

Department of Revenue

Notification

26/13/2016-RD/8639

Whereas the draft Rules namely, the Goa, Daman and Diu Land Revenue (Inspection, Search and Supply of Copies of Land Records) Amendment Rules, 2021 which the Government of Goa proposed to make in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) and (2) of section 199 of the Goa Land Revenue Code, 1968 (Act 9 of 1969), so as to further amend the Goa, Daman and Diu Land Revenue (Inspection, Search and Supply of Copies of Land Records) Rules, 1969, were pre-published as required by sub-section (3) of section 199 of the said Code, 1968 in the Official Gazette, Series 1 No. 21 dated 19-08-2021 vide Government Notification No. 26/13/2016/4012 dated 16-08-2021 of the Revenue Department, inviting objections and/or suggestions from all persons likely to be affected thereby within a period of fifteen days from the date of publication of the said Notification in the Official Gazette;

And whereas, the said Gazette was made available to the public on 19-08-2021;

And whereas, no objections and/or suggestions have been received from the public on the said draft Rules by the Government within the said period;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 199 of the Goa Land Revenue Code, 1968 (Act No. 9 of 1969) and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Government of Goa hereby makes the following rules so as to further amend the Goa, Daman and Diu Land Revenue (Inspection, Search and Supply of Copies of Land Records) Rules, 1969, namely:—

1. *Short title and commencement.*— (1) These rules may be called the Goa Land Revenue (Inspection, Search and Supply of Copies of Land Records) (Amendment) Rules, 2021.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. *Amendment of rule 8.*— In rule 8 of the

Goa, Daman and Diu Land Revenue (Inspection, Search and Supply of Copies of Land Records) Rules, 1969 (hereinafter referred to as the "principal Rules"), after the first proviso, the following proviso shall be inserted, namely:—

"Provided further that copy or extract of the computerised record, map or plan may be issued online without any certification, and such computer generated copy or extract shall be valid copy or extract of the record issued under these rules".

3. *Amendment of rule 8A.*— In rule 8 A of the principal Rules, for the words "Digitally signed", the words "a Digitally signed or computer generated" shall be substituted.

4. *Amendment of rule 11.*— In rule 11 of the principal Rules, the following proviso shall be inserted, namely:—

"Provided that if a copy or extract of the computerised record, map or plan is issued online, a computer generated endorsement to be made in the following form:—

The record is computer generated on ... [Date and time]... as per ... [online reference number]. This record is valid without any signature.

5. *Amendment of rule 12.*— In rule 12 of the principal Rules, for the expression "certified copies of records shall be pre-paid in cash", the expression "certified, digitally signed or computer generated copy" shall be substituted.

6. *Amendment of Schedule.*— In Schedule A to the principal Rules,

(i) against serial numbers (4), (10), (25), (26) and (27) for the words "digitally signed", the words "digitally signed or computer generated" shall be substituted.

(ii) against serial number 5, for the word "certified", the expression "certified, digitally signed or computer generated", shall be inserted.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Sudin A. Natu, Under Secretary (Revenue-I)
Porvorim, 13th September, 2021.