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NOTIFICATION

No. F.16013/2/2023-PHE, the 10th July, 2024: In exercise of the powers conferred by section 34 of the Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023 (Act No.11 of 2023), the Government of Mizoram is pleased to make the following rules, namely:-

1. Short title, extent and commencement.-

- (1) These rules may be called "The Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Rules, 2024".
- (2) It shall have the like extent as the Act.
- (3) It shall come into force on the date of publication in the Official Gazette.

2. Definitions.-

- (1) In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires:
 - a) "Act" means The Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023.
 - b) "Appellate Authority" means an authority of senior officer, not below the rank of Commissioner appointed by the Government of Mizoram.
 - c) "Chairman" means the Chairman of the Mizoram Ground Water Authority.
 - d) "critical area" means area categorized as critical from the ground water resources point of view, based on the latest ground water resources assessment carried out by the Mizoram Ground Water Authority.
 - e) "Form" means the form appended to these rules;
 - f) "Fund" means the Mizoram Ground Water Authority Fund constituted under rule 13 of these rules;
 - g) "Member Secretary" means the Member Secretary of the Mizoram Ground Water Authority;
 - h) "over-exploited area" means area categorized as over-exploited from the ground water resources point of view, based on the latest ground water resources assessment carried out by the Mizoram Ground Water Authority.
 - i) "permit" means the permit for extraction and use of ground water granted under section 11 and 13 of the Act.
 - j) "safe area" means area categorized as safe from the ground water resources point of view, based on the latest ground water resources assessment carried by the Mizoram Ground Water Authority.
 - k) "Schedule" means the Schedule appended to these rules.
 - l) "semi-critical area" means area categorized as semi-critical from the ground water resources point of view, based on the latest ground water resources assessment carried out by the Mizoram Ground

Water Authority.

- (2) All other words and expressions used herein and not defined shall have the meanings respectively assigned to them in the Act.

3. Meetings of the State Level Working Group and the District Committee.-

- (1) The State Level Working Group shall meet at least once in three months to dispose of its business at such place and time as the Chairman may decide.
- (2) The District Committee from time to time shall hold meetings for discussions, deliberations, investigations and consultations as it may be considered appropriate in the discharge of its functions under the Act and these rules.
- (3) One-third of the members shall form a quorum in all meeting of Mizoram Ground Water Authority.

4. Travelling and other allowances for Chairman and Members of the Mizoram Ground Water Authority.-

For attending meetings or any activity of the Mizoram Ground Water Authority, the members including Chairman shall be paid travelling and other allowances in accordance with the provisions of the Travelling Allowances Rules as applicable to them in the case of Mizoram Government Servants and shall draw such allowances from their parent Department or Organization.

5. Officers and staff of the Mizoram Ground Water Authority.-

- (1) All officers and other employees of the existing Ground Water & Quality Control Division and Ground Water Resources Assessment Cell, PHE Department shall, for the purpose of this Act, act as the functional organs of the Mizoram Ground Water Authority in the discharge of its functions and exercise its power under the Act and rules.
- (2) The head of office of the Ground Water Resources Assessment Cell, PHED shall act as the Nodal Technical Officer. The nodal technical officer shall implement ground truth verification to make it justify before granting permit for extraction and use of ground water, and granting certificate for registration of machinery and user of ground water.

Provided that the Government may strengthen the existing employees and shall appoint experts and supporting staff, as it may deem necessary for the purpose of the proper functioning of the Mizoram Ground Water Authority or for the proper exercise of the powers under the Act and these rules.

6. Application for grant of permit and registration.-

(1) Grant of permit to extract and use ground water:

- (i) Application for extraction of ground water and application for registration of existing users of ground water source and machinery shall be submitted in Form-1B, Form-2B, Form-5B, Form-6B & Form-9B to the District Committee. The applications that are complete in all respects shall be recommended by District Committee to the Authority for granting permit and issuance of certificate of registration.
- (ii) Any user of ground water desirous of sinking new well in a notified as well as non-notified areas shall apply to the Authority for grant of permit to extract and use of ground water, in Form-1A for domestic/ agriculture purposes and Form-2A for commercial / industrial purpose, in triplicate and application shall be accompanied by documentary proof of having paid non-refundable fees as specified in rule 13 of these rules, and other documents as specified in the note below the said forms.
- (iii) The applicant shall maintain at his residence or office, as the case may be, and at such other place

as may be designated by the Authority, the copies of the documents referred to in clause (i) above for public inspection and furnish to the persons applying for them the copies of such documents at a price not exceeding rupee 1/- per page.

(2) Registration of existing ground water user:

- (i) Application for registration and issuance of certificate of registration under sub-section (1) of section 12 and sub-section (2) of section 13 of the Act to an existing user of the ground water source, shall be made to the Authority in Form-5A/5B for domestic/agriculture purpose and Form-6A/6B for commercial/industrial purpose, in triplicate, and it shall be accompanied by documentary proof of having paid non-refundable fees as specified in rule 12 of these rules and other documents as specified in the note below the said Forms.
- (ii) The applicant shall maintain at his residence or office, as the case maybe, and at other place as may be designated by the Authority, the copies of the documents referred to in the clause (i) above for public inspection and furnish to the persons applying for them the copies of such documents at a price not exceeding rupee 1/- per page.
- (iii) Application for new wells shall be granted only in such cases where public water supply system does not exist and water supply is inadequate.
- (iv) The water supply level for taking into account water requirement shall be as per latest National Building Code or water supply norms adopted by the State Government from time to time.

(3) The processing of applications:

- (i) The applications received by the Authority during the normal working hours on a particular day shall be treated to have been received on that day.
- (ii) An incomplete/vague application or an application not found to be in conformity with the provisions of the Act and these rules shall be instantly rejected.
- (iii) The processed applications received and reports of action taken shall be placed by the Member Secretary of the Authority before the Authority for further disposal.
- (iv) The Member Secretary may upon scrutiny of the application, require the applicant to submit such additional information or particulars or documents as he may consider necessary for the purpose of further processing of the application.
- (v) The following time schedule may be adhered to by the Authority for processing the applications received under these rules: -

Sl. No.	Description/nature of application	Maximum processing time
a	Grant of permit for the extraction and use of ground water under section 11 & 13 of the Act;	Sixty days from the date of receipt of application
b	Grant of certificate of registration under section 12 of the Act for existing user;	Sixty days from date of receipt of application
c	Registration of machinery of the rig owner/drilling agency under section 14 of the Act;	Thirty days from the date of receipt of application
d	Alteration, amendment or variation of the terms and conditions of the permit or terms and conditions of the permit or certificate of registration under section 15 of the Act.	Thirty days from the date of receipt of application

7. Publication of notice of application.-

(1) For grant of permit:

- (i) If the Authority finds the application for grant of permit in the notified area and non-notified area is complete in all respects and is accompanied by the requisite information and documents, it shall

publish notice of the application in Form-3 appended for inviting objections from the interested persons: -

- (a) In case of commercial/industrial use in two leading daily newspapers and also display a copy thereof on the notice board of the Village Council or Local Council (Gram Panchayat or Urban Local Authority) having jurisdiction, as the case may be; and
 - (b) In case of irrigation, display a copy of the notice on the notice board of the local authority having jurisdiction.
- (ii) If no objections are received by the due date given in the notice, the Authority shall proceed further for the grant or refusal of the permit in accordance with the provisions of the Act and under these rules.
- (2) For registration of existing ground water user :**
- (i) If the Authority finds the application for registration in the notified area complete in all respects and accompanied by the requisite information and documents, it shall publish notice of the application in Form-7 for inviting objections from the interested persons: -
 - (a) In case of commercial/industrial use, in two leading daily newspapers and also display a copy thereof on the notice board of the Village Council or Local Council (Gram Panchayat or urban local authority) having jurisdiction, as the case may be; and
 - (b) In case of irrigation, display a copy there of on the notice board of the local authority having jurisdiction.
 - (ii) If no objections are received from any quarter by due date given in the notice, the Authority shall proceed further for the issuance of certificate of registration in accordance with the provisions of the Act and these rules.

