# GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM FINANCE (INSTITUTIONAL FINANCE) DEPARTMENT DISPUR ::: GUWAHATI

#### ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR

#### **NOTIFICATION**

Dated, Dispur the 20th December, 2022

No. 121227/219: In exercise of the powers conferred by section 38 of the Banning of Unregulated Deposit Scheme Act, 2019 (Central Act 21 of 2019), the Governor of Assam, in consultation with the Central Government is hereby pleased to make the following rules, namely:-

### Short title and commencement

- (1) These rules may be called the Assam Banning of Unregulated Deposit Schemes Rules, 2022.
  - (2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

#### **Definitions**

- 2. (1) In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires,-
  - (a) "Act" means the Banning of Unregulated Deposit Schemes Act, 2019 (Central Act 21 of 2019);
  - (b) "application" means an application filed by the Competent Authority under section 14 of the Act;
  - (c) "complaint" a representation or allegation made in writing or through electronic means containing information on the promotion or operation of an Unregulated Deposit Scheme or any advertisement inducing a person to invest in or become a member of the Unregulated Deposit Scheme;
  - (d) "Competent Authority" means the Commissioner and Secretary to the Government of Assam, Finance Department, as appointed by the Government under sub-section 1 of section 7 of the Act;

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- (e) "Designated Court" means a Court constituted by the Government under sub-section (1) of section 8 of the Act;
- (f) "Form" means a form appended to these rules;
- (g) "Government" means the Government of Assam;
- (h) "State" means the State of Assam;
- (i) "suo motu cognizance" means an action taken by a Government agency, court or other State or Central authority on its own apprehension or official acts of its own initiative.
- (2) The words and expressions used herein and not defined but defined in the Act shall have the meanings assigned to them in the Act.

### Ceiling for selfhelp groups

3. As per clause (i) of sub-section (4) of section 2, the periodic payments or any amount made by the members of self-help groups operating with ceiling, the ceiling per transaction of member of self-help groups for deposit shall be Rs. 50,000/- per annum.

Power of yearly assessment under clause (j) and clause (k) of sub-section (4) of section 2 of the Act 4. The power of yearly assessment of deposit schemes such as periodic payments by self-help groups members and stipulate annual ceiling on amounts shall be done only by the State Government.

Powers and duties of the Competent Authority under sub-section (3) of section 7 of the Act

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(1) If the Competent Authority or an Officer appointed to assist the Competent Authority is satisfied that the facts of the case necessitate identification of the properties or assets acquired either in the name of the deposit taker or in the name of any other person on behalf of the deposit taker, the

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Competent Authority or the officer appointed to assist the Competent Authority, may procure such details from Police authorities utilizing the provisions of sub-section (1) of section 31 or any other authority as deemed fit or from public through a public notification seeking the details of properties or assets.

- (2) Where the information is sought from the public through the public notification specified in sub-rule (1) of this rule, an advertisement shall be published in two prominent local newspapers within a period of fifteen days of receipt of report from the Police Authorities informing that a prima facie case exists.
- (3) If the Competent Authority, after collecting additional information, is of the opinion that some additional properties of the deposit taker require to be attached, it may do so in accordance with section 7 of the Act.

Information and particulars to be considered

- 6. The information and particulars which the Competent Authority shall consider as per sub-section (3) of section 7 of the Act for provisionally attaching the property of the deposit taker shall include the following, namely:-
  - (a) any complaint against the promotion or operation of an Unregulated Deposit Scheme, whether the complainant is a depositor in the said Unregulated Deposit Scheme or not;
  - (b) any information received from the Central Government, or any State Governments or Union Territory Administrations, or any law enforcement authority or agency or body under the charge of such Governments or Administrations, regarding the promotion or operation of an Unregulated Deposit Scheme;

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- (c) information of any advertisement, whether in print or electronic media or both, inducing another person to invest in, or become a member or participant of any Unregulated Deposit Scheme; and
- (d) any other information that the Competent Authority received that a deposit taker is soliciting or accepting deposits in contravention of the provisions of the Act.

Form and manner of intimation as per sub-section (3) of section 2

- 7. (1) Every deposit taker commencing business shall submit an intimation in the Form annexed to these rules to the Competent Authority as designated under clause (d) of rule 2 of these rules, within a period of thirty days from the commencement of the business.
  - (2) In case of any change in any particulars submitted to the said authority, the deposit taker shall intimate the authority of such change within a period of thirty days from the date of the change in FORM-7.

