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NOTIFICATION

No. A. 26020/1/2006-DC&MA(L), the 13th February, 2024. In pursuance of paragraph 11 of the Sixth Schedule to the Constitution of India, the following Rules passed by the Lai Autonomous District Council which received approval of the Governor of Mizoram to take effect from 1st April, 2023 is hereby published for general information, namely :-

"THE LAI AUTONOMOUS DISTRICT COUNCIL (SALARIES, ALLOWANCES AND PENSION OF MEMBERS) (THIRD AMENDMENT) RULES, 2023."

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THE LAI AUTONOMOUS DISTRICT COUNCIL (SALARIES, ALLOWANCES AND PENSION OF MEMBER) (THIRD AMENDMENT) RULES, 2023

Further to amend the Lai Autonomous District Council (Salaries, Allowances and Pension of Member) Rules, 2003 (hereinafter referred to as the Principal Rules).

Be it enacted by the Lai Autonomous District Council in the Seventy First year of the Republic of India as follows:

1. Short title and Commencement

- (i) These Rules may be called the Lai Autonomous District Council (Salaries, Allowances and Pension of Member (Third Amendment) Rules, 2023.
- (ii) It shall be deemed to have come into force with effect from the 1st day of April, 2023.

2. Amendment of Rule 2

In sub-rule (g) of Rule2 of the Principal Rules, after the words, "Executive Member" the words "Leader of the Opposition" shall be inserted.

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3. Amendment of Rule 3

In Rule 3 of the Principal Rules, for the words and figure, "Salary of Rs. 40,000 (Forty Thousand) per mensem" the word and figure "Salary of Rs. 80,000 (EightyThousand) per mensem, "shall be substituted.

4. Amendment of Rule 4

In Rule 4 of the Principal Rules, for the words and figure, "Daily Allowances of Rs. 500 (Five Hundred) within the District Council Area and Rs. 750 (Seven Hundred Fifty) outside the District Council Area per day," the words and figure, "Daily Allowances of Rs. 1,000(One Thousand) within Mizoram and Rs. 2,000 (Two Thousand) outside Mizoram per day," shall be substituted.

5. Amendment of Rule 5

Rule 5 of the Principal Rules shall be substituted as follows, namely: -

"Constituency Allowances, Family Allowances and Contingency Allowances: -

"A member shall be paid a Constituency Allowances of Rs. 20,000 (Twenty Thousand) per mensem, Family Allowances of Rs. 7,000 (Seven Thousand) per mensem and Contingency Allowances of Rs. 13,000 (Thirteen Thousand) per mensem."

6. Amendment of Rule 6

(a) In Rule 6 of the Principal Rules, for the words and figures, "Rs. 4,000 (Four Thousand) per mensem" the words and figures, "Rs. 8,000 (Eight Thousand) per mensem" shall be substituted.

7. Amendment of Rule 7

In Rule 7 of the Principal Rules, for the words and figure, "to receive a sum of Rs. 30,000 (Thirty Thousand) in the First year for furnishing and Rs. 15,000 (Fifteen Thousand) annually" the word and figure, "to receive a sum of Rs. 1,00,000 (One Lakh) in the first year for furnishing and Rs. 40,000 (Forty Thousand) annually, " shall be substituted.

8. Amendment of Rule 9

- (a) In sub-rule (1)of Rule 9 of the Principal Rules, for the words and figure, "Rs. 500 (Five Hundred) within the District Council Area," the words, brackets and figure, "Rs.1,000 (One Thousand) within Mizoram," shall be substituted.
- (b) In sub rule (3) of Rule 9 of the Principal Rules, for the words, brackets and figure," Rs. 750 (Seven Hundred Fifty) outside the District Council Area," the words, brackets and figure,"Rs. 2,000(Two Thousand) outside Mizoram," shall be substituted.

9. Amendment of Rule 12

- (1) Sub-rule (2) of Rule 12 of the Principal Rules shall be substituted as follows:
 - (a) "There shall be paid Rs. 40,000 (Forty thousand) only per month to a member who had been elected/ nominated once for 5 (five) years or for any period shorter than 5 (five) years.
 - (b) If a member had been elected/nominated two terms or more, a sum of Rs. 5,000 (Five Thousand) per term shall be added to the initial pension of Rs. 40,000 irrespective of the number of terms a member is elected/nominated.
 - (c) The maximum amount of Pension shall not exceed Rs. 70,000 (Seventy Thousand).
 - (d) The pension shall increase by 5% (five) annually at simple interest rate.

- (e) There shall be paid a medical assistance of Rs. 2,000 (Two Thousand) only per mensem to each former member"
- (2) After clause (b) of sub-rule (3) of Rule 12 of the Principal Rules, the following clause shall be inserted, namely: -
 - "(c) Becomes a member of the Legislative Assembly or a Member of Parliament."

10. Amendment of Rule 14

- I. Sub-rule (1) of Rule 14 of the Principal Rule shall be substituted as: -
 - (1) "When a sitting or former member dies, his/her spouse or if he/she had no surviving spouse at the time of his death, his other family of the first preference, if any shall be paid a Family Pension of 50% of the last pension received by the Ex-MDC or if a sitting MDC dies, 50% of the pension that would have been received by him/her".
- **II.** For clause (c) of sub-rule 2 of Rule 14 of the Principal Rules, the following clause shall be substituted, namely: -
 - (c) In the case of an unmarried or widowed or divorced daughter, until she gets married of remarried or until her death, whichever is earlier.
- III. After clause (c) of sub-rule 2 of Rule 14 of the Principal Rules, a new clause shall be inserted, namely: -
 - (d) In the case of a son or daughter who is suffering from any disorder or disability of mind including the mentally retarded or is physically crippled or disabled so as to render him/her unable to earn a living, until his/her death."