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GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
DEPARTMENT OF EXCISE

No. 1074—EX

Kolkata, the 1st November, 2012.

NOTIFICATION

Whereas, for undertaking effective preventive action, for better monitoring and supervision of growing number of excise establishments, for coping with the changing nature of excise crime, for strengthening of excise range level administration and for making the excise administration at the lowest level co-terminus with the jurisdictions of the police stations, it has become imperative to re-organise the excise administrative set up, by way of delimitation of the jurisdiction of excise ranges and circles and by creation of new divisional units and providing a preventive unit in the ranges, in the interest of excise administration;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 7 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Ben. Act. V of 1909) the Governor is pleased hereby to make the following rules:—

Rules

1. **Short Title and commencement:** (i) These rules may be called the West Bengal Excise (Reorganisation of the Excise Administration) Rules, 2012.
(ii) These rules shall come into force on and from 1st day of November, 2012.
2. **Definitions:** In these rules, unless there is anything repugnant to the subject or context—
 - (a) ‘the Act’ means the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Ben. Act. V of 1909);
 - (b) the words and expressions used shall have the same meaning as respectively assigned to them in the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Ben. Act. V of 1909) and rules made thereunder.