8. Hearing of objection.-

(1) For granting the permit:

- (i) The applicant shall furnish to the Authority no objection certificate, if any, required from any statutory body or the Central or the State Government.
- (ii) The Authority shall give a notice of inquiry or hearing of application to the applicant and/or to the local authority concerned, or the persons who had filed objections or such other body or persons, as the case may be, as the Authority may consider appropriate.

(2) For granting the certificate of registration:

- (i) If the Authority has duly published the notice of the application in the newspaper or otherwise and the time for filing of the objections is over and after the applicant has furnished to the Authority no objection certificate, if any, required from any statutory body or the Central or the State Government it shall proceed further with the hearing of the application.
- (ii) The Authority shall give the notice of inquiry or hearing to the applicant and / or to the local body concerned, the person who had filed objections and such other body or persons as the Authority may consider appropriate.

9. Issuance of permit and certificate.-

(1) Issuance of permit:

- (i) After inquiry and hearing of the application and keeping in view the provisions of sub-section (5) of section 11 and sub-section (1) of section 13 of the Act, the Authority shall decide the application and the Authority or the Officer authorized by it shall, within thirty days from the date of the decision, intimate its decision to the applicant.
- (ii) If the Authority decides to grant the permit, it may do so on such terms and conditions as may be

specified by it keeping in view the provisions of sections 11 and 13 of the Act.

- (iii) After fulfilling the condition by the applicant subject to which the permit is offered under clause (ii) above, the Authority shall issue the permit in Form 4 appended to these rules to extract the water or augment the existing water source.
- (iv) The Authority shall immediately after issuance of the permit, forward a copy of the permit to the local body concerned and to such other person as the Authority may consider necessary.
- (v) The permit shall commence from the date of the issuance of the permit.
- (vi) It shall be the duty of the permit holder to develop and maintain an efficient, coordinated and economical system of extraction of ground water and to use the water for the purpose for which the permit has been given. He shall ensure that all other provisions contained in the Act, and these rules and the conditions imposed, if any, in the permit issued are not violated.

(2) Issuance of certificate of registration:

- (i) After inquiring and hearing and having taken stock of the provisions contained in sub-section (4) of section 11 of the Act, the Authority shall decide, within sixty days from the date of the receipt of the application for granting or refusing the issuance of certificate of registration and the Authority or the Officer authorized by it shall, within thirty days from the date of the decision, intimate its decision to the applicant.
- (ii) If the Authority decides to grant the certificate of registration, it may do so on such terms and conditions as may be specified by it and the Authority shall issue certificate of registration in Form-8.
- (iii) The Authority shall immediately after issuance of certificate of registration, forward a copy of the certificate to the local authority concerned and to such other person as the Authority may consider necessary.
- (iv) The Authority to issue permit and certificate vested based on category of the ground water assessment units and quantum of ground water extraction as mentioned below:

Quantum of Ground Water Abstraction		Authorized Officer
Safe and Semi- Critical Assessment units	Critical and Over- exploited including	
Up to 50 m ³ /day	Up to 20 m ³ /day	Deputy Commissioner
>50-500 m ³ /day	>20-200 m ³ /day	State Nodal Agency
>500 m ³ /day	>200 m ³ /day	State Ground Water Authority
All cases pertaining to mining and infrastructure dewatering		State Ground Water Authority

(3) Duration of permit and certificate and issue of duplicate in case of loss:

- (i) Every permit and certificate granted under these rules shall be valid for a period of 5 (five) years from the date of its issue or till such time public water supply is provided to the household, whichever is earlier. The applicant will have to apply for renewal of permit and certificate at least 90 days prior to expiry of its validity.
- (ii) After the expiry of the duration of the permit and certificate, an application for grant of a fresh permit and certificate may be submitted for renewal of the existing permit and certificate in Annexure-II, provided that fresh fees shall be necessary in the case of an application for the renewal of the existing permit and certificate.
- (iii) If the existing well becomes defunct within the validity period of permit and certificate the user can construct a replacement well under intimation to the designated authority. The defunct well shall be properly sealed.

- (iv) The permit and certificate shall become void in case of change in land use of the property/ water use. It will then become mandatory for the owner to apply afresh for permit and certificate.
- (v) If the permit and certificate has been lost, the owner shall make a report of the same to Police Authorities and the Competent Authority may, whenever satisfied and after holding such enquires as he may think fit, issue a duplicate copy of the permit and certificate after charging such fees as specified in fee structure in the Schedule appended in these rules.

10. Application for registration of drilling machinery.-

- (1) Every rig-owner or the drilling agency operating in the State shall apply to the Authority for registration of his machinery, in Form-9A/9B appended to these rules and accompanied by documentary proof of having paid non-refundable fees as specified in rule 13 of these rules.
- (2) Every application, under sub-rule (1) above, for registration under section 13 of the Act along with the supporting documents shall be signed by the applicant (in case of individual) or by an authorized signatory (in case of body corporate) and addressed to Member Secretary of the Authority and shall be accompanied by three copies or such number of copies of proforma as the Authority may direct.
- (3) On receipt of the application, the Member Secretary shall note the date of its receipt and shall send to the applicant an acknowledgement of its receipt.
- (4) If the Authority finds the application complete along with requisite information, particulars and documents and after having satisfying itself that the applicant has complied with all the requirements for making the application, the Authority or the Member Secretary shall register the machinery/ equipment and issue the certificate of registration in Form-10.

11. Constitution of the Fund and Financial matters.-

- (1) **Application of the Fund:** The Fund shall be applied for meeting:-
 - (i) The expenses of the Authority in discharge of its functions and duties under the Act and these rules;
 - (ii) The expenses on activities and purposes specified under the Act and these rules.
- (2) **Maintenance of accounts :**
 - (i) The Authority shall maintain proper accounts and other records as may be specified by the State Government.
 - (ii) The Authority shall in the month of June each year prepare a statement of income and expenditure of preceding financial year ending 31st March and furnish a copy thereof to the State Government.
- (3) **Opening bank account and its operation :**
 - (i) The Authority shall open an account in one or more Scheduled banks or in the State Co-operative Bank and all money received shall be deposited in the account of the Authority and the account shall be operated through cheque by the Member Secretary.
 - (ii) The Authority shall make available the specimen signature of the Member Secretary to the bank for its information and records.

