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NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 59 of the Prisons Act, 1894 (Central Act 9 of 1894) and all other powers enabling it in this behalf, the Government of Goa hereby makes the following rules so as to further amend the Goa Prisons Rules, 2021 as follows, namely:-

1. Short title and commencement. (1) These rules may be called as the Goa Prisons (Second Amendment) Rules, 2026.

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

2. Substitution of rule 663. - In the Goa Prisons Rules, 2021 (hereinafter referred to as the "principal Rules"), for rule 663 the following rule shall be substituted, namely:-

"663. The provisions of this rule may be relaxed in the case of prisoners willing to receive help from the local Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society on release, and for habitual and police registered prisoners."

3. Amendment of rule 1341. - In rule 1341 of the principal Rules, for clause (1) the following clause shall be substituted, namely:-

"(1) Prisoners suffering from contagious and infectious disease such as leprosy, tuberculosis etc., upon obtaining the medical opinion from the specialized Medical Officer for such sicknesses."

By Order and in the name of
the Governor of Goa

(Manthan Mandi Naik)

Under Secretary (Home-I)

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To,
The Director Printing and Stationery, Panaji with a request to publish Notification in the next issue of Official Gazette.

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2. The Additional Inspector General of Prisons, Panaji-Goa.
3. The Superintendent, Central Jail, Colvale-Goa.
4. The Joint Secretary(Estt.), Law Department, Secretariat, Porvorim-Goa
5. P.A. to Chief Secretary, Secretariat, Porvorim-Goa.
6. P.A. to the Director General of Police, Panaji-Goa.
7. P.A. to Law Secretary, Secretariat, Porvorim-Goa.
8. The Superintendent of Police (Crime), Ribander, Goa.

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