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No. ZSGC 3/73/211, the 30th August, 1973. In exercise of power conferred by section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (Act of 1955), read with Notifications No. S. O. 1844, dated the 18th June, 1966 from the Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture and with the prior concurrence of the Central Government, the Lieutenant Governor (Administrator) of Mizoram is pleased to make the following orders, namely :—

THE MIZORAM CEMENT DEALERS LICENSING ORDER, 1973.

1. Short title, extent and commencement :— (1) This order may be called the “Mizoram Cement Dealers Licensing Order, 1973”.
 - (2) It extends to the whole of the Union Territory of Mizoram.
 - (3) It shall come into force immediately.
2. Definitions :— In this order, unless the context otherwise requires :—
 - (a) “Dealer” means a person engaged in the business of purchase, sale or storage for sale, of Cement in quantities exceeding 10 metric tonnes at any one time, but does not include an industrial undertaking which is engaged in the manufacture of cement under the INDUSTRIES (Development and Regulation) ACT, 1951 (65 of 1951);
 - (b) “Form” means a form set forth in the schedule to this order;
 - (c) “Licensing Authority” means the Director of Supply and Transport, Mizoram or any other Officer appointed by the Government to exercise the powers and perform the duties of the Licensing Authority under this order;
 - (d) “Government” means the government of the Union Territory of Mizoram
 - (e) “Cement” means any variety of cement manufactured in India, and includes portland pozzalana cement, blast furnace slag cement, but does not include white and coloured cement and (other than grey portland cement). oil well cement and waterproof (Hydrophobic) Cement.

3. Licencing of Dealers :— (1) No person shall carry on business as Dealer except under and in accordance with the terms and conditions of a licence issued in this behalf by the Licensing Authority.

(2) A separate License shall be necessary for each place of business.

(3) For the purposes of Sub—clause (1) and (2) of this clause, any person who stores Cement in any quantity exceeding 10 metric tonnes at any one time shall, unless the contrary is proved, be deemed to store the cement for the purpose of sale, provided that any consumer requiring cement exceeding 5 metric tonnes at a time, shall apply in form D to the Licensing Authority or any other officer authorised to do for obtaining a storage permit in Form E.

4. Issue of License : (1) Every application for a License or renewal thereof shall be to made the Licensing Authority in Form A.

(2) Every Licence issued or renewed under this order shall be in Form B and shall be subject to the conditions specified therein.

5. Period of License and Fees Chargeable :— (1) Every license issued under this order shall be valid from the date of issue to the 31st December of the year in which the licence has been issued and may thereafter be renewed for a further period of one year at a time.

(2) The fees specified below shall be chargeable in respect of each licence, namely:—

For issue of licence	— Rs. 20. 00
For renewal of licence	— Rs. 10. 00
For Issue of a duplicate licence	— Rs. 15. 00

6. Power to refuse Licence :— The Licensing Authority may after giving the dealer concerned an opportunity of stating his case in writing and for reasons to be recorded in writing, refuse to grant or renew a licence.

7. Contravention of Conditions of Licence :— (1) Every licenced dealers shall submit returns to the Licensing Authority in Form 'C' and shall further submit such reports and returns as may be required by the said authority.

(2) No holder of licence issued under this Order shall contravene any of the terms of conditions of the Licence and if any such holder contravenes any of the said terms of conditions, then without prejudice to any other action that may be taken, against him, his licence may be cancelled or suspended by order, in writing of the licensing authority.

Provided that no order shall be made under this clause unless the licensee has been given an opportunity of stating his case in writing against the proposed cancellation or suspension.

8. Permits :— No dealer shall sell or otherwise dispose of Cement to any person, society or body except under and in accordance with a special permit issued by the Licensing Authority in Form 'F'.

9. Appeal :— (1) Any person aggrieved by any order of the Licensing Authority refusing to issue or renew a licence or cancelling or suspending a licence under the provisions of this order may appeal to the Government within 30 days of the date of the receipt by him of such order.

