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MINISTRY OF POSTS, TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE

NOTIFICATION

Dacca, the 30th December 1975.

No. S.R.O. 415-L/75/PM. 35/75-416.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Post Office Act, 1898 (VI of 1898), the Government is pleased to make the following further amendments in the Post Office Rules, 1961, namely—

In the aforesaid Rules, for rule 7 the following shall be substituted, namely:

“7. The following rates of postage shall be chargeable on postal articles when the postage is prepaid:—

Letters:

(A) For any part of the world served by the Foreign Post with the exception of India, Sikkim, Bhutan and Nepal:

	Taka
For a weight not exceeding 20 gm. (1 oz)	2.25
Above 20 gm (1 oz) upto 50 gm. (2 oz)	4.05
Above 50 gm (2 oz) .. 100 gm. (4 oz)	5.40
Above 100 gm (4 oz) .. 250 gm. (8 oz)	10.80
Above 250 gm (8 oz) .. 500 gm. (1 lb)	20.70
Above 500 gm (1 lb) .. 1000 gm. (2 lbs)	36.00
Above 1000 gm (2 lbs) .. 2000 gm. (4 lbs)	58.35

(B) For India, Sikkim, Bhutan and Nepal Bangladesh inland rates.

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Price: 30 Paisa.

Postcard:

- (A) For any part of the world served by the Foreign Post with the exception of India, Sikkim, Bhutan and Nepal:

Single Postcard

Taka 1-60

- (B) For India, Sikkim, Bhutan and Nepal:

Single Postcard

Reply Postcard

Bangladesh inland rates.

Registered Newspapers and Periodicals:

- (A) For any part of the world served by the Foreign Post with the exception of India, Sikkim, Bhutan and Nepal:

		Taka
For a weight not exceeding 20 gm.	(1 oz)	0-60
Above 20 gm (1 oz) upto 50 gm.	(2 oz)	0-90
Above 50 gm (2 oz) .. 100 gm.	(4 oz)	1-25
Above 100 gm (4 oz) .. 250 gm.	(8 oz)	2-25
Above 250 gm (8 oz) .. 500 gm.	(1 lb)	4-05
Above 500 gm (1 lb) .. 1000 gm.	(2 lbs)	6-75
Above 1000 gm (2 lbs) .. 2000 gm.	(4 lbs)	9-45
For every additional two pounds or fraction thereof	...	4-75

- (B) For India, Sikkim, Bhutan, and Nepal:

Bangladesh inland rates.

Note:—The reduced rates mentioned against item (A) above are applicable in the case of registered newspapers and periodicals published in Bangladesh if these are posted directly by the publishers or their agents and the conditions relating to transmission of registered newspapers and periodicals in the internal service of Bangladesh are fulfilled.

Other Printed Papers:

- (A) For any part of the world served by the Foreign Post with the exception of India, Sikkim, Bhutan and Nepal:

		Taka
For a weight not exceeding 20 gm.	(1 oz)	1-15
Above 20 gm (1 oz) upto 50 gm.	(2 oz)	1-80
Above 50 gm (2 oz) .. 100 gm.	(4 oz)	2-50

			Taka.
Above 100 gm (3½ oz) upto 250 gm.	(8 oz)	...	4.50
Above 250 gm (8 oz) .. 500 gm.	(1 lb)	...	8.10
Above 500 gm (1 lb) .. 1000 gm.	(2 lbs)	...	13.50
Above 1000 gm (2 lbs) .. 2000 gm.	(4 lbs)	...	18.85
For every additional two pounds or fraction thereof		...	9.45

(B) For India, Sikkim, Bhutan and Nepal ... Bangladesh inland rates.

Note:—The reduced rates mentioned against item (A) are subject to the condition that the other printed papers shall not contain publicity matters or advertisements other than what appears on the cover or fly leaves.

Small Packets:

For any part of the world served by the Foreign Post with the exception of India, Sikkim, Bhutan and

			Taka.
For a weight not exceeding 4 oz		...	Taka 2.50
Above 4 oz upto 8 oz	...	...	4.50
Above 8 oz upto 1 lb	...	...	8.10
Above 1 lb upto 2 lbs	...	...	13.50

(B) For India, Sikkim, Bhutan and Nepal ... Bangladesh Inland rates.

Aerogramme:

			Taka.
(a) (i) India, Nepal, Sikkim and Bhutan	...	...	0.30
(ii) All other countries of Asia	...	...	2.50
(b) Oceania	...	...	2.50
(c) Africa and Europe	...	...	2.75
(d) America	...	...	3.00

Parcels:

The Director-General shall, from time to time, declare in the Post Office Guide or Postal Notices the countries and places to which parcels may be transmitted by the Foreign Post, and the rates of postage chargeable in each case.

Redirection and other charges due on parcels which are returned as undeliverable from the countries and places of destination in accordance with the arrangements in force between Bangladesh and such countries and places shall be recovered from senders in Bangladesh."

2. This notification shall take effect on the 1st day of January 1976.

By order of the President

লোকমান হোসেন

Secretary.

