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## NOTIFICATION

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No. 2/7/94-MAHUD.— Whereas the draft Manipur Municipalities (Election of Councillors) Rules, 1994 was published as required under sub-section (1) of section 208 of the Manipur Municipalities Act, 1994 in the Manipur Gazette, Extraordinary No. 55 (A) dated 6-5-95 under the Govt. Notification No. 2/7/94-MAHUD dt. 6-5-95 inviting objections and suggestion from the persons likely to be effected thereby within 7(seven) days from the date of publication of the said Notification in the official Gazette;

And whereas objections and suggestions have been received by the Govt. on the said draft from the general public who have suggested for deletion of rule 108 as this rule is meant for the reservation of seats for SC/ST Women and cannot be unreserved and also for addition of the sentence "excluding seats reserved for SC/ST Women" in the proposed rule and in the Explanation 2 to remove doubts about the application of this rules to SC/ST Women.

And whereas the objections and suggestions received from the general public has been considered in consultation with Law Deptt. and the objections and suggestions are considered necessary.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 208 of the Manipur Municipalities Act 1994, the Government of Manipur hereby makes the following Rules namely:—

### THE MANIPUR MUNICIPALITIES (ELECTION OF COUNCILLORS) (SECOND AMENDMENT) RULES, 1995.

1. Short title and commencement :— (1) These rules may be called the Manipur Municipalities (Election of Councillors) (Second Amendment) Rules, 1995.

(2) These rules shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. Insertion of new rule 109-A :— After rule 109 of the Manipur Municipalities (Election of Councillors) Rules, 1994, the following new rule shall be inserted, namely :—

"109-A. Seat to be unreserved for Municipalities— Notwithstanding anything contained in 109, one seat out of the total seats available in an Assembly Constituency located within a Municipality shall be unreserved excluding seat reserved for ST/SC women.

Provided that if by draw of lots, it is found that no such unreserved Ward is available as a means of the lot, that particular lot shall be disregarded and a fresh lot drawn.

EXPLANATION 1 :—For the purposes of these Rules, the words 'Assembly Constituency' shall have the same meaning as defined in the Representation of the Peoples Act, 1950.

EXPLANATION 2 :— 'Unreserved' means not reserved for a woman under these rules excluding seats reserved for ST/SC women.

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