GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
EXCISE, REGISTRATION, TAXATION & STAMPS DEPARTMENT

Notification

Dated Shillong, the 15th Nov, 2017.

No. ERTS(T) 65/2017/236 - In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 9, sub-section (1) of section 11, sub-section (5) of section 15 and sub-section (1) of section 16 of the Meghalaya Goods and Services Tax Act, 2017 (Act No. 10 of 2017), the Government of Meghalaya, on the recommendations of the Council, and on being satisfied that it is necessary in the public interest so to do, hereby makes the following further amendments in the notification No. ERTS(T)65/2017/11, dated 29.6.2017 published in the Gazette of Meghalaya, Extraordinary, Part IIA, No. 98 dated 5.7.2017, namely:-

In the said notification, in the Table,-

(i) against serial number 3, in column (3), in item (vi), for the words “Services provided”, the words “Composite supply of works contract as defined in clause (119) of section 2 of the Meghalaya Goods and Services Tax Act, 2017, provided” shall be substituted;

(ii) against serial number 7,-

(a) for item (i) in column (3) and the entries relating thereto in columns (3), (4) and (5), the following shall be substituted, namely:-

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<td>&quot;(i) Supply, by way of or as part of any service or in any other manner whatsoever, of goods, being food or any other article for human consumption or drink, where such supply or service is for cash, deferred payment or other valuable consideration, provided by a restaurant, eating joint including mess, canteen, whether for consumption on or away from the premises where such food or any other article for human consumption or drink is supplied, other than those located in the premises of hotels, inns, guest houses, clubs, campsites or other commercial places meant for residential or lodging purposes having declared tariff of any unit of accommodation of seven thousand five hundred rupees and above per unit per day or equivalent. Explanation.- “declared tariff” includes charges for all amenities provided in the unit of accommodation (given on rent for stay) like furniture, air conditioner, refrigerators or any other amenities, but without excluding any discount offered on the published charges for such unit.</td>
<td>Provided that credit of input tax charged on goods and services used in supplying the service has not been taken [Please refer to Explanation no. (iv)].”</td>
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(b) for item (iii) in column (3) and the entries relating thereto in columns (3), (4) and (5), the following shall be substituted, namely:-

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“(iii) Supply, by way of or as part of any service or in any other manner whatsoever, of goods, being food or any other article for human consumption or any drink, where such supply or service is for cash, deferred payment or other valuable consideration, provided by a restaurant, eating joint including mess, canteen, whether for consumption on or away from the premises where such food or any other article for human consumption or drink is supplied, located in the premises of hotels, inns, guest houses, clubs, campsites or other commercial places meant for residential or lodging purposes having declared tariff of any unit of accommodation of seven thousand five hundred rupees and above per unit per day or equivalent.

Explanation.- “declared tariff” includes charges for all amenities provided in the unit of accommodation (given on rent for stay) like furniture, air conditioner, refrigerators or any other amenities, but without excluding any discount offered on the published charges for such unit.

c) the item (iv) in column (3) and the entries relating thereto in columns (3), (4) and (5), shall be omitted;

d) in item (ix), in column (3), for the entry, the following entry shall be substituted, namely:-

“(ix) Accommodation, food and beverage services other than (ii), (iii), (v), (vii) and (viii) above.

Explanation. - For the removal of doubt, it is hereby clarified that, supply, by way of or as part of any service or in any other manner whatsoever, of goods, being food or any other article for human consumption or drink, where such supply or service is for cash, deferred payment or other valuable consideration, provided by a restaurant, eating joint including mess, canteen, whether for consumption on or away from the premises where such food or any other article for human consumption or drink is supplied, other than those located in the premises of hotels, inns, guest houses, clubs, campsites or other commercial places meant for residential or lodging purposes having declared tariff of any unit of accommodation of seven thousand five hundred rupees and above per unit per day or equivalent shall attract central tax @ 2.5% without any input tax credit under item (i) above and shall not be levied at the rate as specified under this entry.”;

(iii) against serial number 26, in column (3), in item (i), after sub-item (h), the following shall be inserted, namely: -

‘(i) manufacture of handicraft goods.

Explanation. - The expression “handicraft goods” shall have the same meaning as assigned to it in the notification No. ERTS(T)65/2017/Pt-I/93, dated the 9th November, 2017.

2. This notification shall come into force with effect from 15th of November, 2017.

Sd/-

P. W. Ingty
Additional Chief Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya
Excise, Registration, Taxation & Stamps Department.
Memo No. ERTS(T) 65/2017/236-A

Dated Shillong, the 15th Nov, 2017

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2. P. S. to Minister i/c Taxation for favour of information of the Minister.
3. P. S. to Chief Secretary for favour of information of the Chief Secretary.
4. P. S. to the Additional Chief Secretary i/c ERTS Department for favour of information of the Additional Chief Secretary.
5. The Secretary to the Govt. of India and ex-officio Secretary to the GST Council, New Delhi-110001
6. The Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya, Finance Department/ERTS Department.
7. The Commissioner of Taxes, Meghalaya, Shillong for favour of information and necessary action.
8. All Deputy Commissioners/Sub Divisional Officers.
9. All Administrative Departments.
10. All Heads of Department.
11. The Director, Printing and Stationery, Meghalaya, Shillong with a request to cause publication of the above Notification in the Gazette of Meghalaya Extra Ordinary issue and furnish this Department with 50 spare copies.
12. Principal Accountant General (Audit), Meghalaya (Attention : CASS Section), Shillong-793001.
13. Accountant General (A & E), Meghalaya, Shillong-793001
15. The Deputy Commissioner of Taxes/Assistant Commissioner of Taxes, Meghalaya, Shillong.

By order etc.,

Under Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya
Excise, Registration, Taxation & Stamps Department