(2) No order shall be passed in appeal unless the aggrieved person has been given an opportunity of stating his case in writing.

10. Powers of entry, search, seizure etc. :— The Licensing Authority or any Supply Officer not below the rank of Sub-Inspector of Supply or any other Officer authorised by the Government in this behalf may, with such assistance, if any, as he thinks fit ;

(a) require the owner, occupier or any other person in-charge of any place, premises, vehicle, or vessel in which he has reason to believe that any contravention of the provisions of this order or of the conditions of any licence issued thereunder has been, is being, or is about to be committed, to produce any book, accounts or other documents showing transaction relating to such contraventions ;

(b) enter, inspect or break open and search any place or premises, vehicle or vessel in which he has reason to believe that any contravention of the provisions of this order or of the conditions of any licence issued thereunder, has been, is being or is about to be committed ;

(c) take or cause to be taken, extracts from or copies of any, documents showing transaction relating to such contraventions which are produced before him ;

(d) search, seize and remove stocks of cement and the animals, vehicles, vessels or other conveyance used in carrying the said cement in contravention of the provisions of this order, or of the conditions of the Licences issued thereunder and thereafter take or authorise the taking of all measures necessary for securing the production of stocks of cement and the animals, vehicles, vessels or other conveyances so seized, in a Court and for their safe custody pending such production.

(2) The provisions of Section 102 and 103 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, relating to search and seizure shall, so far as may be, apply to searches and seizures under these clause.

G.C. Srivastava
Secretary to the Govt. of Mizoram,
Supply & Transport Department.

FORM 'A'

Application for Licence Under the Mizoram Cement Dealer's Licensing Order, 1973.

1. Applicant's name :—
2. Applicant's profession :—
3. Applicant's address :—
4. Situation of applicant's places or business with particulars as to number of houses, mohalla, town or village, Police Station and District.
5. How long the applicant has been trading in Cement.
6. Did the applicant hold a Cement Licence or any previous occasion ?
(If so, give particulars including its suspension or cancellation, if any).
7. Quantities of Cement handled annually during the last three years.
8. Income-tax, Mizoram Finance Tax paid in the two years proceeding the Year of application (to be indicated separately)
(i) _____
(ii) _____
9. Quantity of Cement in the possession of the applicant in the date of application and the places at which the different quantities are kept.

I declare that the quantities of Cement specified above are in my possession this day and are held at the places noted against them. I have carefully read the conditions of the Licence given in Form 'B' appended to the Mizoram Cement Dealer's Licensing Order, 1973 and I agree to abide by them.

- * (a) I have not previously applied for a licence in this District under this Order.
- * (b) I applied for such Licence in this District for _____
on _____ and
was/was not granted a licence on _____
- * (c) I hereby apply for renewal of Licence No. _____
date _____ Issued to me on _____

* Strike off the clause not applicable.

Place :—

Date :—

Signature of the Applicant.

FORM 'B'

Under the Mizoram Cement Dealer's Licensing Order, 1973.

Licence for purchase, sale or storage of cement for sale.

Licence No :— _____

1. Subject to the provisions of the Mizoram Cement Dealer's Licensing Order, 1973, and to the terms and conditions of this Licence _____ is/are hereby authorised, to purchase, sell or store cement for sale.
2. The licensee shall carry on the aforesaid business at the following places :—
3. (i) The licensee shall maintained a register of daily account for cement showing correctly :—
 - (a) the opening stock on each day ;
 - (b) the quantities received on each day showing the place from where and the source from which received ;
 - (c) the quantities delivered or otherwise removed on each day showing the places of destination ; and
 - (d) the closing stock in each day.
 - (ii) The licensee shall complete his accounts for each day on the day to which they relate, unless prevented by reasonable cause the burden of proving which shall be upon him.
 - (iii) Separate registers should be maintained for each kind of cement dealt in by him.
4. The licensee shall submit to the Licensing Authority true return in Form C of the stock, receipts and deliveries of each of the categories of cement every fortnight (1st to 15th and 16th to end of the month) so as to reach him within five days after the close of the fortnight.
5. The licensee shall issue to every customers a correct receipt of invoice as the case may be, giving his own name, address and licence number, the name, address, the licence number (if any of the customer, the date of transaction, the quantity sold, the price per quintal and the total amount charged and shall keep a duplicate of the same to be available for inspection on demand by the Licensing authority or any other Officer authorised by him in this behalf.

6. The licensee shall give all facilities at all reasonable times to the Licensing authority or any officer authorised by the Government for the inspection of his stocks and accounts at any shop, godown or other place used by him for storage sale or purchase of cement and for the taking samples of cement for examination.

7. The licensee shall comply with any direction that may be given to him by the Government or the Licensing Authority in regard to purchase, sale and storage for sale, of cement and in regard to the language in which the register, returns, receipts or invoice mentioned Paragraph 3, 4, or 5 shall be written and the authentication and maintenance of register mentioned in paragraph 3.

8. This licence shall be attached to any application for renewal.

9. This licence shall be valid upto _____

Date.:.....

Signature of the Licensing Authority

FROM 'C'

Return of stocks, receipts and sales of cement for the fortnight under the Mizoram Cement Dealers' Licensing Order, 1973 ending.....19

Name of the Dealer.....

No. of Licence.....

Address.....

Particulars of godowns where stock held and quantity in stock in respect of each quantity of cement in stock in bags/quintals.

Particulars of godowns Quantity in stock/bags/quintals Remark, if any

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

1. Stock at the beginning of the fortnight :—

- (a) actually with the licensee.....bags/quintals.....
- (b) pledged with any person of institution such as a bank or Co-oper. ative Society.....bags/quintals.
- Total.....bags/quintals.

2. Quantity purchased during the fortnight-

Name of Factory from whom purchased	Quantity (in bags/quintals)
(i)	
(ii)	
(iii)	
(iv)	
Total.....	

3. Quantity received out of quantity purchased.....

From (Name of Factory) Quantity (in bags/quintals) Date of Purchase.

4. Quantity sold.....

- (a) Quantity sold/and delivered/removed/transfer during the fortnight (bags/quintals).
- (b) Quantity sold but not yet delivered.....

Total sold.....bags/quintals.
Total otherwise disposed of.....bags/quintals.

5. Stock at the end of the fortnight.....

- (a) actually with the licensee.....
 - (i) unsold.....
 - (ii) sold but awaiting delivery.....
- (b) pledged with any other person or institution such as a bank or a Co-operative Society.....

To

Total

1. Licensing Authority.

District.

Place

Signature.

FROM 'D'

Application for storage permit of cement under the Mizoram Cement Dealers' Licensing Order, 1973.

- 1. Name of the Applicant.....
- 2. Address.....
- 3. Purpose of Storage.....
- 4. Estimated cost of construction.....
and quantity of Cement proposed
to be stored
- 5. Place where to be stored.....
- 6. Period for which storage is required.....

I declare that the above storage permit is sought for my personal consumption of cement for construction of my own house, etc. or for my contract work and not for sale or disposal otherwise. If anything to the contrary is proved I shall be liable to prosecution as provided by law.

Signature of the Applicant.

FROM 'E'

Permit for storage of cement by Consumer under the Mizoram Cement Dealers' Licensing Order, 1973.

- 1. Name of the consumer and address :
- 2. Quantity permitted to be stored :
in District, Police Station, Village :
Post Office, etc.
- 3. Period upto which storage is allowed :

Signature.

FORM 'F'

GOVERNMENT OF MIZORAM
SUPPLY & TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT

NO.....

SPECIAL PERMIT

To

M/S _____

Please supply.....bags of cement to
.....on cash payment.

This permit is valid for three days from the date of
issue.

Aizawl

Director of Supply & Transport,
Mizoram : : Aizawl.

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