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**ABSTRACT**

Industries Department - Mines and Minerals - Tamil Nadu Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 1959 - Amendment to sub-rule(2) of rule 19 - Notification - Issued.

Industries (MMC.2) Department**G.O. (Ms) No.39****Dated: 04.4.2017**

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திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு - 2048

Read:

1. G.O.(Ms.)No.105, Industries (MMC2) Department, dated 24.12.2002.
2. G.O.(Ms.)No.106, Industries (MMC2) Department, dated 24.12.2002.
3. Minutes of the Meeting, dated 14.07.2014.
4. From the Commissioner of Geology and Mining Letter No.8754/MM6/2014, dated 25.09.2014 and 5.12.2014.

ORDER:

In the reference first read above, Government have issued orders that every brick manufacturing unit, whether Chamber Kiln or Country Kiln for the purpose of obtaining permit for quarrying brick earth, shall apply to the District Collector concerned for registration. On receipt of an application for such registration, the District Collector shall on payment of a fee of Rs.1000/- (Rupees One thousand only) in the case of chamber kiln and a fee of Rs.100/- (Rupees one hundred only) in the case of country kiln by way of challan, issue a certificate of registration in the Form appended to the Order. The certificate of registration issued shall be valid for one year and shall be renewed every year, on payment of fifty percent of the registration fee.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Government have formulated the procedure for collection of annual brick mineral fee. Accordingly, rule 19(2) has been introduced in the Tamil Nadu Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 1959.

3. Thereafter, no revision on the annual brick mineral fee was effected till date though there is a provision to revise the seigniorage fee in respect of minor minerals once in three years. Hence, the annual brick mineral fee fixed in the year 2002 requires revision taking into account of the non-enhancement of the annual brick mineral fee for the past 14

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years and having regard to the state of urbanisation and industrial growth and the present market trend of the bricks.

4. Hence, in the letter 4th read above, the Commissioner of Geology and Mining has requested the Government to amend sub-rule(2) of rule 19 of the Tamil Nadu Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 1959 for revision of annual brick mineral fee as follows:-

- (i) For kiln upto 16 chambers: Rs.60,000/- (Rupees sixty thousand only) per kiln per annum.
- (ii) For kiln with 17 and more chambers but not exceeding 26 chambers: Rs.75,000/- (Rupees seventy five thousand only) per kiln per annum.
- (iii) For kiln with 27 and more chambers: Rs.90,000/- (Rupees ninety thousand only) per kiln per annum.
- (iv) For country kiln upto 15 firing vents: Rs.10,000/- (Rupees ten thousand only) per kiln per annum.
- (v) For country kiln with more than 15 firing vents: Rs.12,000/- (Rupees twelve thousand only) per kiln per annum.
- (vi) Fee for Registration of Brick kiln for once in three years.
Country Brick Kiln: Rs.300/- (Rupees three hundred only).
Chamber Kiln: Rs.3,000/- (Rupees three thousand only).

The Commissioner of Geology and Mining has also requested to prescribe the procedure for obtaining registration certificate for brick kiln for a period of once in three years

5. The Government have examined the proposal of the Commissioner of Geology and Mining and have decided to amend sub-rule(2) of rule 19 of Tamil Nadu Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 1959 so as to prescribe the procedure for obtaining registration certificate for brick kiln and for revision of annual brick mineral fee for brick kiln.

6. The Notification appended to this order will be published in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette. The Works Manager, Government Central Press, Chennai is requested to supply 25 copies of the Notification each to this Department, Commissioner of Geology and Mining and all the District Collectors.

APPENDIX.

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (1) and (1-A) of section 15 of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 (Central Act 67 of 1957), the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following amendments to the Tamil Nadu Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 1959.

AMENDMENTS.

In the said rules,-

(1) in rule 19, in sub-rule (2), for clause (a), the following clauses shall be substituted, namely:-

(a) Every brick manufacturing unit, whether chamber kiln or country kiln, for the purpose of obtaining permit for quarrying brick earth shall apply to the District Collector concerned for registration in Form IV in Appendix IV-A to these rules with a registration fee of Rs. 3,000/- (Rupees three thousand only) in the case of chamber kiln and a registration fee of Rs. 300/- (Rupees three hundred only) in the case of country kiln, remitted in the District Treasury by way of challan. On receipt of an application, the District Collector shall issue a certificate of registration in Form V in Appendix IV-A to these rules. The certificate of registration issued shall be valid for three years and shall be renewed once in three years on payment of fifty per cent of the registration fee.


(aa) Every brick manufacturing unit shall, for quarrying brick earth, apply to the District Collector concerned for quarrying permit in Form - I in Appendix IV-A along with a copy of certificate of registration issued by

The District Collector concerned, the consent letter from the pattadhar
from whose land it is proposed to quarry the earth for the manufacture of
bricks, a non-refundable application fee of Rs.1,500/- (Rupees one
thousand five hundred only) and the brick mineral annual fee at the rate
specified below remitted into the District Treasury by way of challan:

- (i) For kiln upto 16 chambers - Rs.60,000/- (Rupees sixty thousand only) per kiln per annum.
- (ii) For kiln with 17 and more chambers but not exceeding 26 chambers - Rs.75,000/- (Rupees seventy five thousand only) per kiln per annum.
- (iii) For kiln with 27 and more chambers - Rs.90,000/- (Rupees ninety thousand only) per kiln per annum.
- (iv) For country kiln upto 15 firing vents - Rs.10,000/- (Rupees ten thousand only) per kiln per annum.
- (v) For country kiln with more than 15 firing vents - Rs.12,000/- (Rupees twelve thousand only) per kiln per annum.

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7. The Director, Tamil Development and Information (Translation) Department is requested to send the Tamil Translation of the Notification appended to this Order to the Works Manager, Government Central Press, Chennai -79 for publishing it in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette and to send to all the District Collectors for publishing it in the District Gazettes, immediately.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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All the District Collectors.

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