12. Levy and collection of royalty.-

- (1) Unless otherwise directed by the State Government, every person whosoever extracts the ground water within the notified and non-notified areas for commercial, industrial or irrigation purposes shall pay annually the royalty at the rate of rupee1/- per ten thousand liters to the Authority:
Provided that user of ground water who irrigates less than 10cum per day, whether owned or leased or both shall be exempted from the payment of royalty under sub-section (k) of section 7 of the Act.

- (2) One-fourth of the amount of royalty so collected shall be remitted to the State Government by the Authority and the remainder three-fourth shall be retained by the authority for its fund and may also be utilized for sharing to those Village Council or Local council (Panchayati Raj Institutions/local bodies), from whose jurisdiction the royalty has been collected, for the development of ground water resources.

13. Fees and Fines.-

(1) Fees on applications:

- (i) Every application for grant of permit under section 11 and 13 of the Act or for grant of registration certificate under section 12 of the Act or for registration of the rig operator and drilling agency and the machinery or equipment deployed by them under section 14 of the Act or for making alteration, amendment and variation in the permit or certificate of registration under section 15 of the Act in accordance with the terms and conditions of such permit or certificate, as the case may be, shall be made on payment of appropriate fee as specified in the Schedule.
- (ii) The fees and fines payable under these rules shall be paid by means of a demand draft or pay order, drawn in favour of the Authority payable at Aizawl.
- (iii) The fees and fines received by the Authority under these rules shall be deposited in a scheduled bank under rule 11 of sub-rule (3) of these rules.

(2) Compounding of Offence:

Where any offence under the Act has been committed, such an offence may at any time before or after the institution of proceedings be compounded by the Authority or any other officer authorized by the State Government, after accepting by way of compensation thereof a sum of money which shall not exceed one half of the maximum limit of the fine which could be imposed there for:

Provided that while determining the compensation or extent of the fines and / or composition fee, the Authority shall consider, amongst other relevant things, the following:-

- (a) The nature and extent of non-compliance or contravention;
- (b) The amount of wrongful gain or unfair advantage derived as a result of the non-compliance or contravention;
- (c) The amount of loss or degree of harassment caused to any person(s) as a result of non-compliance or contravention; and
- (d) The repetitive nature of the non-compliance or contravention.

(3) Fines and compounding fees:

The fines charged and compounding fees levied by the Authority shall be payable and the amount shall be deposited in the same manner as specified in sub-rule (1) above in these rules.

(4) Recovery of fines and costs:

The costs, penalty, charges recoverable under proviso to clause (d) of sub-section 1 of section 22 of the Act or proviso to sub-section 2 of section 29 of the Act, and compounding fee under section 33 of the Act, if not paid, shall be recoverable as arrears of land revenue.

14. Monitoring of compliance of permit and certificates conditions.-

To monitor the compliance of issuance of permit and certificates conditions, Mizoram Ground Water Authority shall take the following steps:

- (1) Suitable Management Information System will be developed for compliance monitoring.
- (2) Deputy Commissioners (DCs) /District Magistrates (DMs) are authorized to take enforcement measures like sealing of unauthorized ground water abstraction structures, disconnection of electricity, launching of prosecution against those violating the issuance of permit and certificates conditions and taking action for imposition of Environmental Compensation.

- (3) Technical officers of Mizoram Ground Water Authority are authorized to take actions with respect to monitoring and periodic inspections with the approval of the authority.
- (4) In case of violation of any of the issuance of permit and certificates conditions, the proponents shall be liable to pay the penalties as per rule 13 of these rules.

15. Appeals to State Government.-

- (1) Any person aggrieved by an order made by the Authority, may prefer an appeal to the Appellate Authority under section 32 of the Act.
- (2) The appeal shall be filed on payments of rupees two hundred in the manner as specified in sub-rule (1) of rule 13 of these rules.
- (3) The appeal to the State Government filed under section 32 of the Act shall be duly verified and supported by an affidavit in Form-11 and shall be accompanied by:
 - (a) A copy of the order appealed against; and
 - (b) A photocopy of receipt of payment of fee.

F. Liantluanga,
Secretary to the Govt. of Mizoram
Public Health Engineering Department

Annexure-I

**SCHEDULE
FEE STRUCTURE
(See rule 13)**

Sl. No.	Nature of application.	Statutory Provisions	Non- Refundable Fees (in Rs.)
1	Application for grant of permit	Section 11 of the Act	(a) in case of tube well Rs.500/- (b) in case of energized pump Rs. 1000/- (c) in case of commercial/industrial users Rs. 10000/-
2	Application for issuance of registration certificate to the existing ground water user.	Section 12 of the Act	(a) in case of tube well Rs.500/- (b) in case of energized pump Rs. 1000/- (c) in case of commercial/industrial users Rs. 10000/-
3	Application for registration of the machinery and equipment of the rig owners and drilling agencies	Section 14 of the Act	Rs. 10000/-
4	Application for alteration, amendment or variation of the terms of permit or certificate of registration.	Section 15 of the Act	Rs. 500/-
5	Any other application not covered under item (1), (2), (3) & (4).	-	Rs. 200/-

FORM-1A

APPLICATION FORM FOR GRANT OF PERMIT FOR SINKING NEW WELL AND USE OF
GROUND WATER IN NOTIFIED AND NON-NOTIFIED AREAS (DOMESTIC/AGRICULTURE)

[See rule 6(1) (ii)]

To

The Member Secretary,
Mizoram Ground Water Authority
Mizoram : Aizawl.

Sir,

I/we _____ request you to grant me/us permit for sinking of
Well/augmentation of existing well and the use of ground water.

The requisite information is furnished below:-

Details of applicant

Name of the applicant : _____
 Name of father : _____
 Address for correspondence : _____
 Phone No. : _____
 E-mail address (If any) : _____
 Nationality (with proof __ : _____
 Viz., Aadhar, EPIC, etc) : _____

Details of ground water source

i. Location : _____
 ii. Village/Town : _____
 iii. Block : _____
 iv. District : _____
 v. Whether the source is located in an area declared as notified under section 5, if so, give details
 : _____
 vi. Ownership : _____
 vii. Type of well proposed : (dug well/shallow / deep tube well/dug-cum-bore well)
 viii. Purpose for which water is proposed to be used : _____
 ix. LSC/Pass No. of land where Well is to be sunk : _____
 x. Existing water supply received : _____
 xi. Requirement of ground water extraction : _____

I/we _____ hereby declare that the information
provided above is true to the best my/our knowledge. I/we have read the provisions of Mizoram Ground
Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023 and Rules 2024 framed there under and do undertake to comply
with them.

I/we have deposited the application fee of Rs. _____ through bank draft/cheque No. _____
Dated _____ issued by _____ in the name of _____ bank, payable at _____ or in cash vide
receipt No. _____ dated _____ or any reliable mode of payment as specified by the Authority.

I /we shall own responsibility to execute/augment/maintain/use the ground water source strictly in accordance with the terms & conditions of the permit granted by the Authority under section 7 of the Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023.

I/we shall provide access to the Authority and its officers and staff to my/our water source and its allied works.

I/we shall comply with every lawful directions/instructions issued by the Authority and its officers from time to time.

