

GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM  
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (A) DEPARTMENT  
DISPUR.: GUWAHATI-6.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR

NOTIFICATION

Dated Dispur the 14<sup>th</sup> December, 2011.

No GCN 23/2002/62 In exercise of the powers conferred by section 10 of Assam Cinemas (Regulation) Act, 1953 (Assam Act XIV of 1953), the Governor of Assam is hereby pleased to make the following rules further to amend the Assam Cinemas (Regulation) Rules, 1960, herein after referred to as the principal Rules, namely:-

Short title and commencement 1. (1) These rules may be called Assam Cinemas (Regulation)(Amendment) Rules, 2011.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

Amendment of rule 12

2. In the principal Rules, in rule 12,

(i) the words, "with prior approval of State Government", appearing in between the words "Licencing Authority" and "Form D" shall be deleted;

(ii) after the existing proviso, the following provisos shall be inserted, namely:-

"Further provided that all conditions included in the relevant Act and Rules must be scrupulously complied with by the Licencing Authority and the Licencee:

Further provided more that the Licensing Authority shall ensure compliance with all safety measures relating to health, pollution, fire, earthquake etc. before issue of the license.

The Licensing Authority shall satisfy itself by getting all relevant aspects independently verified by an officer not below the rank of Sub- Divisional Magistrate before operation of

✓ the Open Air Cinemas. No such operation of the Open Air Cinemas shall be allowed unless the Open Air Cinemas conform to the safety norms or measures relating to health, pollution, fire, earthquake etc. fixed by the concerned authorities dealing with those matters.

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3. In the principal Rules, in Rule 15,  
(i) the words, "with the prior approval of the State Government", appearing in between the "Licensing Authority" and "Form D", shall be deleted;

(ii) after the existing proviso, the following provisos shall be inserted, namely:-

"Further provided that all conditions included in the relevant Act and Rules must be scrupulously complied with by the Licencing Authority and the Licencee:

Further Provided more that the Licensing Authority shall ensure compliance with all safety measures relating to health, pollution, fire, earthquake etc. before issue of the license. The Licensing Authority shall satisfy itself by getting all relevant aspects independently verified by an officer not below the rank of Sub-Divisional Magistrate, before operation of the Touring Cinemas. No such operation of the Touring Cinemas shall be allowed unless the Touring Cinemas conform to the safety norms or measures relating to health, pollution, fire, earthquake etc. fixed by the concerned authorities dealing with those matters.

Insertion of Conditions in form D 4.

In the principal Rules, in Form D appended to these rules, in the Schedule of conditions attached to Form D, in condition NO 18, the existing provision shall be renumbered as 18. (i) and there after the following new conditions shall be inserted, namely:-

"(ii) There shall be adequate arrangements for First Aid.

(iii) Smoking of Tobacco or its products are to be prohibited within the premises of Open Air Cinema being public place under the provision of "The Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Products (Prohibition of Advertisement and Regulation of Trade and Commerce, Production, Supply and Distribution) Act, 2003 (Act 34 of 2003)".



- (iv) There shall be proper sanitary arrangement.  
(v) The Sound System should be proper so as to avoid Sound Pollution.

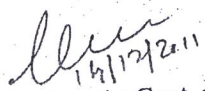
Sd/-(Dr A.K. Roy, IAS)  
Secretary to the Govt. of Assam,  
General Administration Department.

Dated Dispur the 14<sup>th</sup> December, 2011.

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1. P.P.S. to Chief Minister for kind appraisal of Hon'ble CM.
2. Staff Officer to Chief Secretary for information.
3. Chairperson, J.C.F.S., Kahilipara, Guwahati, for information.
4. Chairperson, Assam State Film(Finance & Development) Corporation , Kahilipara for information.
5. All District Magistrates, for information & necessary action.
6. Chairman , Exhibition Advisory Committee, E.I.M.P.A. ,A.T. Road , Guwahati-9.
7. Home & Political /Cultural Affairs/ Health & Family Welfare/ Power / AR & T Department ,Dispur.
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Under Secretary to the Govt. of Assam,  
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