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**DEPARTMENT OF FORESTS  
NOTIFICATION**

**Jaipur, February 4, 2006**

G.S.R. 90:--In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 41 and 42 read with section 76 of the Rajasthan Forest Act, 1953 (Rajasthan Act No. XIII of 1953), the State Government hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Rajasthan Forest Produce (Establishment and Regulation of Saw Mills) Rules, 1983, namely:--

1. Short title and commencement.--(1) These rules may be called the Rajasthan Forest Produce (Establishment and Regulation of Saw Mills) (Amendment) Rules, 2005.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. Amendment of rule 2.--In rule 2 of the Rajasthan Forest Produce (Establishment and Regulation of Saw Mills) Rules, 1983, hereinafter referred to as the said rules,--

(1) in sub-rule (a), after the expression "and precincts" and before the punctuation mark ".", the expression

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"and, unless a contrary intention appears in these rules, include wood handicraft saw mill" shall be inserted.

- (2) after sub-rule (i), the following sub-rules (j) and (k) shall be added, namely:-

"(j) 'round timber' means tree or part of tree in its natural state as felled, with or without bark. It may be round, split, roughly

(k) 'wood handicraft saw mill' means a saw mill engaged in sawing and reshaping of sawn timber for manufacture of wood based handicraft items, using vertical saw (without trolley) of size not exceeding 61 cm and/or circular saw of diameter not exceeding 30.5 cm operated by a motor/engine with capacity not exceeding 5 hp, alongwith the appurtenant plants, implements, precincts and premises, but will not include saw mills partly or wholly engaged in sawing or processing of green timber/round timber either for its own use or for sale or for any other purpose."

3. Amendment of rule 3.-In rule 3 of the said rules,-

- (3) in sub-rule (ii), after the expression "Rule 7" the expression "or 7A" shall be inserted; and

- (4) in sub-rule (iii), for the expression "rule 7" the expression "rule 8" shall be substituted; and
- (5) in sub-rule (vi) (a), for the word "Government" shall be substituted by the words "Principal Chief Conservator of Forests" and after the expression "rule 4", the expression "or license has been granted under rule 7A" shall be inserted; and
- (6) after sub-rule (vi), following new sub-rules (vii) and (viii) shall be added, namely:-
  - (vii) No owner of a wood handicraft saw mill shall receive, purchase, sell, stock or process green timber or round timber.
  - (viii) No wood handicraft saw mill shall receive any sawn timber from any person, other than a licensed saw mill owner or any person dealing in timber and having a valid sales tax registration number."

4. Amendment of rule 4.—In sub-rule(i) of rule 4 of the said rules, the following proviso shall be added at the end, mainly:-

"Provided that in case of wood handicraft sawmill, permit is not required."

5. Insertion of new rule 7A.— After rule 7 of the said rules, the following new rule shall be inserted, namely :-

"7A. Grant of license for operating wood handicraft saw mill,—

1. License for operating a wood handicraft saw mill shall be granted by the licensing



officer, subject to the prior approval of a Committee constituted as follows for this purpose:-

- (1) Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Dealing with Forest Conservation Act) - Chairman
  - (2) Representative of Ministry of Environment and Forests, Government of India, not below the rank of Assistant Inspector General of Forests - Member
  - (3) A representative of a wood handicraft association in the State, to be nominated by the State Government - Member
  - (4) Conservator of Forests (Forest Conservation) - Member Secretary
2. The application for grant of a license to operate a wood handicraft saw mill shall be made to the licensing officer, by the owner of the wood handicraft saw mill, in Form 3.
  3. Such wood handicraft sawmill shall be a certified member of any one of the Handicraft associations notified by the government for this purpose.
  4. The application shall be accompanied by the following documents:
    - (a) a site plan indicating specific location of the unit indicating its stockyard,

relevant installations and waste disposal areas,

- (b) likely source/sources of procurement of raw material and,
- (c) proof of valid membership of the handicraft association.

5. Upon receipt of the application, the licensing officer shall, after conducting such enquiry as necessary, forward the application to the Committee prescribed under sub-rule (i), within a period of 45 days from the receipt of the application, along with his comments which shall mention clearly whether or not the application is recommended for grant of license.
6. If the Committee approves the grant of license to the applicant, the licensing officer shall grant a license in Form 4 to the applicant.
7. The license granted by the licensing officer under sub-rule (6) shall be non-transferable.

6 Amendment of rule 8. - In rule 8 of the said rules:-

- (1) in sub-rule (a), after the expression "Rule 7" and before the words "has been", the expression "or under rule 7A" shall be inserted.



