

**ELECTION MATTER**  
**MOST IMMEDIATE**



**Government of Goa**  
**Department of Finance (Revenue & Control)**  
**Secretariat, Porvorim**  
**Bardez - Goa. 403521**

No.2/1/95-Fin(R&C)/Part(A) 184

Dated: - 09/02/2022

Read: Notification No.2/1/95-Fin(R&C)/Part(A)/66 dated 31/01/2022

**NOTIFICATION**

In supersession to the Notification read above, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (4) of Rule 99 of the Goa Excise Duty Rules, 1964, the Government of Goa, being satisfied that it is necessary in the public interest, hereby directs that all licensed premises "for the sale of liquor" shall be closed from 6.00 p.m. of 12/02/2022 till 06.00 p.m. of 14/02/2022 and on 10/03/2022, in the entire State of Goa, in view of polling and counting of votes for the General Election to the Goa Legislative Assembly, 2022, as per section 135C of The Representation of the People Act, 1951.

However, the licensed premises having licence for Bar and Restaurant may be allowed to keep the restaurant open for serving food only and the Bar counter shall be closed and no liquor shall be allowed to be served on the above mentioned days. The owner of the licensed premises having Bar & Restaurant shall also display a board in the premises stating that no liquor will be served and that only the restaurant is open for serving food.

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

*(Pranab G. Bhat)*  
09/02/2022

**Under Secretary Finance (R&C)**

**To,**

The Director, Printing & Stationery, Panaji, with a request to publish the Notification in the Extraordinary Official Gazette.

**Copy to:**

1. The Chief Electoral Officer, Altinho, Panaji-Goa.
2. The Secretary, Goa State Election Commission, Junta House, 3 rd Floor, Panaji, Goa.
3. The Collector, North Goa, Panaji.
4. The Collector, South Goa, Margao.
5. The Director of Information & Publicity, Panaji, with a request to issue suitable press note immediately.
6. The Commissioner of Excise, Panaji.
7. Guard file.
8. Office file.