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IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING ACCEPTANCE OF NOTICES FOR PUBLICATION IN THE WEEKLY “GAZETTE”

ATTENTION is drawn to the Notification appearing in the 1st week of every month, regarding the latest dates and times of acceptance of Notices for publication in the weekly *Gazettes*, at the end of every weekly *Gazette* of Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka.

All Notices to be published in the weekly *Gazettes* shall close at 12.00 noon of each Friday, two weeks before the date of publication. All Government Departments, Corporations, Boards, etc. are hereby advised that Notifications fixing closing dates and times of applications in respect of Post-Vacancies, Examinations, Tender Notices and dates and times of Auction Sales, etc. should be prepared by giving adequate time both from the date of despatch of notices to Govt. Press and from the date of publication, thereby enabling those interested in the contents of such notices to actively and positively participate please note that inquiries and complaints made in respect of corrections pertaining to notification will not be entertained after three months from the date of publication.

All notices to be published in the weekly *Gazettes* should reach Government Press two weeks before the date of publication *i.e.* notices for publication in the weekly *Gazette* of 15th October, 2010 should reach Government Press on or before 12.00 noon on 01st October, 2010.

LAKSHMAN GOONEWARDENA,
Government Printer.

Department of Government Printing,
Colombo 08,
January 01, 2010.

Provincial Council Notifications

HAMBANTOTA URBAN COUNCIL

Entertainment Tax Ordinance

THE following resolution passed by the Urban Council in terms of Sub-section (1) of Section 2 of the Entertainment Tax ordinance (Chapter 267) has been approved by the Ministry of Local Government in the Southern Province in terms of Sub-section (2) of that Section and is hereby published in terms of that Sub-section.

RESOLUTION

By virtue of the powers vested by Sub-section (1) of Section 2 of the Entertainment Tax Ordinance (Chapter 267), the Urban Council hereby, resolves to impose and levy, with effect from the 01st day of the following month of the month in which this resolution is the *Gazette*, a tax equivalent to 7% (percent) of the payment made for admission to entertainments defined in the Ordinance (other than Entertainment Tax) held in the area within the administrative limits of the council.

Provided that the tax levied upon a payment made to watch a film shall be 7% (percent) of that payment within the first two years in which this resolution is in force.

M. W. WIJETHILAKA,
 Secretary,
 Ministry of Local Government Southern Province.

At the office of Hambantota Urban Council,
 06th April of 2010.

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DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA

Provincial Council of the Central Province

DRAFT OF THE PROPOSED INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTERPRISE PROMOTION STATUTE OF THE PROVINCIAL COUNCIL OF THE CENTRAL PROVINCE

I herewith publish the above proposed draft of the statute which will be enforced in the Central Province Provincial Council for public comments.

The statute will be submitted to the Central Province Provincial Council for approval after 10 days of this has published. If any comments to be forwarded related to the contents of this statute should be forwarded to the below address within 10 days after this notice.

ANUSHIA SIVARAJAH,
 Minister,
 Ministry of Industries, Sports, Women, Rural Development,
 Estate Infrastructure Development, Hindu Cultural,
 Youth Affairs and Education (Tamil).

P. O. Box 41,
 Gatambe,
 Peradeniya.

DRAFT OF THE STATUTE FOR THE CENTRAL PROVINCIAL INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTERPRISE PROMOTION STATUTE NO. OF 2010

Statute to carry out the Industrial Development and Enterprise Promotional services effectively and efficiently in the Central Province while discharging the Industrial Development and Enterprise Promotion matters as set out under article No. 21 of List No. 01 in the Ninth Schedule to the 13th Amendment Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka 1978 and to make provisions for matters connected therewith.

Be it enacted by the Central Province Provincial of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka.

01. This state may be cited as the Provincial Industrial Development and Enterprise Promotion in Central Province - Statute No. of 2010 and shall come into operation on such date as the Governor grants approval therefore. Short title and date of operation.

PART I

02. There shall be established a Department called Industrial Development and Enterprise Promotion Department for the industrial development and enterprise promotion in the Central Province (hereinafter in this statute, referred to as "the Department") Establishment of Industrial Development and Enterprise Promotion Department in the Central Province.

03. (i) Director of Industries (hereinafter referred to as the 'Director') shall be the head of the Department established under Section 2. He/She shall be an officer in Class I of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service and appointed by the Governor. Director of Industries in the Central Province.

(ii) The provisions of the Provincial Council Act, No. 42 of 1987, the circulars, rules and registrations issued thereafter shall apply with regard to the appointment, transfers, promotions and disciplinary control of the staff required of the functioning of the Department.

04. (i) There shall be a Deputy Director of the Industrial and Assistant Director of Industrial and other officers appointed for the functions of the Department.

(ii) The powers and functions vested on the Director of Industries under this statute and any of the powers functions that had been vested on him can be delegated to a Deputy Director of Industries. Power can be delegated by the Director of Industries.

05. (i) The Minister has the power to issue orders with regard to the implementation of the rules and regulations made under the Provisions of this Statute. Powers of the Minister.

(ii) When and appeal is made against the direction or decision issued by the Director of Industrial it is lawful to change such directions or decisions by the Secretary to the Ministry using his discretion under this statute. In every such occasion the decision of the Secretary shall be final and conclusive. Powers of the Secretary.

06. The vision and mission of the Department is to highly contribute of the steadfast Department in the Central Province through putting into operating the project with novel concepts towards the entrepreneurship department, Technical development and creative skills development, by turning in to and outstanding institution that provides Industrial and Business Services for a High Technical culture in the Central Province. Vision and mission of the Department.

07. (i) Making the Central Province an attractive region for the up lift of the economic benefits of the Industrial ventures to a maximum level while developing the existing industries and starting new Industries in the Central Province. Objective of the Department of Industrial Development and Enterprise Promotion.

(ii) Enhancing contribution towards poverty eliminating through promotion of employment opportunities in the Central Province with the enhancement of contribution to the National economy by uplift productivity in the Industrial Sector and by improving the living standard of the employees in the Industrial sector.

(iii) While giving priority to protect the traditional industries inherent to Central Province encouraging to newly establish the micro, small and medium scale industries and to further extend the existing industries.

08. It is the function of the Department to full the following services and requirements within the Central Province. Functions of the Provincial Industrial Development and Enterprise Promotion Department.

1. Human resource development with high skills relating to Industrial sector.
2. Development of micro, small and medium scale Industrial Development.
3. Development of traditional industries.

4. Restoration of ailing industries.
5. Development of necessary infrastructure facilities for industrial development.
6. Technical development relating to industrial sector.
7. Industrial development relating to industrial sector.
8. Promulgation and implementation of rules and regulations conducive to industrial sector.
9. Establishment and development of industries based on agricultural products.
10. Productivity development in the Industrial sector.
11. Act as a mediator to raise technical financial facilities.
12. Implementation of training and research programmes relating to industrial sector.
13. Market development relating to industrial sector.
14. Promotion of alliance between the Government and Private sector.
15. Export promotion in the Industrial sector.

Powers of the
 Provincial
 Industrial
 Development and
 Enterprise
 Promotion
 Department.

09. The department shall have powers necessary to achieve the objective of the Department under this statute and to discharge the functions assigned to the Department, subject to the limitations under the written laws.

Staff.

10. The Director of industries can make a request for a staff according to the needs of the Department arising from to time.

PART II

ADVISORY BOARD IN THE CENTRAL PROVINCIAL INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTERPRISE PROMOTION DEPARTMENT

Provincial
 Industrial advisory
 board.

11. (i) The Minister shall appoint a Provincial Advisory Board Provincial consisting eleven members for the purpose of the purpose of obtaining instructions generally for industrial advisor the minister in charge of Provincial Industrial Development and Enterprise Promotion affairs.
- (ii) This Advisory Board is consisting of following persons :
 1. Secretary to the Provincial Ministry of Industries.
 2. Provincial Director of industries.
 3. Tow representatives appointed by the Minister.
 4. Assistant Director of National Crafts Council in charge.
 5. Chairman export chamber of commerce.
 6. A representative from the camber of commerce and industries in Central Province.
 7. Proficient Technical Consultant of Government Technical Institute.
 8. Chairman of the Provincial Crafts Council.
 9. Head of the Department of the fine arts faculty in the University of Peradeniya.
 10. One person for bank representation.
 11. Central Provincial Assistant Director of the National Design Centre.
- (iii) The secretary to the Ministry of Industries shall be ex-officio the Secretary of this Advisory Board.
- (iv) The Director of Industries shall be ex-officio the Secretary of this Advisory Board.
- (v) The term of office of the members is 02 years.
- (vi) In the event of a resignation or death or at the end of the term of office of a member or when the minister dismisses a member the term of office of a member shall come to an end.
- (vii) Members can be reappointed when the membership falling vacant for the reason of expiry of the term of officer.

(viii) The quorum for any meeting of the Board shall be seven members.

12. The functions of the Advisory Board are to submit appropriate observations, recommendations, advice to the Minister in charge of the subject of industry and furtherance of service of the Department of Provincial Industrial Department and enterprise promotion. Function of the advisory board.

13. The advisory board shall meet at least once in three months.

14. (i) Within the meaning of the Bribery Act, the Department of Provincial Industrial Development and Enterprise Promotion is a Scheduled institution and the provisions of the said Act, shall apply as it is to this department. The Department as a Scheduled institution.

(ii) All the officers and servants of the department shall protect the confidentiality within the limitations of the law.

15. All officers and servants of the Department of Provincial industrial Development and Enterprise promotion shall be deemed to be public servants within the meaning of and the purpose of the Penal Code. Officers and servants as public officers.

PART III

OFFENCES AND PUNISHMENTS

16. Any person who contravenes the provisions of this statute any regulation made there under or willfully obstruct any one who discharges the function under this statute shall be guilty of and offence under this statute. Offences.

17. The general law shall apply to all the offences committed under the regulations made under this statute and accordingly the punishments imposed for such offences shall apply. Punishments.

PART IV

GENERAL PROVISIONS

18. (i) All the assets and properties belonging to all the institutions within the province used for the purpose of the functions of the Department prior to the date of this statute coming in to operation shall be treated and properties vested on the Department of Provincial Industrial Department and Business Promotion. Responsibilities of the Department.

(ii) Save and except the matters under Sub section III the building and premises in the training, marketing and service centers should not be utilized for any other for other purpose. Institution used for other common matters.

(iii) In the event of these institutions are required for any other purposes of common importance prior approval of the Secretary or the Director of Industries should be obtained.

19. (i) The provisions of the Provincial Act, No. 42 of 1987 shall apply with regard to the granting of financial provisions and expenses required to maintain the institutions established under this statute. Financial aid for the operation of the Department.

(ii) There shall be no obstructions to obtain financial material aid from local and foreign resource for the proper function of the Department subjects to the written provisions.

20. The Director shall submit an annual administrative report to the Minister within six month after every year containing the manner in which the is being conduct within the province in each year, the problems arisen and the steps to solve such problems. Annual administrative report.

21. The department shall be subject to the written general and special directives issued by the Minister in the exercise of its powers and the department shall carry out such directives. Power of the Minister to issue directives.

22. (i) The minister may make orders to discharge the policies and provisions contained in this statute. Power of Minister to made orders.

(ii) Every order made by the Minister shall be published in the *Gazette* should be implemented on the date of such publishing or with effect from a date after the date specified therein.

(iii) Every order published in the *Gazette* shall be forwarded to the Provincial Council for approval and if any order disapproval shall be deemed to be repealed without prejudice to anything made under that order.

(iv) Any such order repealed shall be published in the *Gazette* on the date on which it was deemed to be repealed.

Establishment of
new institution.

23. There shall be established new training and production services, sales centers and institutions congenial to the development of industries in agreement with the minister based on the needs and expediency of the people in the Central Province.

Power of
inspections.

24. It shall be lawful for an officer of the Ministry of Department authorized by the Minister or the Director to enter into any premises belonging to the Department and carry out inspections.

Interpretation.

25. In this statute unless the context otherwise requires :—

"Industries" means and include all the industries such as Micro, small and medium scale industries.

"Minister" means the Minister in charge of the subject of industries of the Central Province.

"Province" means the Central Province of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka.

"Provincial Council" means the Central Provincial Council.

"Secretary" means the Secretary to the Ministry of Industries in the Central Province.

"Director of Industries" means the Director in the Industrial Development and Enterprise Promotion appointed to Central Provincial under the provisions Provincial Councils Act, No. 42 of 1987.

Sinhala text to
prevail in case of
inconsistency.

26. In the event of any inconsistency between the Sinhala and Tamil text of this statute the Sinhala text shall prevail.