

**THE MYANMAR WIRELESS RECEIVING LICENSE RULES, 1940.**

**No.58**

**[ Amendment : 18.06.1989 ]**

No.58.- Under section 7 of the Myanmar Telegraph Act, the Governor of Myanmar makes the following rules for the licensing of wireless receiving apparatus:-

**SHORT TITLE.**

1. These rules may be called **the Myanmar Wireless Receiving License Rules, 1940.**

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**DEFINITIONS.**

2. In these rules unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context:-

(a) "The Act" means the Myanmar Telegraph Act;

(b) "Licensing Authority" means the telegraph authority constituted under the Myanmar Telegraph Act, that is, the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

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3. Subject to the provisions of these rules, every person, other than a servant of the Crown working wireless apparatus for or on behalf of the Government, is required to be licensed under the Act to establish, maintain or work wireless apparatus.
4. Application for a license under these rules shall be made in accordance with the instructions laid down by the Licensing Authority.
5. Licenses shall be issued to persons in such form as decided by the Licensing Authority in accordance with the purposes for which they are required.
6. Licenses shall be valid for a period of twelve calendar months beginning from the first day of the month of issue.
7. The fee payable for a license shall be in accordance with the type of license and for the purpose for which it is issued and will be laid down from time to time by the Licensing Authority.
8. Where the Licensing Authority is satisfied that a license granted under these rules has been lost or accidentally destroyed he may grant a duplicate or substitute license on payment of a fee of two rupees.
9. Licenses issued under these rules shall not be transferable.

10. No refund of any fee paid under these rules shall be granted because of the inability of the licensee to make full use of the license.
11. Licenses issued under the rules shall be subject, in addition, to the conditions inscribed on the license and its reverse.
12. The Licensing Authority may, during the currency of a license, alter the specification of the premises specified therein on receipt of a written application from the licensee accompanied by the license for amendment.
13. (1) The Licensing Authority may, by order in writing, appoint Inspectors under these rules.  
(2) Such Inspectors may inspect any wireless telegraphy apparatus in the possession of any person and such person shall, to the best of his knowledge and if so required by the Inspector, give particulars of the name and address of any person to whom he may have transferred or from whom he may have received any wireless apparatus.  
(3) On demand from such Inspector every person licensed under these rules shall produce his license for inspection.
14. If a person, with intent to defraud the Licensing Authority, works any wireless receiving apparatus he shall be punished with a fine which may extend to one hundred rupees in addition to the fee for the license required for the specific purpose for which the wireless apparatus was used.
15. If a person works any wireless receiving apparatus without the requisite license or continues to work any such apparatus after the expiry of his license without obtaining a fresh license on renewal, he shall be liable to pay on the demand of any Inspector duly appointed by the Licensing Authority in this behalf, a surcharge of Rs. 20 in case of a broadcast receiver license, and Rs. 50 in the case of a commercial broadcast receiver license in addition to the fee for the necessary license required. An official receipt for the full amount paid shall be given by the Inspector and a license shall be subsequently issued commencing from the date the apparatus was worked without a license.
16. The Licensing Authority may cancel a license issued under these rules at any time either by specific notice in writing sent by registered post to the licensee at the address shown thereon or by means of a notice published in the **Myanmar Gazette** addressed to all holders of wireless receiving license. In the event of cancellation no part of the fee shall be returned.

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By order,

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