MINISTRY OF INDUSTRIES

(Industries Division)

NOTIFICATION

Dacca, the 31st December 1975.

No. S.R.O. 416-L/75/Sec. XII/2R-3/74/390.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 29 of the Petroleum Act, 1934 (XXX of 1934), the Government is pleased to direct that the following further amendments shall be made in the Petroleum Rules, 1937, the same having been previously published as required by sub-section (2) of section 29, namely:—

In the aforesaid rules:—

- (a) in rule 77, in sub-rule (1), after the word "except" the words "under a licence granted under these rules" shall be inserted;
- (b) in rule 109, in sub-rule (1), for the figure, comma and word "10,000 gallons" the figure, comma and word "2,000 gallons" shall be substituted;
- (c) in rule 115, in sub-rule (1), after the word "importation", the comma and word "transportation" shall be inserted;
- (d) in rule 118, in sub-rule (3), for the words "rupees five" the words "Taka eight" shall be substituted;
- (e) in rule 120, in sub-rule (2), for the words "rupees three" the words "Taka five" shall be substituted;
- (f) in rule 121, in sub-rule (3), for the words "rupees three" the words "Taka five" shall be substituted;
- (g) in rule 125, in sub-rule (3), for the words "rupees three" the words "Taka five" shall be substituted;
- (h) in rule 126, in sub-rule (2), for the words "rupees three" the words "Taka five" shall be substituted;
- (i) in rule 127, for the words "rupees five" the words "Taka eight" shall be substituted;
- (j) in Schedule I,—
- (i) against Article No. 1 in column 1, in column 5, for the letters and figure "Re. 1" the word and figure "Taka 5" shall be substituted;
- (ii) against Article No. 2 in column 1, in column 5, for the letters and figure "Rs. 4" the word and figure "Taka 8" shall be substituted;
- (iii) Against Article No. 3, in column 4, for the words "The District Authority" the words "The Chief Inspector or an Inspector of Explosives authorised by the Chief Inspector in this behalf" shall be substituted;
- (iv) in column 5, under the heading "For Articles 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7:—
- (a) against item (a), for letters and figure "Rs. 12" the word and figure "Taka 18" shall be substituted;
- (b) against item (b), for the letters and figure "Rs. 20" the word and figure "Taka 28" shall be substituted;

- (c) against item (c), for letters, and figures "Rs. 20" and "Rs. 5" the words and figures "Taka 28" and "Taka 8" shall respectively be substituted ;
- (d) against item (d), for the letters and figures "Rs. 40" and "Rs. 8" the words and figures "Taka 60" and "Taka 12" shall respectively be substituted ;
- (e) against item (e), for the letters and figures "Rs. 400" , "Rs. 50" and "Rs. 750" the words and figures "Taka 600", "Taka 75" and "Taka 1,200" shall be substituted ;
- (f) against item (f), for the letters and figure "Rs. 12" the word and figure "Taka 18" shall be substituted ;
- (v) after Article No. 7 in column 1 and the entries relating thereto in columns 2, 3, 4 and 5, the following new Articles 8 and 9 shall be added, namely.—

Article No.	Form of Licence (See Schedule II).	Purpose for which granted.	Authority empowered to grant licence.	Fee.
1	2	3	4	5
8	N	To store heavy Petroleum in bulk or otherwise than in bulk in quantity exceeding 2,000 gallons but not exceeding 10,000 gallons.	The Chief Inspector or an Inspector of Explosives authorised by the Chief Inspector in this behalf.	The same fees as those laid down for storage of non-dangerous petroleum.
9	O	For the transport of petroleum in bulk by land.	The Chief Inspector or an Inspector of Explosives authorised by the Chief Inspector in this behalf.	Vehicle the carrying capacity of which does not exceed 2,000 gallons Taka 100 plus Taka 5 for every additional 100 gallons or part thereof".

(k) In Schedule II, after form M, the following new Forms N and O shall be added, namely:—

“FORM N

(Article No. 8 of Schedule I)

Licence to store heavy petroleum in bulk or otherwise than in bulk exceeding 2,000 gallons but not exceeding 10,000 gallons.

No.

Fee Taka.

Licence is hereby granted to valid only for the storage of gallons of heavy petroleum in storage shed or in tanks described below and shown on the plan attached thereto subject to the provisions of the Petroleum Act, 1934, and the rules made thereunder and the conditions of this licence.

This licence shall remain valid till the 31st day of December, 19.....

The day of 19.....

Licensing Authority
Chief Inspector of Explosive.

PLAN No. dated.

Description of the tank/storage shed referred to above:

Date of renewal	Date of expiry	Licensing Authority.

This licence is liable to be cancelled in the licensed premises when inspected are not found conforming to the description and conditions attached hereto and contravention of any of the rules and conditions under which this licence is granted is punishable with fine which may extend to Taka five hundred for a first offence and which may extend to Taka two thousand for any subsequent offence.

Conditions of Licence.

