GOVERNMENT OF KERALA
Home (Secret Section - B) Department

NOTIFICATION

G.O.(Ms) No.168/2019/HOME

S. R. O. No. 826/2019

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 30th October 2019
13th Thulam, 1195,
08th Karthika, 1941.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 25 of the Private Security Agencies (Regulation) Act, 2005 (Central Act 29 of 2005), the Government of Kerala, hereby make the following rules further to amend the Kerala Private Security Agencies Rules, 2010 issued under G. O. (Ms.) No. 134/2010/Home dated 18th June, 2010 and published as S. R. O. No. 589/2010 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No. 1387 dated 18th June, 2010, namely:-

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RULES

1. Short title and commencement.- (1) These rules may be called the Kerala Private Security Agencies (Amendment) Rules, 2019.
   (2) They shall come into force at once.

2. Amendment of the Rules.- In the Kerala Private Security Agencies Rules, 2010,-
   (1) in rule 3, after sub- rule (4), the following sub-rule shall be inserted, namely:-
      "(5) In the case of sole proprietorship application, verification of the antecedents of the
      nominee or legal heir shall be obtained before changing the name of the holder of licence.");
   (2) In rule 4,- in sub-rule (11), for the words "as the case may be or having been satisfied"
      the words and symbol "as the case may be, and having been satisfied" shall be substituted;
   (3) in rule 5,- in sub-rule (2), after item (q), the following items shall be inserted, namely:-
      "(r) adequate training in observation, handling of unidentified objects, conducting anti-
      sabotage checks and special requirements in personnel security shall be provided to the private
      security guard or supervisor;
      (s) the private security guard or supervisor shall undergo refresher course training
      biennially.";
   (4) in rule 8, in sub-rule (1), for the words and symbols "by way of demand draft or
      banker's cheque drawn in favour of the Controlling Authority, Joint Secretary, Home
      Department, Government Secretariat and payable at Thiruvananthapuram", the words numerals
      and symbols "by way of Treasury Chalan in the Head of Account 0055-00-103-97 in any District
      Treasury or Sub Treasury of Government of Kerala" shall be substituted;
   (5) in rule 10,- after sub-rule (6), the following sub-rule shall be inserted, namely:-
      "(7) Private Security Agencies shall not use in their name any word which gives the
      impression of any Government patronage.");
   (6) in Form I, after item 1, the following serial number and item shall be inserted, namely:-
      "1(a) Name of the nominee or legal heir (in the case of sole proprietorship only):";
(7) in Form IV, for the words "Licence No" the words and symbol "Centre Identity/Recognition Certificate or any other suitable reference with respect to the authority of particular training centre" shall be substituted;

(8) in Form V,-

(a) in item 6, after the words "Name of the Private Security Agency", the brackets, words and numerals " (see rule 10(7))" shall be inserted;

(b) in item 15, for the words "Name of Bank", the words "Name of Treasury" and for the letters, symbols and words "D.D/Cheque No." the words "Chalan Number" shall, respectively be substituted.

By order of the Governor,

Dr. VISHWAS MEHTA,
Additional Chief Secretary to Government.

Explanatory Note

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


Based on the recommendations of the Subject Committee XIV (Home affairs), instructions from the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India and various inputs received in this regard from the Police Department, the Government have decided to amend the rules.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.