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MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND INDUSTRIAL WELFARE

Section VII
NOTIFICATION

Dacca, the 1st February, 1980.

No. S.R.O. 35-L/80/LI WVII/1(5)/79.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 24 of the Inland Water Transport (Regulation of Employment) Act, 1965 (E. P. Act III of 1965), the Government is pleased to make the following rules, namely :—

THE INLAND WATER TRANSPORT (REGULATION OF
EMPLOYMENT) RULES, 1980.

1. **Short title.**—(1) These rules may be called the Inland Water Transport (Regulation of Employment) Rules, 1980.

(2) These rules shall come into force at once.

2. **Definitions.**—In these rules, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(a) "Act" means the Inland Water Transport (Regulation of Employment) Act, 1965 (E. P. Act III of 1965);

(b) "section" means a section of the Act;

(c) "Secretary" means the Secretary of the Board.

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3. Custody of the Fund, manner of payment into it and expenditure therefrom.—(1) All moneys received by the Board shall be credited by the Secretary of the Board to the Inland Water Transport (Regulation of Employment) Board Fund created under section 14 and deposited in such scheduled bank as may be decided by the Government.

(2) All expenses on account of the salaries, wages, fees, honorarium, allowances, travelling and compensatory allowances, leave and joining time allowances, gratuities and compassionate allowances, pensions, contributions to provident fund and other benefit funds in respect of the Chairman, members, Secretary and other officers, staff and servants of the Board, the cost of audit of account, legal expense and cost of all stationery, forms, furniture, rent, rates, and taxes, contingencies and all other reasonable expenses as may be approved by the Government from time to time shall be met from the Fund.

4. Manner of maintaining accounts of the Fund.—The accounts of the Fund shall be maintained by the Secretary in such manner and form as may be approved by the Board.

5. Staff.—(1) The Government shall appoint a Secretary who shall be the chief executive officer of the Board, shall be subject to its general control and superintendence and shall act as the Secretary to the Board and Controller of the Fund.

(2) The Board shall have powers to appoint such secretarial or other staff, having such qualifications, pay and allowances as may be sanctioned by the Government from time to time.

6. Scales of fees and travelling allowances.—The Chairman and the members of the Board shall be paid such fees and travelling allowances as the Government may, from time to time, fix for attendance at the meetings of the Board or for carrying out such other functions as may be required to be done under the Act.

7. Manner of selection of employers' and workers' representatives on the Board.—(1) Three representatives of the employers shall be selected by the Government in consultation with such organisations of employers connected with inland water transport services as may be recognised by the Government.

(2) Three representatives of the workers shall be selected by the Government in consultation with such registered trade unions of workers connected with inland water transport services as the Government thinks fit.

8. Powers and functions of the Secretary.—(1) The Secretary shall, in consultation with the Chairman, convene meetings of the Board and keep records of its minutes and shall take necessary steps for carrying out the decisions of the Board.

(2) The Secretary, while attending the meetings of the Board, may take part in its deliberations but shall not be entitled to vote.

(3) The Secretary may require an employer to furnish such accounts and

(4) The Secretary may, without reference to the Board, sanction expenditure on contingencies, supplies, services and purchases of articles required for the purpose of administration of the Board, subject to the financial provision in the budget.

(5) The Secretary may exercise such other powers and perform such other duties as may be assigned to him by the Board.

9. Submission of yearly reports and returns.—(1) The Board shall, as soon as possible after the end of every financial year, submit to the Government a report on the conduct of its affairs for that year.

(2) The Government may require the Board to furnish—

(a) any return, statement, estimate, statistics or other information regarding any matter under the control of the Board; or

(b) a report on any such matter; or

(c) a copy of any document in the charge of the Board;

and the Board shall comply with every such requisition.

10. Meeting of the Board.—(1) The Secretary shall, in consultation with the Chairman, fix the date, time and place of every meeting of the Board and a notice containing the aforesaid particulars along with the list of business to be transacted at the meeting, shall be sent to each member by special messenger or by registered post at least seven days before the date so fixed for such a meeting:

Provided that in case of an emergent meeting, notice of shorter period may be given to each member:

Provided further that on a requisition in writing from not less than five members, the Secretary shall call a meeting within fourteen days from the date of receipt of such requisition.

(2) The Chairman shall preside over every meeting of the Board at which he is present. If the Chairman is absent at any time, the members present shall elect one amongst them to preside over the meeting and the member so elected shall exercise all the powers of the Chairman at the meeting.