- (2) a new sub-rule (c) shall be added after the sub-rule (b) proviso, namely: -

"(c) the holder of the license granted under rule 7A has without reasonable cause, failed to comply with any of the conditions subject to which the license has been granted, or has contravened any of the provisions of these rules, or has been found to have received and / or processed green timber or round timber from any source for sawing or direct sale or trade of sawn timber, the licensing officer shall, after giving the holder of the license an opportunity of showing cause, cancel the license and forfeit the sum, if any or any portion thereof, deposited as security, without prejudice to any other penalty to which the holder of the license may be liable under these rules."

7. Amendment of rule 11:- The existing rule 11 of the said rules shall be substituted by the following; namely:-

"11. Records by owner of saw mill or wood handicraft saw mill.- (1) The owner of a saw mill shall maintain records in schedules A and B appended to these rules.

(2) The owner of a wood handicraft sawmill shall maintain a record in Schedule C. He shall submit an annual statement of stock at the end of each financial year to the Licensing Officer.

8. **Amendment** of Rule 12.- In rule 12 of the said rules, in sub-rule (i), after the expression "Rule 7" and before the words "may within", the expression " or under rule 7A" shall be inserted.
9. Addition of new forms 3 and 4. The following new Forms 3 and 4 shall be added after the existing form 2 appended to the said rules, namely;

Form 3  
[See Rule 7A]

APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF LICENCE FOR OPERATING  
WOOD HANDICRAFT SAWMILL

To,

The Licensing Officer,

Sub:- Application for grant of license for operating wood handicraft saw mill

Sir,

I ..... (Name in Block letters) S/o Shri  
..... r/o of ..... or Company  
..... owned by ..... situated at  
..... (Place) ..... district, intends to establish/  
operate wood handicraft saw mill at ..... Village /  
Town ..... Tehsil ..... Sub-Division .....  
District .....

1. The details of the wood handicraft saw mill are as below:-
  - a. Site Plan (enclosed).



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b. Details of machinery as prescribed below (enclosed):-

S.No.	Name/Make	Type	Size of saw with capacity	Remarks in cm
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c. Details of motor / engine (in Horse Power) to be used for running wood handicraft saw mill.

2. Prescribed application fee has been deposited in the Divisional Office ..... vide receipt No. .... dated ..... a copy of which is attached herewith.

3. Details of likely source/sources of procurement of raw material are enclosed.

You are requested kindly to issue the license.

Enclosures:

Date

Place:

Signature of the applicant

Seal of Company (in case of company)

#### FORM - 4

(See rule 7A)

#### Proforma for grant of license to the wood handicraft saw mill

Office of the Licensing Officer .....

F.No.

Dated :

Company ..... Owned by ..... situated at .....

(Place) ..... (district) or Shri ..... S/o ..... r/o .....  
is licensed to run wood handicraft saw mill at ..... (Name  
of place where saw mill is located), subject to provision of the  
Rajasthan Forest Produce (Establishment and Regulation of Saw  
Mills) Rules 1983, framed under the Rajasthan Forest Act, 1953,  
and as amended from time to time, on the following conditions:-

1. The license shall be valid with effect from the date of its issue.
2. The license holder shall not alter the location of the wood handicraft saw mill without obtaining the prior permission of the competent authority.
3. The license holder shall maintain such register and submit such returns as required under the rules.
4. The license holder shall be liable to see that:
  - a. the site of the wood handicraft saw mill including the yard for storage of sawn timber and waste wood is enclosed by a fence fitted with proper gates.



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- b. all the sawn timber and wood waste is properly stocked according to the instructions that may be issued from time to time by the forest officer so as to facilitate stock taking.
- c. sawn timber for conversion is not accepted without proper certificate of ownership.
- d. no round timber or green timber shall be utilised or stored in the wood handicraft saw mill.
- e. the wood handicraft saw mill is open to inspection at all times by the licensing officer or a forest officer not below the rank of a Ranger.
- f. the license and all documents are produced for inspection on demand by any authority aforesaid.
- g. no extension or diversification in the capacity of wood handicraft saw mill is effected without prior permission of the licensing officer.

Seal of the Licensing Officer

Licensing Officer's Signature

Dated ..... day of ..... 20

10. **Addition of Schedule C.**- The following new schedule C shall be added after the existing schedule B appended to the said rules, namely:-

"Schedule C

WOOD PROCUREMENT/CONSUMPTION DETAILS

[See Rule 11(2)]

S. No	Date & No. of Bill	Receipt including source of procurement	Utilised	Wastage	Balance

Note :- Details of receipts, utilised and wastage shall be kept in appropriate tangible measuring units."

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By Order of the Governor,

सुदर्शन सेठी,

Secretary to Government.

Government Central Press Jaipur.