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Labour and Skills (E) Department

NOTIFICATION

G.O.(P) No.93/2020/LBR

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 9th December, 2020
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S. R. O. No. 858/2020

In exercise of the powers conferred by of section 35 of the Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Act, 1970 (Central Act 37 of 1970), the Government of Kerala hereby make the following rules, further to amend the Kerala Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Rules, 1974, the same having been previously published as per notification No.E2/166(1)/2020-LBRD dated 15th September, 2020 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No.2102 dated 16th September, 2020 as required by sub-section (1) of the said section, namely:-



RULES

1. Short title and commencement.—(1) These rules may be called the Kerala Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Amendment Rules, 2020.

(2) They shall come into force at once.

2. Amendment of the Rules. - In the Kerala Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Rules, 1974,—

(1) In rule 2, after clause (f) the following clause shall be inserted, namely:-

“(fa) “Labour Commissionerate Automation System” means a software owned and operated by the Labour department to cater end to end solutions to the employers, employees and labour administrators”;

(2) In rule 17,-

(a) in sub-rule (1), for the words “in triplicate” the words “through Labour Commissionerate Automation System” shall be substituted;

(b) for sub -rule (2), the following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely:-

“(2) Every payment of fees for the application referred to in sub-rule (1), prescribed for the registration of establishment shall be remitted through Labour Commissionerate Automation System.”;

(c) sub-rules (3) and (4) shall be omitted.

(3) In rule 21,-

(a) in sub-rule (1), for the words “ in triplicate”, the words “through Labour Commissionerate Automation System” shall be substituted.

(b) sub-rules (3) and (4) shall be omitted.

(c) sub-rule (5), shall be renumbered as sub-rule (3) and in sub-rule (3) as so renumbered, for the words, "also be accompanied by a treasury receipt" the words " be remitted through Labour Commissionerate Automation System" shall be substituted.

(4) In rule 29, for sub-rule (2) the following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely:-

“(2) Every such application shall be made in form VII through Labour Commissionerate Automation System and shall be made not less than thirty days before the date on which licence expires, and if the application is so made, the licence shall be renewed automatically”.

By order of the Governor,

SATYAJEET RAJAN

Additional Chief Secretary to Government.

Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

As part of Ease of Doing Business, Government of Kerala have decided to make suitable amendments to the Kerala Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Rules, 1974, so as to simplify the procedure for registration and renewal of licence.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.

