

GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
PLANNING, INVESTMENT PROMOTION & SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

No. 44/2020/Pt-I/337

Dated Shillong, the 6th March, 2023

Sub: EoDB Business reforms - Access to Information and Transparency.

Whereas, Ease of Doing Business is a priority of the Government of Meghalaya in consonance with the Business Reform Action Plan of the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT), Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Government of India and;

Whereas, the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT), Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Government of India has proposed reforms to enable conducive business environment in the State and;

Now, therefore, in order to increase the access to Information and Transparency, the following reforms will be implemented in the State:

1. Mandate each proposed/new regulation (before it is introduced), the following criteria should be displayed on the concerned website of the Department:
 - I. Legal Basis - Does it have a basis in law/act/policy
 - II. Necessity - Does the license help government achieve its objectives
 - III. Business-friendly - Does it impose minimum burden on businesses to achieve the Government's objectives
2. Mandate online publishing of draft business regulation and invite public comments/ feedback on the same prior to enactment - the period of display should be at least 30 days
3. Mandate online publishing of the comments/feedback received on the draft business regulation and how they were addressed in the final regulation.

Hence, all the concerned officers of the State Government are instructed to spread awareness of the same among all the officials and citizens.



Chief Secretary
Government of Meghalaya

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1. The P.S. to the Chief Minister, Meghalaya for kind information of the Chief Minister.
2. The P.S. to the Chief Secretary, Government of Meghalaya for kind information of the Chief Secretary.
3. The Principal Secretary / Commissioner & Secretary / Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya, _____ Department for kind information and necessary action.
4. All Heads of Department, Government of Meghalaya for kind information and necessary action.

By order etc.,



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