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NOTIFICATION

No.C.11018/1/97-DCA, the 12th April, 2002. In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-paragraph (6) of paragraph 2 of the Sixth Schedule to the Constitution of India, the Governor of Mizoram is pleased to make the following Rules further to amend the Mizoram Autonomous District Councils (Constitution and Conduct of Business of the District Councils) Rules, 1974 (hereinafter called Principal Rules) namely :-

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| Short title and commencement | 1. | (1) These Rules may be called the Mizoram Autonomous District Councils (Constitution and Conduct of the Business of the District Councils) (Amendment) Rules, 2002. |
| | | (2) This shall come into force at once. |
| Amendment of sub-rule (1)&(2) of rule 17 | 2. | In sub-rules(1) and (2) of rule 17 of the Principal Rules, figure namely, '21' shall be substituted by the figure namely, '14'. |
| Amendment of sub-rule (3) of rule 17 | 3. | In sub-rule(3) of rule 17 of the Principal Rules, for the words, namely, "the Returning Officer shall, subject to the provisions of sub-rule (2) of rule 165, declare the candidate polling the next highest number of valid votes in that constituency as shown in the return prescribed under rule 168 to be duly elected to fill up the vacancy and the name of the candidate so elected shall be reported to the Secretary to the Government of Mizoram, Local Administration Department and published", the words, namely, "a report of that effect shall be sent by the Returning Officer to the Secretary to the Government of Mizoram, District Council Affairs Department for publication" shall be substituted. |

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