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The Maharashtra Agricultural Lands  
(Amendment)(Ceiling on Holdings)  
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Government of Maharashtra,  
Revenue and Forests Department,  
Resolution No. ICH. 1165/42579-M(Spl),  
Sachivalaya, Bombay, 21st April 1965.

RESOLUTION

Consequent upon the amendment of the Maharashtra Agricultural Lands (Ceiling on Holdings) Act, 1961 by the Maharashtra Agricultural Lands (Ceiling on Holdings) (Amendment) Act, 1964 it has become necessary to amend the Maharashtra Agricultural Lands (Ceiling on Holdings) Rules, 1962. The appended notification containing a draft of the proposed Amendment Rules should, therefore, be published in the Maharashtra Government Gazette, Extraordinary, Part IV-B, dated the 21st April 1965 for inviting objections and suggestions from the members of the public to the proposed draft Rules. The Collectors are requested to give wide publicity to the notification through their subordinate officers and to forward to Government any petitions of objections or suggestions which they or the officers subordinate to them may receive in respect of it. The Collectors may also make their suggestions to the Amendment Rules. The petitions as also the suggestions of the Collectors should reach Government before 25th May 1965.

2. The Director of Publicity should also give ~~wix~~ wide publicity to the notification in the whole State.

3. The Translation Bureau of the Law and Judiciary Department should be requested to translate the notification in Marathi and Hindi and to forward the translations to the Director, Government Printing and Stationery. The Director should publish the translations in the Maharashtra Government Gazette and supply their copies as well as copies of the notification in English to all Collectors according to the distribution list appended to this resolution. The Director should keep sufficient number of copies of the notification in English and regional languages for sale to the public.

4. The cost of printing the notification should, for the purposes of press proforma accounts be debited to the Budget head "9-Land Revenue".

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra,

*W. G. Ranadive*  
(W. G. RANADIVE),  
Under Secretary to Government.

To

- \*The Commissioners of Divisions,
- \*The Settlement Commissioner and Director of Land & Records, Poona,
- \*The Director of Agriculture,
- \*The Registrar of Co-operative Societies,
- \*The Director of Social Welfare, Poona,
- \*All Collectors,
- @The Translation Bureau of the Law and Judiciary Department,
- \*The Director of Publicity (with a draft press Note),
- \*The Director of Government Printing and Stationery,
- \*The Manager, Government Central Press,
- \*The Remembrancer of Legal Affairs,
- % \*The President, Maharashtra Revenue Tribunal,
- \*The Registrar, Maharashtra Revenue Tribunal,
- \*The Accountant General, Bombay, \*With copies of Notification.
- \*The Finance Department, @With 3 copies of "
- \*All other Departments of the Sachivalaya. % By letter.

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**PART IV-B**

Rules and Orders (other than those published in Parts I, I-A and I-L) made by the Government of Maharashtra under the Maharashtra Acts.

**REVENUE AND FORESTS DEPARTMENT.**

Sachivalaya, Bombay, 21st April 1965.

MAHARASHTRA AGRICULTURAL LANDS (CEILING ON HOLDINGS) ACT, 1961.

No. ICH. 1165/42579-M-(Spl).—The following draft of rules further to amend the Maharashtra Agricultural Lands (Ceiling on Holdings) Rules, 1962, which the Government of Maharashtra, proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (f) of sub-section (2) of section 46 of the Maharashtra Agricultural Lands (Ceiling on Holdings) Act, 1961 (Mah. XXVII of 1961), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, is published as required by sub-section (1) of the said section 46 for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby; and notice is hereby given that the said draft will be taken into consideration by the Government of Maharashtra after the 25th day of May 1965.

2. Any objections or suggestions which may be received by the Secretary to the Government of Maharashtra in the Revenue and Forests Department

from any person with respect to the said draft before the aforesaid date will be considered by Government :—

### DRAFT RULES.

1. These rules may be called the Maharashtra Agricultural Lands (Ceiling on Holdings) (Amendment) Rules, 1965.

2. After rule 16 of the Maharashtra Agricultural Lands (Ceiling on Holdings) Rules, 1962 (hereinafter referred to as "The principal Rules"), the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"16-A. Manner of Approval of dairy farms under section 47 (1) (ff).—

(1) The person in charge of a dairy farm seeking approval of the State Government under clause (ff) of sub-section (1) of section 47 in respect of lands held by the farm on the 27th day of November 1964, shall apply to the State Government through the Collector within whose jurisdiction all or major portion of such lands are situated. The application shall be accompanied by—

(i) a list of lands which were held by the farm on the 27th day of November 1964,

(ii) a list of lands which are held by the farm at the time of submission of the application,

(iii) a certified copy of extract of the record of rights relating to each land referred to in the above list.

(2) The application shall contain the following particulars, that is to say,—

(i) the number of animals maintained on the farm during the three years immediately preceding the year of application ;

(ii) the area of land under fodder crops and the total quantity of fodder produced therein during the each of such three preceding years ;

(iii) the total quantity of fodder required by the animals on the farm ;

(iv) whether the lands comprised in the farm or any portion thereof is used for a purpose other than that of dairy farming ; and

(v) how the produce from the farm is utilised.

(3) Where any dairy farm is approved by the State Government the fact about such approval shall be notified in the *Official Gazette*."

3. In Form No. X appended to the principal rules, in the second paragraph, for sub-paragraphs (5) to (11), the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"(5) serving members of the armed forces, and ex-service-men ;

(6) a joint farming society or a farming society, the members of which answer to any of the following descriptions, namely :—

- (i) serving members of the armed forces,
- (ii) ex-servicemen,
- (iii) agricultural labourers,
- (iv) landless persons, or
- (v) small holders :

Provided that, the majority of members of such society are serving members of the armed forces or ex-servicemen :

(7) a joint farming society, the members of which answer to the one or more of the following descriptions, namely :—

- (i) agricultural labourer, or
- (ii) landless person, or
- (iii) small holder :

(8) a farming society, the members of which answer to the one or more of the following descriptions, namely :—

- (i) agricultural labourer, or
- (ii) landless person, or
- (iii) small holder ;

(9) agricultural labourers ;

(10) Landless persons ;

(11) Small holders.

*Explanation.*—For purposes of this notice,—

(a) a serving member of the armed forces means a serving member of the armed forces of the Union.

(b) an ex-serviceman means a former member of the armed forces of the Union (not being a person who has ceased to be a member of the armed forces as a result of his being duly dismissed or discharged after a court martial or on account of bad character or as a result of desertion, or who has not been attested).

whose gross annual income for the year immediately preceding the month in which surplus land is granted under this section does not exceed Rs. 2,400."

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra,

W. G. RANADIVE,

Under Secretary to Government.