

**(THE REGISTRATION (EUROPEAN BRITISH SUBJECTS) RULES, 1940.)**

**No. 750**

No.750.- In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Registration (European British Subjects) Act, 1940 (Act No. XVII of 1940), the Governor makes the following rules:-

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Short title.

1. These Rules may be called **the Registration (European British Subjects) Rules, 1940.**

Definitions.

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

(a) "**the Act**" means "the Registration (European British Subjects) Act, 1940,"

(b) "**competent authority**" means "the General Officer Commanding, Army in Burma."

Period within which a person must register.

3. For the purpose of section 3 of the Act, the prescribed period shall be -

(a) in the case of persons present in Burma at the commencement of the Act, thirty days from that date,  
and

(b) in the case of persons becoming subject to the Act after its commencement, fourteen days from the  
date on which they become so subject.

Procedure of registration.

4. (1) When a form has been lodged under section 3 of the Act with the registration authority, he shall, after such verification of the particulars entered in the form as he may consider necessary, and when a question has arisen under section 4 of the Act, subject to a decision that the person who has lodged the form is a European British subject to whom the provisions of sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Act are applicable and is ordinarily resident in Burma, record an order that such person has been registered under the Act and shall thereupon immediately supply to each person so registered a certificate of registration in form A attached to these rules.

(2) The registration authority shall retain the forms, together with his orders on them, on record in his office and shall forward immediately to the competent authority a certified copy of the form in respect of each person whom he has registered under the Act. He shall also immediately inform the competent

authority of the cancellation by him of any registration made by him and of any change of the registered address notified under rule 5.

(3) The competent authority shall maintain a register of all persons registered under the Act in a form approved by the Governor.

**Notification of change of address**

5. (1) If any person registered under the Act changes his registered address he shall, unless the change is for a period not exceeding 15 days, within seven days thereafter, notify the registration authority of such change.

(2) If any person refuses or, without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon him), neglects to make the notification required by sub-rule (1), he shall be punishable with a fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

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**----- Attachment -----**

[ ATTACH LIST 1 ] 01 FORM A. (See Rule 4.) Certificate of Registration.