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G. O. (P) No. 26/2023/TD.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, <u>1st March, 2023</u> 17th Kumbham, 1198.

S. R. O. No. 284/2023

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14, 18A, 24 and 29 of the Abkari Act, 1 of 1077, the Government of Kerala hereby make the following rules further to amend the Foreign Liquor (Registration of Brand) Rules, 1995 issued by notification under G. O. (P) No. 56/95/TD dated 22nd March, 1995 and published as S.R.O. No. 363/95 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No. 270 dated 22nd March, 1995, namely:—



RULES

1. Short title and commencement.--(1) These rules may be called the Foreign Liquor (Registration of Brand) Amendment Rules, 2023.

(2) They shall come into force at once.

2. *Amendment of the Rules.*—In the Foreign Liquor (Registration of Brand) Rules, 1995, in rule 3, after sub-rule (1), the following provisos shall be inserted, namely:—

"Provided that in the case of export of Indian Made Foreign Liquor in receptacles, the brand need not be registered.

Provided further that the receptacles shall be of food grade and satisfies Food Safety and Standards Authority of India standards as per the Food Safety and Standards (Packaging) Regulations, 2018".

By order of the Governor,

DR. RATHAN U. KELKAR, Secretary to Government.

Explanatory Note

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

At present the manufacturer of foreign liquor in the State or any manufacturer or bottler of foreign liquor elsewhere in India or abroad who supplies foreign liquor to the Beverages Corporation, shall register the brand of foreign liquor manufactured by him or manufactured and supplied by him as the case may be. The Government intends to permit export of Indian Made Foreign Liquor to any State in India or abroad on payment of requisite duties/fees and to exclude the registration of brand for such export under the Foreign Liquor (Registration of Brand) Rules, 1995. In order to achieve the above object, the Kerala Foreign Liquor (Registration of Brand) Rules, 1995 have to be amended suitably.

The notification is intended to achieve the above objects.

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