1 (a) Heavy Petroleum in bulk shall be stored in tank constructed of iron or steel properly erected and designed and the tank, with all pipes and fittings shall be so constructed and maintained as to prevent any leakage of petroleum.

(b) All tanks of a capacity exceeding 2,000 gallons shall be surrounded by a bank or wall, or sunk in a pit, so constructed and maintained as to be able to contain without leakage the whole of the petroleum liable to be present at any one time in the tank.

(c) A distance of not less than ten feet shall be kept clear between protected works and the enclosure walls or banks.

2. Heavy petroleum which is not in bulk shall be stored in a storage shed which—

(a) the doorways and other openings shall be built up to a height of one foot above the level of the floor; or

(b) the floor shall be sunk to a depth of one foot.

3. If the Licensing Authority calls upon the licensee by a notice in writing to execute any repair to the licensed premises which may, in the opinion of such authority, be necessary for the safety of the premises the licensee shall execute the repairs within such period, not less than one month from the date of receipt of the notice, as may be fixed by the notice.

4. No alteration shall be carried out in the licensed premises without the previous sanction in writing of the Licensing Authority. All alteration shall be shown on an amended plan to be attached to this licence.

5. When quantity to be stored exceeds 2,000 gallons but not exceeding 10,000 gallons a distance of 10 feet shall be kept clear between protected works and storage shed, tank or enclosure walls used for the storage of heavy petroleum.

6. Adequate precautions shall be taken at all times for the prevention of accident by fire or explosion.

7. Every care shall be taken to prevent any petroleum escaping into any drain, sewer, harbour, river or water course.

8. Any accident, fire or explosion occurring within the licensed premises which is attended with loss of human life or serious injury to persons or property shall be reported to the nearest Magistrate or to the Officer-in-charge of the nearest Police-station immediately and a copy of the report should also be sent to the Licensing Authority.

9. Free access to the licensed premises shall be given at all reasonable times to the officers authorised by the Government under Section 13 or 14 of the Petroleum Act, 1934, and every facility shall be afforded to such officer for ascertaining that the rules and the conditions of this licence are duly observed.

10. (a) The licensee shall keep records and accounts of all heavy petroleum in stock and of sales or issues thereof. The accounts shall clearly indicate datewise the opening balance, receipts, sales and closing balance, etc.

(b) The licensee shall exhibit the stock book and records to any officer authorised under section 13 of the Petroleum Act, 1934, whenever an officer call upon him to do so.

FORM O

(Article No. 9 of Schedule I).

License for the transport of petroleum in bulk by land.

No. Fee Taka

Name of vehicle.....

Registration No.....

Engine No.....

Chasis No.....

Capacity in gallons.....

Name of owner (s).....

This licence is hereby granted to.....in respect of the above vehicle for the carriage of petroleum in bulk by land under rule 77 of Petroleum Rules, 1937, subject to the provisions of the Petroleum Act, 1934 and the rules made thereunder.

The licence shall remain in force till the 31st day of December 197

The.....day of.....19.....

Plan No....., dated.....

Licensing Authority,
Chief Inspector of Explosives.

The licence shall be renewable if the vehicle when inspected, is found fit provided the provisions of the Petroleum Act, 1934, and the rules made thereunder are not contravened.

Complete renewal papers (in plain paper) should reach the Licensing Authority on or before 2nd December, 19.....

Date of renewal.	Date of expiry.	Signature of Licensing Authority.

This licence shall be liable to be cancelled if the licensed vehicle, when inspected, is found not conforming to the description given in the plan attached hereto or for the contravention or any provisions of the rules made under Petroleum Act, 1934. For contravention of any provision of the rules and the conditions of this licence, the licensee shall be liable to be punished with fine which may extend to Taka five hundred for a first offence and which may extend to Taka two thousand for any subsequent offence."

By order of the President,
 MD. NURUZZAMAN
 Joint Secretary.

বাংলাদেশ নির্বাচন কমিশন

সংশোধনী

ঢাকা, ৩০শে ডিসেম্বর ১৯৭৫।

নং ৪-৯/৭৪/নি-১—বাংলাদেশ গেজেটের ৪ঠা ডিসেম্বর, ১৯৭৫ তারিখের অতিরিক্ত সংখ্যায় ৩১০৬ পৃষ্ঠায় প্রকাশিত বাংলাদেশ নির্বাচন কমিশনের বিজ্ঞপ্তি নং ৪-৯/৭৪/নি-১(ক), তারিখ ৪ঠা ডিসেম্বর ১৯৭৫-এ নিম্নলিখিত সংশোধনী সংযোজিত হইবে:—

“(ঘ) ভোট গ্রহণের দিন ... ২৫শে জানুয়ারী, ১৯৭৫”
 এর স্থলে

“(ঘ) ভোট গ্রহণের দিন ... ২৫শে জানুয়ারী, ১৯৭৬” পড়ুন।

বাংলাদেশ নির্বাচন কমিশনের নির্দেশক্রমে

আহমদ হোসেন

উপ-সচিব।