Manner of provisional attachment and administration of attached property under sub-section (3) of section 7

- 8. (1) Where the Competent Authority have reason to believe that any deposit taker is soliciting deposits in contravention of section 3 of the Act, the Competent Authority shall pass an interim order for the provisional attachment of the deposits held by the deposit taker and the money or other property acquired either in the name of the deposit taker or in the name of any other person on behalf of the deposit taker under sub-section (3) of section 7 of the Act mentioning the details of the property to be attached in FORM-1.
  - (2) A copy of the order of provisional attachment shall be served to the owner of the property or any person who claims to be in possession of the property or any other person who has an interest in the said property.

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- (3) After passing the provisional attachment order under subrule (1) above, the Competent Authority shall direct the
  officers appointed under sub-section (2) of section 7 of the
  Act, to prepare and maintain a record of the property
  provisionally attached which shall include details of the
  properties so attached, any expenditure incurred or any cost
  of management of the property and of any income received
  from the property in FORM-2.
- (4) The officers appointed under sub-section (2) of section 7 of the Act, may seek assistance of Police, other officials of the Government, Central Government, financial institutions, society or body for the purpose of taking possession of the property so attached.
- (5) The order of provisional attachment shall be published in a leading newspaper both in Assamese and in English having wide circulation in the area or jurisdiction in which the deposit taker is located.
- (6) The Competent Authority shall send a copy of the order of provisional attachment to the officials concerned of Revenue, Tax, or any other officials required in this regard to place encumbrance on the said movable or immovable property, which shall be removed only on the written instruction from the Competent Authority to that effect.
- (7) Where the Competent Authority is not able to serve the order of provisional attachment to a person specified in sub-rule (2) above, then such person shall be deemed to be served the order by the publication of the order in the manner prescribed under sub- rule (5) above.

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- (8) The officers appointed under sub-section (2) of section 7 of the Act, shall take possession of the immovable property by affixing the order of provisional attachment at a conspicuous place of such immovable property.
- (9) Where the property to be attached is a movable property, the officers appointed under sub-section (2) of section 7 shall take actual possession of such property and retain it in his custody.
- (10) The officers appointed under sub-section (2) of section 7 shall assess assets and liabilities of the deposit taker and prepare a complete record of depositors from whom the deposit taker has collected deposits pursuant to an Unregulated Deposit Scheme.
- (11) The officers appointed under sub-section (2) of section 7, may appoint a valuer for the purpose of assessing assets and liabilities of the deposit taker under sub-rule (10).
- (12) Where any property of which possession has been taken is of a perishable or hazardous nature, the officers appointed under sub-section (2) of section 7 of the Act, may dispose of such property keeping in mind the best interest of the depositors.
- (13) The notice details and proceeds of sale under sub-rule (12) shall also be entered separately in FORM -3.
- (14) Powers relating to absconding persons:

Where the Competent Authority or the officers appointed to assist the Competent Authority is satisfied or has reasons to believe that a person in respect of whom action is contemplated under the Act has absconded or is concealing himself, the Competent Authority or the officers appointed

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to assist the Competent Authority shall make a report in writing to the Designated Court for further course of action.

#### (15) Power to seize properties:

Where the officers appointed to assist the Competent Authority or Competent Authority is satisfied or has reason to believe that any property which is liable to be attached under the Act is likely to be concealed, transferred or dealt in any manner which will result in defeating the purpose of the Act, it may direct the police officer to seize such property or where it is not practicable to seize such property make an order to freeze such property and it shall not be transferred or otherwise disposed of or dealt with.

### (16) Power to appoint legal practitioner and others:

The Competent Authority or an officer appointed to assist the Competent Authority shall be entitled to use the services of the Department of Prosecution, legal practitioners or chartered accountants or any other persons whose services are necessary for possession and realization of the assets as per provision of sub-section (1) of section 14.

Impounding and retention of records under sub-section (8) of section 7

- (1) The person from whose custody records are taken under sub-section (8) of section 7 of the Act may make copies thereof, or take extracts therefrom, in the presence of an officer authorised by the Competent Authority, at such place and time as the Competent Authority may appoint in this behalf.
- (2) The officer appointed under sub-section (2) of section 7 shall retain such records in his custody without taking approval from the Competent Authority for a period upto

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- (3) If the person from whose custody records are impounded objects for any reason to the records being impounded, he may make an application to the Competent Authority stating the reasons for such objection and requesting for the return of the records, and the Competent Authority may, after giving the applicant an opportunity of being heard, pass such orders as he thinks fit.
- (4) The officer shall ensure the safe custody of the records impounded and retained in his custody.

Powers vested while conducting investigation or inquiry under sub-section (4) of section 7 10.

