied by a Treasury receipt showing that the appropriate fee has been paid into the Treasury under the head of account “65—Miscellaneous Non-tax revenue—explosives Department.”

(2) If an application for the grant, renewal or amendment of a licence is rejected, the fee paid in respect thereof shall be refunded by the Treasury into which it was paid on the production of a signed order from the licensing authority directing such refund”;

- (২০) rule 52 এর sub-rule (2) তে, “fee of charge” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “on payment of a fee equivalent to one per cent of the licence fee subject to a minimum of Taka ten” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;
- (২১) CHAPTER VII এর পর নিম্নরূপ নতুন CHAPTER সংযোজিত হইবে, যথা :—

## “CHAPTER VII

### MISCELLANEOUS

55. **Dangerous Practices.**—(1) If an Inspector of Explosives finds in any installation, storage shed, receptacle, vehicle, vessel or place where carbide is being imported, stored, produced or is under transport or anything therein or practice connected therewith or with



the handling or transport of carbide, any matter which is not provided for by any express provision of, or condition of a licence granted under these rules to be unnecessarily dangerous or defective, so as, in his opinion, to tend to endanger the public safety or the bodily safety of any person, such Inspector of Explosives may by and order in writing require the occupier, owner the person in charge of such installation, storage-shed, vehicle, vessel or place to remedy such danger or defect within such time specified in the order.

(2) The occupier, owner or the person in charge, if aggrieved by an order passed under sub-rule (1), may appeal to the Chief Inspector within the time specified in the order and the decision of the Chief Inspector upon such appeal shall be final.

(3) Every appeal under sub-rule (2) shall be in writing and shall be accompanied by a copy of the order appealed against.

(4) If the occupier, owner or the person in charge fails to comply with an order passed under sub-rule (1) within the time specified in it or, where an appeal is preferred under sub-rule (2), fails to comply with the decision of the Chief Inspector thereon within the time fixed in such decision, he shall be deemed to have committed a breach of this rule.

56. **Notice of accident.**—(1) Where any accident by explosion or fire, which is attended with loss of human life or serious injury to person or property, occurs as the result of the ignition of carbide or its vapour, occurs in or near any place where carbide is kept and under circumstances making it likely that it was the result of such ignition, the person for the time being in charge of the carbide shall give information thereof forthwith to the Chief Inspector and to the nearest Magistrate or to the Officer in charge of the nearest police station immediately and by telegraph or telephone, where such means of communication is available.

(2) On receipt of such information the Chief Inspector or his representative may, without unnecessary delay, visit the place of occurrence of the accident. Pending the visit of the Chief Inspector or his representative, or until instruction is received from the Chief Inspector that he does not wish any investigation or inquiry to be made, all wreckage and debris shall be left untouched except in so far as its removal may be necessary for the rescue of the persons injured and recovery of the bodies of any person killed by the accident or for the restoration of through communication.<sup>57</sup>

## (22) 'SCHEDULE I' পরিষদে নিয়ন্ত্রণ SCHEDULE প্রতিলিপিত হইবে, যথা:—

## "SCHEDULE I

Licences (*vide* rule 39)

Article No.	Form of licence (See Schedule II).	Purpose for which granted.	Authority empowered to grant licence.	Fee
I	2	3	4	5
I	B	To store carbide in quantity not exceeding 125 Kgs. provided the carbide is not to be used by the licensee for the generation of acetylene.	The Chief Inspector or an Inspector of Explosives duly authorised by the Chief Inspector in this behalf.	For Articles I and 2. (a) when the quantity does not exceed 125 Kgs. (b) when the quantity exceeds 125 Kgs.  Taka 100.  Taka 100 for the first 125 Kg. plus Taka 50 for every additional 100 Kgs. or part thereof subject to a maximum of Taka 4,000.;
I	C	To store carbide in all other cases.	Ditto.	

(২৩) SCHEDULE II এর,—

(ক) FORM A তে, “Province” শব্দটি বিলুপ্ত হইবে;

(খ) FORM B তে,—

(অ) “pounds” শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “kilograms” শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(আ) “District Authority” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “Licensing Authority” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(ই) “Conditions of licence” শিরনামা (heading) এর উপরিস্থ paragraph এর “punishable with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees for a first offence and which may extend to two thousand rupees for any subsequent offence” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “punishable for the first offence with imprisonment for a term which may extend to five thousand taka, or with both and for every subsequent offence with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine for which may extend to ten thousand taka, or with both” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(ঈ) Conditions of licence এর paragraph-7 এ, “Police station” শব্দগুলির পরে “and to the Chief Inspector of Explosives in Bangladesh” শব্দগুলি সংযোজিত হইবে;

(গ) Form C তে,—

(অ) “pounds” শব্দটির পরিবর্তে “kilograms” শব্দটি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

(আ) “Conditions of licence” শিরনামা (heading) এর উপরিস্থ paragraph এর “punishable with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees for a first offence and which may extend to two thousand rupees for any subsequent offence” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “punishable for the first offence with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to five thousand taka, or with both and for every subsequent offence with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months or with fine which may extend to ten thousand taka, or with both” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে;

## (ই) Conditions of licence এর paragraph—

- (১) ২ তে, “half a pounds” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “250 grams” সংখ্যা ও শব্দ প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (২) ৪ এ, “two pounds” শব্দগুলির পরিবর্তে “one kilogram” শব্দগুলি প্রতিস্থাপিত হইবে ;
- (ঈ) ৪ এ, “police station” শব্দগুলির পরে “and to the Chief Inspector of Explosives in Bangladesh” শব্দগুলি সন্নিবেশিত হইবে।

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