Date: Signature of the applicant/authorized signatory

Note: The following documents shall be attached with the application form:-

- 1) Copy of complete application form in duplicate along with application fee of Rs.500/-for Tube well and Rs.1000/-in case of energized pump, in cash or in the form of Demand Draft drawn in favour of Member Secretary, Mizoram Ground Water Authority payable at Aizawl or any reliable mode of payment as specified by the Authority.
- 2) Attested copy of LSC or any other valid pass of the land as specified by the Authority in which the source is located.
- 3) NOC from local Authority.
- 4) Site plan indicating the exact location and the adjoining identifiable specific features and existing/ proposed structures like pipelines and reservoirs etc.
- 5) List of equipment proposed to be installed with expected power load.
- 6) Affidavit on non-judicial stamp paper of Rs. 10/- by the applicant, confirming inadequate/availability of public water supply in case of users requiring ground water up to 10 m3/ day for drinking/ domestic use.
- 7) Certificate of non-availability of water from local government water supply agency in cases requiring ground water in excess of 10 m3 / day for drinking /domestic use. Government water supply agencies applying for permit shall submit copy of government approval of the scheme/ project proposed to be implemented.
- 8) Ground water quality data of existing bore well/ tube well/ dug well at the surrounding area from any National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL) accredited laboratory or Govt. approved laboratory.
- 9) Proposal for rain water harvesting/ recharge within the premises or any other favourable site.

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1. Application received and checked by : _____
2. Category of the Area : _____
3. Hydrogeological Assessment & Mapping : _____
4. Comments and signature of Nodal Technical Officer : _____

Approved By

Member Secretary,
Mizoram Ground Water Authority, Aizawl.

FORM-1B

APPLICATION FORM FOR GRANT OF PERMIT FOR SINKING WELL AND USE OF GROUND WATER FOR EXISTING USERS (DOMESTIC/AGRICULTURE)

[See rule 6(1) (i)]

To

The Member Secretary,
_____ District
District Committee
Mizoram.

Sir,

I/we _____ request you to grant me/us permit for sinking of Well/augmentation of existing well and the use of ground water.

The requisite information is furnished below:-

Details of applicant

Name of the applicant : _____
Name of father : _____
Address for correspondence : _____
Phone No. : _____
E-mail address (If any) : _____
Nationality (with proof : _____
Viz., Aadhar, EPIC, etc) : _____

Details of ground water source

1. Location : _____
2. Village/Town : _____
3. Block : _____
4. District : _____
5. Whether the source is located in an area declared as notified under section 5, if so, give details:
6. Ownership :
7. Type of well proposed : (dug well/shallow / deep tube well/dug-cum-bore well)
8. Purpose for which water is proposed to be used :
9. LSC/Pass No. of land where Well is to be sunk :
10. Existing water supply received :
11. Requirement of ground water extraction :

I/we _____ hereby declare that the information provided above is true to the best my/our knowledge. I/we have read the provisions of Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023 and Rules 2024 framed thereunder and do undertake to comply with them.

I/we have deposited the application fee of Rs. _____ through bank draft/cheque No. _____ Dated _____ issued by _____ in the name of _____ bank, payable at _____ or in cash vide receipt No. _____ dated _____ or any reliable mode of payment as specified by the Authority.

I /we shall own responsibility to execute/augment/maintain/use the ground water source strictly in accordance with the terms & conditions of the permit granted by the Authority under section 7 of the Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023.

I/we shall provide access to the Authority and its officers and staff to my/our water source and its allied works.

I/we shall comply with every lawful directions/instructions issued by the Authority and its officers from time to time.

Date: Signature of the applicant/authorized signatory

Note: The following documents shall be attached with the application form:-

- 1) Copy of complete application form in duplicate along with application fee of Rs.500/-for Tube well and Rs.1000/-in case of energized pump, in cash or in the form of Demand Draft drawn in favour of Member Secretary, Mizoram Ground Water Authority payable at Aizawl or any reliable mode of payment as specified by the Authority.
- 2) Attested copy of LSC or any other valid pass of the land as specified by the Authority in which the source is located.
- 3) NOC from local Authority.
- 4) Site plan indicating the exact location and the adjoining identifiable specific features and existing/ proposed structures like pipelines and reservoirs etc.
- 5) List of equipment proposed to be installed with expected power load.
- 6) Affidavit on non-judicial stamp paper of Rs. 10/- by the applicant, confirming inadequate/availability of public water supply in case of users requiring ground water up to 10 m3/ day for drinking/ domestic use.
- 7) Certificate of non-availability of water from local government water supply agency in cases requiring ground water in excess of 10m3/day for drinking /domestic use. Government water supply agencies applying for permit shall submit copy of government approval of the scheme/ project proposed to be implemented.
- 8) Ground water quality data of existing bore well/ tube well/ dug well at the surrounding area from any National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL) accredited laboratory or Govt. approved laboratory.
- 9) Proposal for rain water harvesting/ recharge within the premises or any other favourable site.

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1. Application received and checked by : _____
2. Category of the Area : _____
3. Hydrogeological Assessment & Mapping : _____
4. Comments and signature of Nodal Technical Officer : _____

Approved By

Member Secretary,
Mizoram Ground Water Authority, Aizawl.

FORM-2A

**FORM OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF PERMIT FOR SINKING OF NEW WELL IN NOTIFIED AND NON-NOTIFIED AREAS AND USE OF GROUND WATER (COMMERCIAL / INDUSTRIAL USERS)
(See rule 6 (1) (ii))**

To

The Member Secretary,
Mizoram Ground Water Authority
Mizoram:Aizawl.

Sir,

I/we_____request you to grant me/us permit for sinking of Well/augmentation of existing well and the use of ground water.

The requisite information is furnished below:-

Details of applicant-

- Name of the applicant :
Name of father :
Address for correspondence :
Where applicant is a corporate body, give details-
(a) Company/firm/co-operative society/other:
(b) When and where company incorporated/registered:
(Place of incorporation/registration)
(c) Year of incorporation :
(d) Registration No. :
(e) Place of registration of the firm, co-operative society:
(f) Names and address of the Director/partners/Governing body members/ trustees:
Phone No. :
E-mail address :

Details of ground water source-

1. Location :
2. Village/Town :
3. Block :
4. District :
5. Whether the source is located in an area declared as notified under section 5, if so, give details :
:
6. Ownership :
7. Type of well proposed : (dug well/shallow / deep tube well/dug-cum-bore well)
8. Purpose for which water is proposed to be used:
9. LSC/Pass No. of land where Well is to be sunk:

Details of Ownership -

Whether the source is under the private ownership, if so, details of the ownership:

Purpose of sinking well or augmentation of groundwater source-

1. Purpose for which water is proposed to be extracted or used:
2. Details of prospective users:
3. Quantum of water proposed to be extracted : _____ m3/day
4. In case of mismatch between quantum of availability of water and its use, the details of availability of balance water to the beneficiaries:
5. Whether certificate of registration has been obtained from the Director of Industries/ Appropriate authority should be furnished :

Details of the Works to be executed / maintained-

1. Details of works :
2. Approximate cost/expenditure to be incurred :
3. Whether the works are to be executed / maintained individually or collectively on cooperative or/on community basis :
4. Where works are to be executed / maintained collectively, supply the details of the participants and their shares :
5. Where the source or the land over which source is located is not under the ownership of the applicant, the mode of acquisition of such source / land:
6. Whether the consent of other existing competitive users of the source has been obtained, if so, give details :
7. Date of commencement of the work :
8. Date by which the work is to be completed :
9. Waste water management arrangements :
10. Any other information which may be considered relevant or the applicant wishes to be included in the permit to be granted :

I/we _____ hereby declare that the information provided in the form above is true to my knowledge.

