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NOTIFICATION

G.O. (P) No. 27/2023/TD.

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

S. R. O. No. 285/2023

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 24 and 29 of the Abkari Act, 1 of 1077, the Government of Kerala hereby make the following rules further to amend the Kerala Foreign Liquor (Approval of Label) Rules, 2018 issued by notification under G. O. (P) No. 80/2018/TD. dated 5th June, 2018 and published as S.R.O. No. 368/2018 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No. 1506 dated 5th June, 2018, namely:—



RULES

- 1. Short title and commencement.—(1) These rules may be called the Kerala Foreign Liquor (Approval of Label) Amendment Rules, 2023.
 - (2) They shall come into force at once.
- 2. Amendment of the Rules.—In the Foreign Liquor (Approval of Label) Rules, 2018, in rule 6, 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 Label affixed in such receptacles need not be approved.

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 labels to be used on the Foreign Liquor bottles shall be approved by the Commissioner. 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 approval of labels affixed in the receptacles used for such export under the Kerala Foreign Liquor (Approval of Label) Rules, 2018. In order to achieve the above object, the Kerala Foreign Liquor (Approval of Label) Rules, 2018 have to be amended suitably.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.