- (1) Unless and otherwise felt essential, to conduct investigation or inquiry under sub-section (4) of section 7, while conducting investigation or inquiry, the following notices may be issued by the Competent Authority, namely:-
  - (i) notice for initiation of action as in FORM-4;
  - (ii) notice for additional information, if any, required in FORM-5;
  - (iii) final notice for personal attendance of deposit taker or other persons and witnesses in FORM-6.
  - (2) The Order of Provisional attachment shall contain to the extent possible, the following:-
    - (i) details of the Complaint;
    - (ii) details of the Deposit Taker or Financial entity;
    - (iii) inquiry report from the Police;
    - (iv) report received from regulator if any;

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- (v) complaints received from public;
- (vi) details of the Proceedings, reasons for attaching such properties, effective date of attachment;
- (vii) copies of the Notices issued or served and delivery proof, if any;
- (viii) summary of the findings;
- (ix) details of property attached, bank account numbers, amount attached, securities including shares and bonds, attached movable property, approximate value of such property, and in case of immovable property the extent of land, survey numbers and boundaries of such property and name of the title holder of such property;
  - (x) conclusion; and
  - (xi) evidences (attach the evidences or proof).
- (3) The proceedings of the Competent Authority shall record the proceedings under sub section (4) of section 7 and shall follow due process of law diligently.

Application for confirmation of provisional attachment under subsection (1) section 4

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- 11. The Competent Authority shall file an application before the Designated Court for making the provisional attachment absolute, containing the following particulars, namely:-
  - (a) a complete list of the property, money or deposits attached;
  - (b) in case of immovable property, the name or names and particulars of the owner of the property, any person who claims to be in possession of the property, and any other person who has an interest in the said property;

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- (c) the record of the provisionally attached property specified in sub-rule (3) of rule 8 and the valuation report, if any, specified in sub-rule (11) of rule 8;
- (d) a list of the depositors from whom the deposit taker has accepted or collected deposits; and,
- (e) a list of dues owed to depositors including amounts that may be realised from sale of any attached property of the deposit taker.

Procedure to be adopted by Designated Court under sub-section (3) of section 15

- 12. The procedure to be adopted by Designated Court as per provisions of sub-section (3) of section 15 shall be as follows, namely:-
  - (1) The Designated Court may regulate its own procedure and shall be guided by the principles of natural justice and the procedure contained in the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908.
  - (2) The Designated Court shall,-
    - (a) consider the objections to the show cause notice issued under sub-section (1) or sub-section (2) of section 15 of the Act;
    - (b) hear the aggrieved person and the Competent Authority or advocates representing these parties; and,
    - (c) take into account all relevant materials placed on record before it.

Valuation reports to be obtained while releasing properties attached 13. The Designated Court while according permission to deposit the fair value of the property in lieu of the attachment under subsection (1) of section 17 may obtain valuation reports from at least two empanelled Valuers while releasing properties as per sub-section (1) of section 14 of the Act.

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Power of
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Authority to
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agencies for
forensic or
digital audit,
valuation or sale
of assets under
clause (b) of
sub-section (4)
of section 7

- 14. (1) The Competent Authority shall under clause (b) of subsection (4) of section 7, engage Government empanelled agencies -
  - for valuation of assets and for assisting in selling of assets to prospective buyers; and
  - (b) for forensic auditors and digital auditors for audit of money trail;

for the purpose of assessing valuation of property to be provisionally attached by the Competent Authority under sub-section (1) of section 14.

- (2) The competent Authority shall utilize the services of such agencies and auditors for valuation of assets, for selling of assets and for forensic and digital audit of money trail for assessing the valuation of property to be attached under sub-section (1) of section 14.
- (3) The Competent Authority may also utilize the services of Forensic Auditors or Digital Auditors empanelled by the Indian Banks' Association for Audit of Money trail till the State empanels such agencies, wherever felt required during the process of attachment.

Manner of retraction of advertisement under section 33

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- (1) The appropriate Government shall direct the owner of any newspaper or other publication of any nature either in print or in electronic form, to publish a full and fair retraction, unequivocally withdrawing any offer, promotion or inducement made earlier in any advertisement, statement or information to any person to become a member of any Unregulated Deposit Scheme.
  - (2) The retraction shall be as prominent as the original

ldud 20/12/22 advertisement, statement or information and be in such a format and font that immediately catches the attention of any reader or recipient.

- (3) The retraction shall be published free of cost within two days from the date of the direction of the appropriate Government.
- (4) Where the appropriate Government is of the view that the retraction published has not sufficiently engaged the attention of the readers of the newspaper or such other publication, that Government may direct re-publication of the retraction.

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Principal Secretary to the Government of Assam Finance Department.