I/we have read the Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023 and rules framed there under and do undertake to comply with them.

I/we have deposited the application fee of Rs. _____ through bank draft/cheque No.____
Dated _____ issued by _____ in the name of _____ bank, payable at _____ or in cash vide receipt No. _____ Dated _____ or any reliable mode of payment as specified by the Authority.

I/we shall own responsibility to execute/augment/maintain/use the groundwater source strictly in accordance with the terms and conditions of the permit to be granted by the Authority under section 13 of the Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023.

I /we shall provide access to the Authority and its officers and staff to my/our water source and its associate works.

I/we shall comply with every lawful direction/instruction issued by the Authority and its officers from time to time.

Date:

Signature of the applicant/authorized signatory

Note: The following documents shall be attached with the application form:-

- 1) Copy of complete application form in duplicate along with application fee of Rs.10000/- in cash or in the form of Demand Draft drawn in favour of Member Secretary, Mizoram Ground Water Authority payable at Aizawl or any reliable mode of payment as specified by the Authority.
- 2) Attested copy of LSC or any other valid pass of the land in which the source is located.
- 3) NOC from local authority.
- 4) Site plan indicating the exact location and the adjoining identifiable specific features and existing/ proposed pipelines and reservoirs.
- 5) List of equipment proposed to be installed with expected power load.
- 6) In case of partnership firm and limited company:
 - (i) Partnership deed.
 - (ii) In case of limited company Memorandum and Articles of Association and certificate of incorporation.
 - (iii) Resolution for authorized signatory.
- 7) Registration from Industries Department/Appropriate authority.
- 8) Extract of the project report relevant to groundwater requirements (in case of industries).
- 9) Statement describing lands or assets which the applicant proposes to acquire for the purpose of extraction of water and means of such acquisition.
- 10) An affidavit on non-judicial stamp paper of Rs. 10/- regarding non availability of water supply from local government agencies in cases where ground water requirement is up to 10m³/day.
- 11) Certificate regarding non/ partial availability of fresh water/ treated waste water supply from the local government water supply agency in cases where requirement of ground water is more than 10 m³/day.
- 12) Ground water quality data of existing bore well/ tube well/ dug well at the surrounding area in respect of existing industries from any National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL) accredited laboratory or Government of Mizoram approved laboratory.
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- 14) Impact Assessment report: All projects extracting/proposing to extract ground water in excess of 100 m³/day in Over-exploited, Critical and Semi-critical areas shall have to mandatorily submit impact assessment report of existing/ proposed ground water withdrawal on the ground water regime and also socio-economic impacts report prepared by accredited consultants.

FOR OFFICIAL USE

1. Application received and checked by : _____
2. Category of the Area : _____
3. Hydrogeological Assessment & Mapping : _____
4. Comments and signature of Nodal Technical Officer : _____

Approved By

Member Secretary,
Mizoram Ground Water Authority, Aizawl.

FORM-2B

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF PERMIT FOR SINKING OF WELL AND USE OF
GROUND WATER FOR EXISTING USERS
(COMMERCIAL / INDUSTRIAL USERS)
(See rule 6 (1) (i))

To

The Member Secretary,
_____ District
District Committee
Mizoram.

Sir,

I/we _____ request you to grant me/us permit for sinking of Well/augmentation of existing well and the use of ground water.

The requisite information is furnished below:-

Details of applicant-

Name of the applicant :

Name of father :

Address for correspondence :

Where applicant is a corporate body, give details-

a) Company/firm/co-operative society/other:

b) When and where company incorporated/registered:
(Place of incorporation/registration)

c) Year of incorporation :

d) Registration No. :

e) Place of registration of the firm, co-operative society:

f) Names and address of the Director/partners/Governing body members/ trustees

:

Phone No. :

E-mail address :

Details of ground water source-

1. Location :

2. Village/Town :

3. Block :

4. District :

5. Whether the source is located in an area declared as notified under section 5, if so, give details
:

6. Ownership :

7. Type of well proposed : (dug well/shallow / deep tube well/dug-cum-bore well)

8. Purpose for which water is proposed to be used :

9. LSC/Pass No. of land where Well is to be sunk :

Details of Ownership -

Whether the source is under the private ownership, if so, details of the ownership:

Purpose of sinking well or augmentation of groundwater source-

1. Purpose for which water is proposed to be extracted or used:
2. Details of prospective users :
3. Quantum of water proposed to be extracted : _____ m3/day
4. In case of mismatch between quantum of availability of water and its use, the details of availability of balance water to the beneficiaries:
5. Whether certificate of registration has been obtained from the Director of Industries/ Appropriate authority should be furnished):

Details of the Works to be executed / maintained-

1. Details of works :
2. Approximate cost/expenditure to be incurred :
3. Whether the works are to be executed / maintained individually or collectively on cooperative or/on community basis :
4. Where works are to be executed / maintained collectively, supply the details of the participants and their shares :
5. Where the source or the land over which source is located is not under the ownership of the applicant, the mode of acquisition of such source / land:
6. Whether the consent of other existing competitive users of the source has been obtained, if so, give details :
7. Date of commencement of the work :
8. Date by which the work is to be completed :
9. Waste water management arrangements :
10. Any other information which may be considered relevant or the applicant wishes to be included in the permit to be granted :

I/we _____ hereby declare that the information provided in the form above is true to my knowledge.

I/we have read the Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023 and rules framed there under and do undertake to comply with them.

I/we have deposited the application fee of Rs. _____ through bank draft/cheque No. _____
 Dated _____ issued by _____ in the name of _____ bank, payable at _____ or in cash vide receipt No. _____ Dated _____ or any reliable mode of payment as specified by the Authority.

I/we shall own responsibility to execute/augment/maintain/use the groundwater source strictly in accordance with the terms and conditions of the permit to be granted by the Authority under section 13 of the Mizoram Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023.

I /we shall provide access to the Authority and its officers and staff to my/our water source and its associate works.

I/we shall comply with every lawful direction/instruction issued by the Authority and its officers from time to time.

Date:

Signature of the applicant/authorized signatory

Note: The following documents shall be attached with the application form:-

- 1) Copy of complete application form in duplicate along with application fee of Rs.10000/- in cash or in the form of Demand Draft drawn in favour of Member Secretary, Mizoram Ground Water Authority payable at Aizawl or any reliable mode of payment as specified by the Authority.
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- 3) NOC from local authority.
- 4) Site plan indicating the exact location and the adjoining identifiable specific features and existing/ proposed pipelines and reservoirs.
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- 13) Proposal for rain water harvesting/ recharge within the premises or any other favourable site.
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2. Category of the Area : _____
3. Hydrogeological Assessment & Mapping : _____
4. Comments and signature of Nodal Technical Officer : _____

Approved By

Member Secretary,
Mizoram Ground Water Authority, Aizawl.

