

(Record of Rights and Register of Cultivators) Rules, 1969, in sub-rule (2), for the expression “an advertisement in a newspaper circulating in locality”, the expression “displaying on the website as specified by the Government under sub-section (1) of section 173 of the Code” shall be substituted.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Sapna S. N. Bhandodkar, Under Secretary (Revenue-I)/Link.

Porvorim, 08th October, 2021.



## Department of Social Welfare

Directorate of Social Welfare

### Notification

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The following draft amendment which the Government of Goa proposes to Rule 16, Rule 18 and Rule 19 of Goa Rights of Persons with Disabilities Rules, 2018, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 101 of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 (Central Act No. 49 of 2016) are hereby pre-published as required by sub-section (1) of section 101 of the said Act, for information of all the persons likely to be affected thereby and notice is hereby given that the said draft rules will be taken into consideration by the Government after expiry of a period of 15 days from the date of publication of this notification in the Official Gazette.

All objections and/or suggestions to the said draft Rules may be forwarded to the Director, Directorate of Social Welfare at 18th June Road, Panaji-Goa before the expiry of the said period of 15 days from the date of Publication of this notification in the Official Gazette, so that they may be taken into consideration at the time of finalization of the said draft rules.

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 101 of the Rights

of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 (Central Act No. 49 of 2016), the Government of Goa hereby makes the following rules, namely:—

1. *Short title and commencement.*— (1) These rules may be called the Goa Rights of Persons with Disabilities Amended Rules, 2021.

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

2. *Amendment of Rule 16.*— Rule 16 of Goa rights of Persons with Disabilities Rules, 2018 shall be substituted; namely:

*Qualification for appointment of State Commissioner.*— A person shall not be qualified to be appointed as a State Commissioner for Persons with Disability under sub-section (2) of section 79 of the Act unless the person:—

(i) has special knowledge or practical experience in respect of the matters relating to rehabilitation of Persons with Disabilities;

(ii) if in service under the Central Government or a State Government, shall seek retirement from such service before being appointed to the post; and

(iii) possesses the following educational qualification and experience, namely:—

(A) Educational qualification:

(i) *Essential:* 1) Shall be a Graduate, however, preference shall be given to persons having recognized degree or diploma in social work or law or management or human rights or rehabilitation or education of persons with disabilities.

2) Knowledge of Konkani.

(ii) *Desirable:* 1) Knowledge of law.

2) Knowledge of Marathi.

(B) Experience: At least ten years' experience in a Group “A” post or equivalent level,

(i) in Central or State Government or Public Sector Undertaking or Semi

Government or Autonomous body dealing with disability related matters or social sector or

(ii) work experience at least for a period of ten years in the capacity of a senior level functionary in a registered, State or national or international level, voluntary organization working in the field of disability or social development:

Provided that out of the total ten year's experience mentioned in this sub-clause, at least three years of experience in the recent past in the field of rehabilitation or empowerment of Persons with Disabilities.

(iii) he is less than fifty-six years of age as on 1st January of the year of recruitment.

3. *Amendment of Rule 18.*— Rule 18 of Goa Rights of Persons with Disabilities Rules, 2018 shall be substituted; namely:

*Term of the State Commissioner.*— (1) The term of the State Commissioner shall be for a period of three years and may be extended for a period of another two years or till he attains the age of sixty years, whichever is earlier.

(2) A person may serve as a State Commissioner for a maximum period of two terms subject to the condition that he has not attained the age of sixty years.

4. *Amendment of Rule 19.*— Rule 19 of Goa Rights of Persons with Disabilities Rules, 2018 shall be substituted; namely:

*Salary and allowances of the State Commissioner.*— (1) The State Commissioner shall be entitled for the salary and allowances as admissible to a Senior Scale Officer of Goa Civil Services.

(2) Where a State Commissioner, being a retired Government servant or a retired employee of any institution or autonomous body funded by the Central or State Government, is in receipt of pension in respect of such previous service, the salary admissible to the State Commissioner under

these rules shall be reduced by the amount of the pension, and if in lieu of a portion of the pension, the commuted value thereof has been received, by the amount of such commuted portion of the pension.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

*Deepali Naik*, Director of Social Welfare ex officio/Jt. Secretary (SW).

Panaji, 07th October, 2021.



## Department of Tourism

### Notification

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Government of Goa is pleased to frame the following scheme.

“A scheme to provide relaxation in landing charges of International Charters to Goa in order to attract higher number of charters and benefit overall Goa tourism industry”.

1. *Short title and commencement.*— (i) The scheme shall be called “International Charter Support (Waiver of Landing Fees) Scheme, 2021”.

(ii) The scheme shall come into force from the date of its publication in the Official Gazette from October 2021 to March 2022.

2. *Introduction.*— The tourism industry in the State of Goa has emerged as a major industry in the State, especially post suspension of the mining activities and is now one of the mainstay revenues sources of the State economy. A major population of the State directly or indirectly depends on tourism for their livelihood. The State of Goa, bestowed with 105 kms. coastline spanning from North to South with its beautiful palm fringed beaches, historical temples, churches, age-old ruins, and world class cuisine is a major tourist destination in the world. Tourism has been a significant contributor to the economy of Goa for decades; International Charters