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1. Short title

. - These rules may be called the Punjab Land Revenue (Exemption) Rules, 1970.

2. Definitions

. - In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires, -(a)'Act' means the Punjab Land Revenue Act, 1887;(b)'Form' means a form appended to these rules.

3. Procedure for claiming exemptions

. - [(Sections 48 (1A) and 64 (1)]. - (1) Every person entitled to exemption from the payment of land revenue under sub-section (1A) of section 48 of the Act shall make an application in Form 'A' to the Tahsildar or NaibTahsildar of the Tahsil or the Sub-Tahsil, as the case may be, in which he resides.(2)[An application under sub-rule (1) may be made, -(i)by the 31st December, 1971, if the exemption is claimed with effect from any harvest falling within the period commencing with Rabi of agricultural year 1966-67 and ending with the Kharif of the agricultural year 1971-72; and(ii)by the 30th April of any agricultural year following the Kharif of the agricultural year 1971-72, if the exemption is claimed with effect from the Rabi of such agricultural year; and by the 30th November of any agricultural year following the agricultural year 1971-72, if the exemption is claimed with effect from the Kharif of such agricultural year.]

4. Procedure for disposal of application

. - [Sections 48 (1A) and 64(1)]. - (1) Tehsildar, as the case may be, will give the applicant a receipt in Form 'B' and will also or Naib-Tahsildar intimate to him the date (not being later than fifteen days from the date of presentation of the application) on which and the place at which the Tahsildar or NaibTahsildar would consider the application.(2)The Tahsildar or Naib-Tahsildar, as the case may be, shall, after making such enquiry as he may deem fit, pass an order exempting the applicant from payment of land revenue, if he is entitled to exemption under the Act and shall reject the application, if he is not so entitled.(3)Every order under sub-rule (2) shall be passed in Form 'C' and a copy of the order passed by the Tahsildar or Naib-Tahsildar shall be given to the applicant free of charge.

5. Publication of list of exemptees

. - (1) The Tahsildar shall, within three months of the date of publication of these rules in the Official Gazette, prepare an estate-wise list, in Form 'D' of all persons holding land in the Tahsil who have been exempted from the payment of land revenue and post a copy of this list at a conspicuous place in the Tahsil office. This list shall be kept up-to-date by incorporating any changes that might occur subsequently.(2)As soon as the list referred to in sub-rule (1) is ready, the Tahsildar shall supply to every Patwari and Lambardar in his Tahsil a list of persons who have been exempted from the payment of land revenue and reside in the circle or Patti of that patwari or lambardar, as the case may be.

6. Obligation to report all changes in holding

. - [Sections 48 (1A) and 64] - Every person who has been exempted from the payment of land revenue shall report, in Form 'E' particulars of all additions to his holding, whether by gift, inheritance, purchase or otherwise, within a period of thirty days of such additions:Provided that such report will not be necessary if, as a result of the addition, the total holding does not exceed five standard acres.

7. Maintenance of record of applications

. - The record of applications given under rule 3, shall be kept in each tahsil or sub-tahsil as the case may be in a separate register in Form 'F'.Form 'A'(Rule 3)Application by a person claiming, under section 48 (1A) of the Punjab Land Revenue Act, 1887, exemption from the payment of land revenue.ToThe

Tahsildar/Naib-Tahsildar,Tehsil.....,District.....,Sir,I hereby apply, under section 48(1A) of the Act for exemption from the payment of land revenue. The necessary particulars are given below

2. Particulars of the applicant :-

(1)Name.....Son(2)Son/Daughter/Wife/Widow of
.....(3)Resident of village or town.....Tehsil.....
District.....

3. Particulars of land held by the applicant in the State of Punjab :-

| | | | Area in ordinary acres of land held as | Area in standard acres of land held as | | | | Total areas given Col. 5 (a) (b) |
|---|---|---|---|---|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| District/ Districts in which land held | Tahsil/ Tahsils in which land held | Village/ Villages in which land held | (a) Sole owner | (b) Co- owner | (a) Sole- owner | (b) Co- owner | Land Revenue in rupees paid | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | | |

I declare that the particulars given in this application are correct. Signature or
thumb-impression Date.....Month.....Year.....Attestation

Name of witness Designation i.e., if
with Address Lambardar/Panch/Sarpanch/Member of Panchayat Samiti or Zila Parishad Signatures

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Form 'B'(Rule 4(1)) Receipt of application for exemption from payment of land revenue and
date/place of its disposal. Received application, dated....., from..... for exemption
from payment of land revenue. The application will be taken up for consideration on.....
at..... Date: Place: (Sd/-) Tahsildar/Naib Tahsildar Form 'C'[Rule 4(3)] Order
Granting/Refusing exemption under section 48 (1A) of the Punjab Land Revenue Act, 1887

1. Particulars of the applicant :-

(1)Name.....(2)Son/Daughter/Wife/Widow of.....(3)Resident of (a) Village or
Town.....(b)Tehsil/SubTehsil.....(c)District.....The aforesaid application,
dated.....for exemption under section 48 (1A) of the Punjab Land Revenue Act, 1887, from
payment of land revenue has been accepted/rejected by me this day of
.....month.....year.....Grounds in brief in case of
rejection. Signed. Designation Copy of this order received by me. Signature or Thumb-mark of
applicant. Form 'D'[Rule 5(1)] Estatewise list of persons exempted under Section 48 (1A) of the
Punjab 'Revenue Act, 1887. Name of Tahsil: Name of District:

| | | | | |
|---------------|-------------------|--|------------------------|------------------|
| Serial No. | Name of Estate | Particulars of persons exempted (name of exemptee | with name of father | husband etc.) |
|---------------|-------------------|--|------------------------|------------------|

Signed.....Tahsildar.....District.....DateForm 'E'(Rule 6)Report by an exemptee of additions to his holding which have made him (ineligible) for the exemption granted under section 48 (1A) of the Punjab Land Revenue Act, 1887.

1. Name and other particulars of exemptee

(1)Name.....(2)Son / Daughter / Wife / Widow of
.....(3)Resident of (a)

Village.....(b)Town.....(c)Tahsil.....(d)District...

2. I give below particulars of increase in my holding :-

(1)Total area of holding when exemption was granted.(2)Date when exemption was granted and by whom.(3)Subsequent additions to holding :-

| | | | |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|---|------------------------|
| Area in standard acres | Village in which situated | How acquired (Purchase, gift, inheritance, etc., | Date of acquisition |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|---|------------------------|

3. As my holding is now in excess of five standard acres, the exemption granted may be revoked.

ToThe Tahsildar, Tahsil....., District.....,Signature/Thumb-mark of exemptee.Form ' F'(Rule 7)Particulars of land held by the applicant in the State of Punjab.

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|---|--|--|---|--|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| Serial No. | Name with Description and address of landowner | District/Districts in which land held | Tahsil/Tahsils in which land held | Village/Villages in which land held |
| 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| Area in Ordinary acresof land held as | Area in Standard acresof land held as | Amount of land revenue paid | Order of Tehsildar or Naib-Tehsildar with date | Order with date passed in appeal, if preferred |
| (a) Sole owner | (b) Co- owner | (a) Sole owner | (b) Co- owner | (c) Total |

[Sub-rule (2) substituted by Notification No. 61, dated 27th September,]