FORM-3

**PROFORMA OF PUBLICATION, THE MIZORAM GROUND WATER AUTHORITY AIZAWL
PUBLIC NOTICE
[See rule 7]**

Notice is hereby given to all the interested persons that Mr./Mrs. _____ of _____ has/have applied to the Mizoram Ground Water Authority for the grant of permit to extract and use of groundwater available in _____.

The application and other documents filed by the applicant can be inspected at the office the State Ground Water Authority. Any person having any objection or otherwise making representation with regard to the grant of the permit may forward the objection/representation to this Authority on or before _____ by hand or registered post or through email and shall send a copy of the objection/representation to the applicant at the address mentioned above.

The person filing the objection/representation should give the following particulars: -

1. Name and details address:
2. Grounds/reasons in support of the objection/representation together with document or evidence, if available:
3. Whether he wishes to be heard in person or through authorized representative at the time of hearing:

Member Secretary
MGWA, Aizawl

FORM-4

**PROFORMA OF PERMIT FOR EXTRACTION AND AUGMENTATION
OF THE GROUND WATER SOURCE**

[See rule 9 (1) (iii)]

Permit No. _____

Dated _____

The Mizoram Ground Water Authority, Aizawl exercising the powers vested in it under sub-section (3) of section 11 of The Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023 hereby grants a permit to Mr./Mrs. _____ to sink new well/augment the existing water source at _____ located in the area _____ for the purpose _____ subject to terms and conditions given hereunder: -

- (a) _____
- (b) _____
- (c) _____

The permit holder- shall be duty bound to develop and maintain the aforementioned source in an efficient, coordinated and economical manner and to use the water for the purpose for which permit has been given as well as all other provisions contained in the Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023 and the Rules framed there under; and the conditions of the permit issued or specified by the Authority.

Place:

Date :

Member Secretary
MGWA, Aizawl

FORM-5A
APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF REGISTRATION OF EXISTING WELL
(DOMESTIC / AGRICULTURE)
[See rule 6 (2) (i)]

To

The Member Secretary,
Mizoram Ground Water Authority
Mizoram: Aizawl.

Sir,

I/we _____ request you to grant my/our ground water source and issue certificate of registration.

The requisite information is furnished below:-

Details of applicant-

1. Name of the applicant :
2. Name of father :
3. Address for correspondence :
4. Phone No. :
5. E-mail address (If any) :

Details of ground water source-

1. Location :
2. Village/Town :
3. Block :
4. District :
5. Whether the source is located in an area declared as notified under section 5, if so, give details:
6. Ownership :
7. Type of well proposed :
8. Purpose for which water is proposed to be used:
9. LSC/Pass No. of land where Well is to be sunk:
10. Depth of well :
11. The device used for lifting water :
12. The quantity of ground water extracted and hours of operation per day :
13. The total period of use in each year:
14. In case of the requirement of ground water is for drinking water , the population served (for drinking water):
15. For irrigation well, the location and extend of the area irrigated:

I/we _____ hereby declare that the information provided above is true to the best my/our knowledge. I/we have read the provisions of Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023 and the Rules framed there under and do undertake to comply with them.

I/we have deposited the application fee of Rs. _____ through bank draft/cheque No. _____
Dated _____ issued by _____ in the name of _____
bank, payable at _____ or in cash vide receipt No. _____ dated _____ or any
reliable mode of payment as specified by the Authority.

I /we shall own responsibility to execute/augment/maintain/use the ground water source

strictly in accordance with the terms/conditions of the permit granted by the Authority under section 7 of the Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023.

I/we shall provide access to the Authority and its officers and servants to my/our water source and its allied works.

I/we shall comply with every lawful directions/instruction issued by the Authority and its officers from time to time.

Date:

Signature of the applicant/authorized signatory
with complete Address Place

Note: The following documents shall be attached with the application form: -

- 1) Copy of complete application form in duplicate along with application fee of Rs.500/-for tube well and Rs.1000/-in case of energized pump, in cash or in the form of Demand Draft drawn in favour of Member Secretary, Mizoram Ground Water Authority payable at Aizawl or any reliable mode of payment as specified by the Authority.
- 2) Attested copy of LSC or any other valid pass of the land as specified by the Authority in which the source is located.
- 3) NOC from local authority.
- 4) Site plan indicating the exact location and the adjoining identifiable specific features and existing/proposed structures like pipelines and reservoirs etc.
- 5) List of equipment installed with power load.
- 6) Affidavit on non-judicial stamp paper of Rs. 10/- by the applicant, confirming non inadequate/availability of public water supply in case of users requiring ground water up to 10 m³/ day for drinking/domestic use.
- 7) Certificate of non-availability of water from local government water supply agency in cases requiring ground water in excess of 10 m³/ day for drinking/ domestic use. Government water supply agencies applying for permit shall submit copy of government approval of the scheme/ project proposed to be implemented.
- 8) Ground water quality data of existing bore well/ tube well/ dug well at the surrounding area from any National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL) accredited laboratory or Government of Mizoram approved laboratory.
- 9) Proposal for rain water harvesting/ recharge within the premises or any other favourable site.

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1. Application received and checked by : _____
2. Category of the Area : _____
3. Hydrogeological Assessment & Mapping : _____
4. Comments and signature of Nodal Technical Officer : _____

Approved By

Member secretary,
Mizoram Ground Water Authority, Aizawl.

FORM- 5B

**APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF CERTIFICATE FOR REGISTRATION OF
EXISTING WELL
(DOMESTIC / AGRICULTURE)
[See rule 6 (2) (i)]**

To

The Member Secretary,
_____ District
District Committee
Mizoram.

Sir,

I/we _____ request you to grant my/our ground water source and issue certificate of registration.

The requisite information is furnished below:-

Details of applicant-

1. Name of the applicant :
2. Name of father :
3. Address for correspondence :
4. Phone No. :
5. E-mail address (If any) :

Details of ground water source-

1. Location :
2. Village/Town :
3. Block :
4. District :
5. Whether the source is located in an area declared as notified under section 5, if so, give details:
6. Ownership :
7. Type of well proposed :
8. Purpose for which water is proposed to be used:
9. LSC/Pass No. of land where Well is to be sunk:
10. Depth of well :
11. The device used for lifting water :
12. The quantity of ground water extracted and hours of operation per day :
13. The total period of use in each year:
14. In case of the requirement of ground water is for drinking water , the population served (for drinking water):
15. For irrigation well, the location and extend of the area irrigated:

I/we _____ hereby declare that the information provided above is true to the best my/our knowledge. I/we have read the provisions of Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023 and the Rules framed there under and do undertake to comply with them.

I/we have deposited the application fee of Rs. _____ through bank draft/cheque No.

Dated _____ issued by _____ in the name of _____
Bank, payable at _____ or in cash vides receipt No. _____ dated _____ or
any reliable mode of payment as specified by the Authority.

I /we shall own responsibility to execute/augment/maintain/use the ground water source strictly in accordance with the terms/conditions of the permit granted by the Authority under section 7 of the Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023.

I/we shall provide access to the Authority and its officers and servants to my/our water source and its allied works.

I/we shall comply with every lawful directions/instruction issued by the Authority and its officers from time to time.

