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Dated, Agartala, the 1st. th October, 2019.

NOTIFICATION

WHEREAS, the Government of Tripura, in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 112 of the Factories Act, 1948 (Central Act No.63 of 1948) has framed the Tripura Factories Rules, 2007;

AND WHEREAS, to mandate surprise inspection or inspections to the factories based on complaints are conducted with specific permissions from the respective Head of Department, the DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL POLICY AND PROMOTION, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India has made suggestions in the context of Ease of Doing Business to make this provision in regard to surprise inspections and to be incorporated in the state rules;

AND WHEREAS, in view of the above, it has become expedient for the State Government to amend the Tripura Factories Rules, 2007, on the lines suggested by Government of India;

AND WHEREAS, according to Section 115(1) of the Factories Act, 1948, framing of any Rules under the Act is subject to the condition of previous publication in the Official Gazette;

NOW THEREFORE, in accordance with the provision contained in Section 115(1) of the Factories Act, 1948, the State Government hereby publishes the following draft amendment rules, inviting objections and suggestions from all persons likely to be affected thereby, to be submitted before the undersigned, within a period of forty-five days from the date of publication of this Notification in the Tripura Gazette:-

The Tripura Factories (Seventh Amendment) Rules, 2019 (Draft)

1. Short title and commencement:

- a) These may be called the 'Tripura Factories (Seventh Amendment) Rules, 2019';
- b) They shall come into force on and from the date of their final publication in the Tripura Gazette;

2. Amendment of Rule 24:

- (1) In Rule 24 of the Tripura Factories Rules, 2007 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Rules), in the second proviso of sub-rule (c) Serial no. (iii) shall be read and construed as (ii):
- (2) In Rule 24, after sub-rule (d), a new sub-rule (e) shall be added as follow:

 "(e) Even if any complaint is received directly in respect of any factory, the
 powers of the Inspectors to conduct any other surprise inspection or
 complaint inspection are subject to obtaining prior permission from the Head
 of Department, in writing".

By order of the Governor

(Chaitanya Murti) Special Secretary to the Government of Tripura.