11. Quorum.—(1) No business shall be transacted at a meeting of the Board, unless at least three members are present in that meeting of whom one shall be a member representing the employers and one member representing the workers.

(2) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-rule (1), if at any meeting, the number of members present do not form the quorum, the Chairman shall adjourn the meeting to a date not later than seven days from the date of adjournment. If, at that adjourned meeting, the required quorum is not again fulfilled, the Chairman shall adjourn the second meeting to a subsequent date not later than seven days from the date of second adjournment and it shall be lawful to dispose of the pending business of the meeting irrespective of the number of members present in such last meeting.

12. **Disposal of business.**—All business shall be considered at the meeting of the Board and shall be decided by a majority of votes of the members present and voting. In the event of equality of votes, the Chairman shall have a second or casting vote.

13. **Method of voting.**—Voting shall be by show of hands, but if the majority of the members present ask for voting by ballot and if the Chairman so decides, the voting shall be by secret ballot and shall be held in such manner as the Chairman may decide.

14. **Proceedings of the meetings.**—(1) The proceedings of each meeting showing *inter alia* the names of the members present shall be forwarded to each member and to the Government not later than seven days before the next meeting.

(2) The proceedings of such meeting shall be confirmed with such modification as may be considered necessary at the next meeting.

By order of the President
A. M. MESBAHUDDIN
Secretary.

MINISTRY OF COMMERCE

Price Stabilization Wing

NOTIFICATIONS

Dacca, the 30th January 1980.

No. COM/CG/PF-1(11)/73.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause 3 of the Essential Commodities Price and Distribution Order, 1970, I, M. R. Dwan, Controller-General of Prices and Supplies, Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh, hereby fix the maximum retail selling price of one-band radio assembled by M/s. Universal Radio Service (Private) Ltd., Chittagong as under:—

Description.	Quantity.	Maximum retail selling price per set.
'MINO' One band radio Model No. TR-121 K.	2,000 sets	Tk. 267.00 (Taka Two hundred and sixty-seven only).

No. COM/CG/PF-1(45)/80.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause 3 of the Essential Commodities Price and Distribution Order, 1970, I, M. R. Dewan, Controller-General of Prices and Supplies, Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh, hereby fix the maximum retail selling price of 1-band radio assembled by M/s. Bullet Radio House, Dacca, as under :—

Description.	Quantity.	Maximum Retail Selling Price per set.
'SONIC' 1-band radio Model No. EU-606.	1,000 sets	Tk. 245.00 (Taka Two hundred and forty-five only).
'MEGATONE' 1-band radio Model No. EU-999.	270 sets	Tk. 265.00 (Taka Two hundred and sixty-five only).

M. R. DEWAN

Controller-General of Prices and Supplies.

MINISTRY OF JUTE
NOTIFICATION

Dacca, the 30th January 1980.

No. S. DII/354/79-MJ/4532.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (b) of Article 5 of the Bangladesh Industrial Enterprise (Nationalisation) Order, 1972 (P.O. 27/1972), and in partial modifications of this Ministry's notification No. S. DII/358/79-MJ/708, dated the 3rd August, 1979, No. S. DII/358/79-MJ/749, dated the 6th August, 1979, No. S. DII/358/79-MJ/715, dated the 4th August, 1979 and No. S. DII/358/79-MJ/707, dated the 3rd August, 1979, the Government has been pleased to nominate Mr Zahirul Hoq, Deputy Secretary, Ministry of Jute, as Director of the Enterprise Boards noted below :

Name and designation of the Director nominated.	Name and designation of the Director dropped from the Enterprise Board.	Name of the Jute Mill.
Mr Zahirul Hoq, Deputy Secretary.	Mr Sk. Abdullah, Deputy Secretary.	Mymensingh Jute Mills Ltd., Mymensingh.
Mr Zahirul Hoq, Deputy Secretary.	Mr Shahjahan Ali, Deputy Secretary.	Latif Bawany Jute Mills Ltd., Dacca.
Mr Zahirul Hoq, Deputy Secretary.	Mr Shahjahan Ali, Deputy Secretary.	Hafiz Jute Mills Ltd., Chittagong.
Mr Zahirul Hoq, Deputy Secretary.	Mr Shahjahan Ali, Deputy Secretary.	S. K. M. Jute Mills Ltd., Chittagong.
Mr Zahirul Hoq, Deputy Secretary.	Mr Shahjahan Ali, Deputy Secretary.	Eastern Jute Mills Ltd., Khulna.

Sk. ABDULLAH

Deputy Secretary.

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