Date:

Signature of the applicant/authorized signatory

Note: The following documents shall be attached with the application form: -

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- 9) Proposal for rain water harvesting/ recharge within the premises or any other favourable site.

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1. Application received and checked by : _____
2. Category of the Area : _____
3. Hydrogeological Assessment & Mapping : _____
4. Comments and signature of Nodal Technical Officer : _____

Approved By

Member secretary,
Mizoram Ground Water Authority, Aizawl.

FORM-6A

**APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION FOR
EXISTING WELL
(COMMERCIAL/ INDUSTRIAL USERS)
[See rule 6 (2)(i)]**

To

The Member Secretary,
Mizoram Ground Water Authority
Mizoram: Aizawl.

I/we _____ request you to grant my/our
ground water source and issue certificate of registration.

The requisite information is furnished below:-

Details of applicant-

1. Name of the applicant :
2. Name of father :
3. Address for correspondence :
4. Where applicant is a corporate body, give details-
 - (a) Company/firm/co-operative society/other:
 - (b) When and where company incorporated/registered:
(Place of incorporation/registration)
 - (c) Year of incorporation:
 - (d) Registration No.:
 - (e) Place of registration of the firm, co-operative society:
 - (f) Names and address of the Director/partners/Governing body members/ trustees:
Phone No.
E-mail address

Details of ground water source-

1. Location :
2. Village/Town :
3. Block :
4. District :
5. Whether the source is located in an area declared as notified under section 5, if so, give details
:
6. Ownership:
7. Type of well proposed :
8. Purpose for which water is proposed to be used:
9. LSC/Pass No. of land where Well is to be sunk :
10. Depth of well :
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15. For irrigation well, the location and extend of the area irrigated:

Details of Ownership -

Whether the source is under the private ownership, if so, details of the ownership:

Purpose of sinking well or/augmentation of groundwater source-

1. Purpose for which water is proposed to be extracted or used:
2. Details of prospective users :
3. Quantum of water proposed to be extracted :
4. In case of mismatch between quantum of availability of water and its use, the details of availability of balance water to the beneficiaries:
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Details of the Works to be executed / maintained-

1. Details of works :
2. Approximate cost/expenditure to be incurred :
3. Whether the works are to be executed / maintained individually or collectively on cooperative or/on community basis :
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10. Any other information which may be considered relevant or the applicant wishes to be included in the permit to be granted :

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I/we have read the Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023 and rules framed there under and do undertake to comply with them.

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I /we shall provide access to the Authority and its officers and servants to my/our water source and its associate works.

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Date:

Signature of the applicant/authorized/signatory

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| 1. Application received and checked by | : _____ |
| 2. Category of the Area | : _____ |
| 3. Hydrogeological Assessment & Mapping | : _____ |
| 4. Comments and signature of Nodal Technical Officer | : _____ |

Approved By

Member secretary,
Mizoram Ground Water Authority, Aizawl.

FORM-6B

**FORM OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION
FOR EXISTING WELL
(COMMERCIAL/ INDUSTRIAL USERS)**

[See rule 6(2) (i)]

To

The Member Secretary,
_____ District
District Committee
Mizoram.

I/we _____ request you to grant my/our ground water source and issue certificate of registration.

The requisite information is furnished below:-

Details of applicant-

1. Name of the applicant :
2. Name of father :
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- 2) Attested copy of LSC or any other valid pass of the land in which the source is located.
- 3) NOC from Local authority.
- 4) Site plan indicating the exact location and the adjoining identifiable specific features and existing/ proposed pipelines and reservoirs.
- 5) List of equipment installed with power load.
- 6) In case of partnership firm and limited company:
 - (i) Partnership deed.
 - (ii) In case of limited company Memorandum and Articles of Association and certificate of incorporation.
 - (iii) Resolution for authorized signatory.
- 7) Registration from Industries Department/Appropriate authority.
- 8) Extract of the project report relevant to groundwater requirements (in case of industries).
- 9) Statement describing lands or assets which the applicant proposes to acquire for the purpose of extraction of water and means of such acquisition.
- 10) An affidavit on non-judicial stamp paper of Rs. 10/- regarding non availability of water supply from local government agencies in cases where ground water requirement is up to 10m³/day.
- 11) Certificate regarding non/ partial availability of fresh water/ treated waste water supply from the local government water supply agency in cases where requirement of ground water is more than 10 m³/day.
- 12) Ground water quality data of existing bore well/ tube well/ dug well at the surrounding area in respect of existing industries from any National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL) accredited laboratory or Govt. approved laboratory.
- 13) Proposal for rain water harvesting/ recharge within the premises or any other favourable site.
- 14) Impact Assessment report: All projects extracting/proposing to extract ground water in excess of 100 m³/day in Over-exploited, Critical and Semi-critical areas shall have to mandatorily submit impact assessment report of existing/ proposed ground water withdrawal on the ground water regime and also socio-economic impacts report prepared by accredited consultants.

FOR OFFICIAL USE

1. Application received and checked by : _____
2. Category of the Area : _____
3. Hydrogeological Assessment & Mapping : _____
4. Comments and signature of Nodal Technical Officer : _____

Approved By

Member Secretary,
Mizoram Ground Water Authority, Aizawl.

FORM-7

**PROFORMA OF PUBLICATION, THE MIZORAM GROUND WATER AUTHORITY AIZAWL
PUBLIC NOTICE
[See rule 7]**

Notice is hereby given to all the interested persons that Mr./Mrs. _____ of _____ has/have applied to the Mizoram Ground Water Authority for grant of Certificate of registration of user of ground water available in _____ in the area of _____.

The application and other documents filed by the applicant can be inspected at the office of the applicant on/are at (Name, place or office, if any designated by the Authority).

Any person having objections or otherwise making representation with regard to the grant of the certificate of registration of the user of the aforesaid water source, may forward the objections /representation with this Authority on or before _____ by hand delivery or registered post or email and should serve a copy of the objection /representation on the applicant _____ at the address mentioned above.

The person filing the objection/representation should give the following particulars:-

- 1) Name and full address :
- 2) Grounds/reasons in support of the objection/representation together with the documents or evidence, if available :
- 3) Whether he wishes to be heard in person or through authorized representative at the time of hearing :

Date:

Place:

Member Secretary
MGWA, Aizawl

FORM-8

PROFORMA OF CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION OF THE GROUND WATER SOURCE

[See rule 9 (2)]

Certified that the Ground Water Source known as _____ located in _____ of _____ district, Mizoram, owned by _____ s/o or d/o _____ and the water extracted there from is being used for the purpose of _____ is registered with this Authority vide registration No. _____ of _____ year.

Date :

Place:

Member Secretary
MGWA, Aizawl

FORM-9A**PROFORMA OF APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF THE DRILLING MACHINERY
[See rule 10 (1)]**

To

The Member Secretary,
Mizoram Ground Water Authority
Mizoram: Aizawl.

