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## NOTIFICATION

**No. H. 12018/135/04 - LJD/73, the 23rd April, 2008.** The following Act of the Mizoram Legislative Assembly which received the assent of the Governor of Mizoram is hereby published for general information.

The Mizoram (Land Survey and Settlement Operation) (Amendment) Act, 2008

(Act No. 10 of 2008)

[Received the assent of the Governor of Mizoram on 4th April, 2008]

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ACT

to amend the Mizoram (Land Survey and Settlement Operation) Act, 2003 (hereinafter referred to as the Principal Act)

It is enacted by the Legislative Assembly of Mizoram in the Fifty ninth Year of the Republic of India as follows :-

1. **Short title, extent and commencement:**

- (1) This Act may called the Mizoram (Land Survey and Settlement (Operation) (Amendment) Act, 2008
- (2) It shall have the like extent as the Principal Act.
- (3) It shall come into force on and from such date as may be notified in this behalf by the Government in the Official Gazette.

2. **Insertion of new definition :**

In the principal Act, after clause (J) of section 2, the following definitions shall be inserted, namely :-

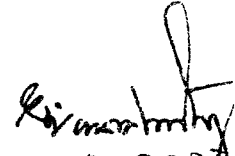
- (jj) "revenue survey division" means a local area comprising of a revenue circle or group of revenue circles or portions thereof of one or more districts, which, in the opinion of the State Government, or an officer authorised by it in this behalf, is contiguous and homogenous in respect of physical configuration, area, number of revenue circles and convenience of revenue administration;
- (jjj) "revenue circle" means a local revenue sub-division of a district, comprising one or more revenue villages;
- (jjjj) "revenue village" means a local area which is recognised in the land records as a revenue village for the purpose of revenue administration and includes all the lands comprised within the limits of the village or such other area as the Government may, from time to time by notification, declare to be a revenue village;
- (p) "village" means any tract/ area of land which was declared to be a village under the Lushai Hills District (Village Councils) Act, 1953."

3. **Insertion of new section 38-A :**

In the Principal Act, after section 38, the following section shall be inserted, namely :

**"Section 38-A :- Power to create, alter or abolish revenue survey division or revenue circle or revenue villages;**

The Government or such officer as may be authorised by the Government in this behalf, may, by notification, in the official Gazette, create revenue survey division or revenue circle or revenue village; or alter or abolish any revenue survey division or revenue circle or revenue village for the purpose of this Act."

  
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