

No.12012/3/2020-PS.1
Government of India
Ministry of Coal

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated 25th July, 2022

NOTICE

Subject: Amendment in Colliery Control Rules, 2004 - Stakeholders consultation - regarding.

In exercise of its power under Section 26 (3) of MMDR Act, 1957, the Central Government proposes to amend the Colliery Control Rules, 2004 ('CCR') and delegate certain powers to the State Government as per the proposed amendment which is enclosed as Annexure. Further, with the amendment in CCR, the notification S.O. 645 dated 2nd March, 2016 shall rescind.

2. In this connection, comments of stakeholders and coal and lignite bearing State Governments are invited to the proposed amendment in Colliery Control Rules, 2004 on the email id rishan.r75@nic.in by 30 days i.e. 24.08.2022.

Encl: As above

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Under Secretary to the Government of India

To,

1. PS to Hon'ble Minister of Coal
2. PS to Hon'ble MoS (Coal)
3. PPS to Secretary (Coal)
4. PS to AS (Coal)/ AS&NA
5. JS(BPP)/JS(VT)/JS&FA
6. Economic Advisor/ Advisor (Projects)
7. All Directors/DS/US/SO
8. Chief Secretaries of all Coal/Lignite bearing States and UTs
9. Sr. T.D, NIC for uploading on website of Ministry of Coal

**[To be published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, Section 3,
Sub-section (i)]**

MINISTRY OF COAL

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the _____, 2022

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 18 of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 (67 of 1957), the Central Government hereby rescinds the following notification of Government of India, Ministry of Coal, except as respect things done or omitted to be done before such rescission, namely: —

S.O. 645 (E) dated 2nd March 2016 in Gazette of India, Extraordinary Part II-
Section 3- Sub- section (ii)

[F. No. PS1-12012/3/2021-PS1]

M. Nagaraju, Additional Secretary

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MINISTRY OF COAL

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the _____, 2022

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 18 of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 (67 of 1957), the Central Government hereby makes the following rules to amend the Colliery Control Rules, 2004, namely: —

RULES

1. Short title and commencement — (1) These rules may be called the Colliery Control (Amendment) Rules, 2022.

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

2. In the principal rules, after Rule 4, the following clause shall be inserted namely:—

“Provided that: In sub- rule (3), (4) and (5) wherever the power, function or responsibility of Coal Controller is specified, the same shall be deemed as power, function and responsibility of the State Government or such officer as authorized by the State Government in respect of all coal mines except mines or blocks of Central Government Public Sector Undertakings.”.

3. In the principal rules, after Rule 5, the following clause shall be inserted namely:—

“Provided that: Wherever the power, function or responsibility of Coal Controller is specified, the same shall be deemed as power, function and responsibility of the State Government or such officer as authorized by the State Government in respect of all coal mines except mines or blocks of Central Government Public Sector Undertakings.”.

4. In the principal rules, after Rule 7, the following clause shall be inserted namely:—

“Provided that: Wherever the power, function or responsibility of Coal Controller is specified, the same shall be deemed as power, function and responsibility of the State Government or such officer as authorized by the State Government in respect of all coal mines except mines or blocks of Central Government Public Sector Undertakings.

Provided further that the function of laying down procedure for gradation and size of coal shall be carried out by the Coal Controller.”.

5. In the principal rules, after Rule 10, the following clause shall be inserted namely:—

“Provided that: Wherever the power, function or responsibility of Coal Controller is specified, the same shall be deemed as power, function and responsibility of the State Government or such officer as authorized by the State Government in respect of all coal mines except mines or blocks of Central Government Public Sector Undertakings.”.

6. . In the principal rules, after Rule 12, the following clause shall be inserted namely:—

“Provided that: Wherever the power, function or responsibility of Coal Controller is specified, the same shall be deemed as power, function and responsibility of the State Government or such officer as authorized by the State Government in respect of all coal mines except mines or blocks of Central Government Public Sector Undertakings.”.

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