Sir

I/we request you to register the machinery employed by me/us, for drilling operations in the State of Mizoram under section 9 of the Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023. The requisite information is furnished below:-

Details of the applicant-

1. Name of the applicant/Organization :
2. Name of father//Partner/Trustee :
3. Address for correspondence :
4. Where applicant is a corporate body, give details :
5. Whether the user is a Company/Firm/Co-operative Society/others:
6. Whether the same is incorporated/registered :
7. Place of incorporation /registration :
8. Year of incorporation :
9. Registration No. :
10. Place of registration of the firm, co-operative society:
11. Names and address of the Directors/partners/Governing Body Member/Trustees
:
12. Details of area of operation :
13. Nature of drilling operations :
14. Details of heavy drilling machinery in use :
15. Details of other machinery and equipment in use :
16. Details of drilling operations undertaken during last three years with results /targets achieved:
17. Any other information which may be considered relevant:

I/we _____ hereby declare that the information provided above is true to the best my/our knowledge.

I/we have read the Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023 and the rules framed there under and do undertake to comply with them.

I/we have deposited the registration fee of Rs. _____ through bank draft/ cheque No. _____ dated _____ drawn in favour of Member Secretary (Ground Water Authority) payable at _____ or cash vide receipt No. _____ Dated _____ or any reliable mode of payment as specified by the Authority.

I/we shall undertake the ground water drilling operations in efficient coordinated and economical manner.

I/we shall comply with every lawful direction/instruction issued by the Authority and its officers from time to time.

Date:

Place:

Signature of the applicant/authorized signatory

Note: The following documents shall be attached with the application form:

- 1) Copy of complete application form in duplicate along with application fee of Rs.10000/- in cash or in the form of Demand Draft drawn in favour of Member Secretary, Mizoram Ground Water Authority payable at Aizawl or any reliable mode of payment as specified by the Authority.
- 2) Registration from Industries Department/Appropriate authority.
- 3) In case of partnership firm and limited company:
 - (i) Partnership deed.
 - (ii) In case of limited company Memorandum and Articles of Association and certificate of incorporation.
- 4) List of machinery and equipment in use. Year of purchased/operated.
- 5) Statement describing assets which the applicant has acquired or purposes of drilling operation in the State.

FOR OFFICIAL USE

1. Application received and checked by : _____
2. Category of the Area : _____
3. Comments and signature of Nodal Technical Officer : _____

Approved By

Member Secretary,
Mizoram Ground Water Authority, Aizawl.

FORM-9B**PROFORMA OF APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF THE DRILLING MACHINERY**
[See rule 6 (1) and 10 (1)]

To

The Member Secretary,
_____ District
District Committee
Mizoram.

Sir

I/we request you to register the machinery employed by me/us, for drilling operations in the State of Mizoram under section 9 of the Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023. The requisite information is furnished below:-

Details of the applicant-

1. Name of the applicant/Organization :
2. Name of father/ /Partner/Trustee :
3. Address for correspondence :
4. Where applicant is a corporate body, give details :
5. Whether the user is a Company/Firm/Co-operative Society/others:
6. Whether the same is incorporated/registered:
7. Place of incorporation /registration :
8. Year of incorporation :
9. Registration No. :
10. Place of registration of the firm, co-operative society:
11. Names and address of the Directors/partners/Governing Body Member/Trustees:
12. Details of area of operation :
13. Nature of drilling operations :
14. Details of heavy drilling machinery in use:
15. Details of other machinery and equipment in use :
16. Details of drilling operations undertaken during last three years with results /targets achieved:
17. Any other information which may be considered relevant:

I/we _____ hereby declare that the information provided above is true to the best my/our knowledge.

I/we have read the Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023 and the rules framed there under and do undertake to comply with them.

I/we have deposited the registration fee of Rs. _____ through bank draft/ cheque No. _____ dated _____ drawn in favour of Member Secretary (Ground Water Authority) payable at _____ or cash vide receipt No. _____ Dated _____ or any reliable mode of payment as specified by the Authority.

I/we shall undertake the ground water drilling operations in efficient coordinated and economical

manner.

I/we shall comply with every lawful direction/instruction issued by the Authority and its officers.

Date:

Place:

Signature of the applicant/authorized signatory

Note: The following documents shall be attached with the application form:

- 1) Copy of complete application form in duplicate along with application fee of Rs.10000/- in cash or in the form of Demand Draft drawn in favour of Member Secretary, Mizoram Ground Water Authority payable at Aizawl or any reliable mode of payment as specified by the Authority.
- 2) Registration from Industries Department/Appropriate authority.
- 3) In case of partnership firm and limited company:
 - (i) Partnership deed.
 - (ii) In case of limited company Memorandum and Articles of Association and certificate of incorporation.
- 4) List of machinery and equipment in use. Year of purchased/operated.
- 5) Statement describing assets which the applicant has acquired or purposes of drilling operation in the State.

FOR OFFICIAL USE

1. Application received and checked by : _____
2. Category of the Area : _____
3. Comments and signature of Nodal Technical Officer : _____

Approved By

Member Secretary,
Mizoram Ground Water Authority, Aizawl.

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FORM-10

PROFORMA OF CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION OF DRILLING MACHINERY
[See rule 10(4)]

Registration No.

Dated _____

The Mizoram Ground Water Authority Aizawl, in exercise of the power vested in it under section 9 of the Mizoram Ground Water (Control and Regulation) Act, 2023 hereby registers M/S _____ as Rig Operator /Drilling Agency operating in the State of Mizoram and the list of the machinery/equipment employed by him/her and it is registered with the Authority vide registration No. _____ of 20____

Date:

Place:

Member Secretary
MGWA, Aizawl

FORM-11
[See rule 15 (3)]

BEFORE THE
(Name of Appellate Authority)
In the matter of:-

APPEAL NO.
(To be filled by the office)
(Name and full address of the appellant /applicant and names and full address of the respondents)

Affidavit Verifying the petition/reply/application

I, _____, son of _____, age _____, resident of _____, do here by solemnly affirm and declare as under:-

I am a Director/Secretary/_____of _____

Limited, the petition/appellant /respondent/in the above matter and duly authorized by the said petitioner /appellant to make this affidavit on his/ its behalf.

Note:- This paragraph is to be included in cases where the petitioner/ appellant /respondent is the company.

The statements made in paragraphs of the petition/application/reply _____ herein now shown to me are true to the best of my knowledge and the statements made in paragraphs are based on information that I believe to be true.

Deponent

Verification

I, the above named deponent do hereby verify that the contents of my above affidavit are true to the best of my knowledge and no part of it is false and nothing material has been concealed there from.

Verified at _____ on this day of _____

Deponent

By Order
The Secretary (PHED) to Government of Mizoram
Est. No. _____ Dated: the _____ 202_

Copy is forwarded for information and necessary action to:-

1. The Secretary, Law Department, Mizoram, Aizawl.
2. The Member Secretary, MGWA, Mizoram, Aizawl.
3. All Deputy Commissioners, Mizoram
4. The Controller, Printing & Stationery, Mizoram, Aizawl for publication in extra ordinary Gazette (Mizoram).
5. Guard file.

Sd/-
Appellate Authority
Government of Mizoram

MIZORAM GROUND WATER AUTHORITY

FORM OF RENEWAL OF PERMIT AND REGISTRATION

[See Rules-9(3)]

Renewed for the period from.....to (Vide letter dated.
.....)

Renewal fee of Rs..... (Rupees.....) only collected as per receipt No
..... Dated.....

Member Secretary
MGWA, Aizawl

Date: