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## PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

### Government Notifications

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#### THE MINES AND MINERALS ACT, No. 33 OF 1992

REGULATIONS made by the President under Section 64 of the Mines and Minerals Act, No. 33 of 1992 read with Section 51 of the Nineteenth Amendment to the Constitution.

MAITHRIPALA SIRISENA,  
President.

Colombo,  
3rd February, 2016.

#### Regulations

The Mining (Licensing) regulation, No. 1 of 1993 published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 794/23 of November 26, 1993, as amended from time to time, is hereby further amended in regulation 42 as follows :

- (1) by the repeal of the definition of the expression “building materials” and the substitution therefor of the following definition :

“building materials” include sand, gravel, soil, laterite, dolomite used for construction industry, shale, rock aggregates and clays which are used for production of brick and tile ;

- (2) by the repeal of the definition of the expression “industrial minerals” and the substitution therefor of the following definition :

“industrial minerals” mean ilmenite, zircon, rutile, monazite, coral, shells beds, graphite, ball clay, ceramic and cement clay, kaolin, mica, feldspar, limestone, salt, gypsum, ochre, silica sand (glass sand), quartz, garnet, silimanite, calcite, allanite, fluorspar, serpentinite, apatite, dolomite used for fertilizer, magnetite, magnesite, peat, wallastonite and dimension stone.”.

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