Memo No. 121227/219-A

Dated Dispur the 20th December, 2022

Copy to:

1. All Addl. Chief Secretaries to the Govt. of Assam, Dispur.

2. All Principal Secretaries/Commissioners & Secretaries/Secretaries to the Govt. of Assam, Dispur.

3. The Principal Secretary, Assam Legislative Assembly, Dispur.

- 4. The Secretary, Coordination, O/o the Chief Secretary, Assam, Dispur.
- 5. P.S. to Commissioner, State Information Commission, Panjabari, Guwahati-37
- 6. All Commissioners of Divisions.
- 7. The Accountant General, Assam, Maidamgaon, Guwahati-29
- 8. The Commissioner & Secretary to the Governor of Assam.
- 9. The CEO, Election Department, Dispur, Guwahati-06.
- 10. P.S. to the Principal Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister, Assam.
- 11. P.S. to Hon'ble Ministers.

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- 12. P.S. to Additional CS/Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, P & RD Department for information and necessary action.
- 13. All Departments of the Assam Secretariat, Dispur.
- 14. All Heads of Departments, Assam.
- 15. All Deputy Commissioners, Assam.
- 16. All Sub-Divisional Officers, Assam.
- 17. The Director, Assam Government Press, Bamunimaidam, Guwahati-21 for publication of the notification in the next issue of Assam Gazette and to submit 200 (two hundred) copies of the said Notification to this Department.
- 18. The Director, Information and Public Relation, Dispur, with a request to give wide publicity through media.
- 19. The Joint Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Financial Services, Ministry of Finance, New Delhi.
- 20. The Regional Director, Reserve Bank of India, Panbazar, Guwahati.
- 21. The Chief General Manager, State Level Bankers' Committee, Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-06
- 22. The Director General of Police, Assam.
- The Assistant General Manager, Guwahati Local Office, Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI), NEDFi House, 4th Floor, G S Road, Dispur Guwahati -06
- 24. The Registrar of Companies, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Ulubari, G.S. Road, Guwahati-781007, Assam.
- The Deputy Secretary, Finance (Establishment-B) Department, e-Governance Cell for uploading in FinAssam portal.

By Order etc.,

Under Secretary to the Govt. of Assam Finance (IF) Department

### FORM-1

[See rule 8(1)]

Reference No	
То	
Name	
Address .	
(Bank/Post Office/Financial Institution/Immovable Property registering	g authority)
Provisional attachment of property under	section 7(3)
This is to inform that M/s	section 7 of the Banning of receiving information that 3 of the said Act.  se of the powers conferred(name),
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#### FORM-2

[See rule 8 (3)]

### NOTICE OF ATTACHMENT OF MOVABLE AND IMMOVABILE PROPERTY

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#### FORM 3

[See rule 8(13)]

### NOTICE OF SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

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Whereas, the movable and immovable properties belonging to Shri
(defaulter) and mentioned in the Schedule below have been attached for the recovery of
arrears amounting to Rs which sum is recoverable together with interest
atfor the period commencing immediately after the due and the costs,
charges and expenses of the proceedings for the recovery thereof;
And whereas, the undersigned has ordered the sale of the attached property mentioned
in the annexed Schedule in satisfaction of the said arrears, costs, charges and expenses;
And whereas, on theday of(the date fixed for the sale) there
will be due thereunder a sum of Rsincluding costs and interest;
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Notice is hereby given that in the absence of any order of postponement the said
property shall be sold byin public auction aton the saidday
of(place).
The sale shall be of the property of the defaulter above named as mentioned in the
Schedule below; and the liabilities and claims attaching to the said property, so far as they have
been ascertained, are those specified in the Schedule against each lot.

The property shall be put up for sale in the lots specified in the Schedule. If the amount to be realised by sale is satisfied by sale of a portion of the property, the sale shall immediately be stopped with respect to the remainder. The sale shall also be stopped, before any lot is knocked down if the arrears mentioned, interest payable and costs (including the costs of the sale) are tendered to the officer conducting the sale or proof is given to his satisfaction that the amount of such arrears, interest and costs has been paid to the undersigned.

At the sale, the public generally are invited to bid either personally or by duly authorized agent. No officer or other person having any duty to perform in connection with this sale shall, however either directly or indirectly bid or, acquire any interest in the property sold.

The sale shall be subject to the following further conditions:-

- (i) The particulars specified in the annexed Schedule have been stated to the best of the information of the undersigned, but the undersigned shall not be answerable for any error, misstatement or omission in this notice.
- (ii) The amounts by which the biddings are to be increased shall be determined by the officer conducting the sale. In the event of any dispute arising as to the amount of bid, or as to the bidder, the lot shall at once again be put up to auction.
- (iii) The highest bidder shall be declared to be the purchaser of any lot provided always that he is legally qualified to bid, and it shall be in the discretion of the undersigned to declaim acceptance of the highest bid when the bid is less than the reserve price, if any, fixed or when the price offered appear so clearly inadequate as to make it advisable to do so.
- (iv) The person declared to be the purchaser shall pay immediately after such declaration a deposit of fifteen percent on the amount of his purchase money to the officer conducting the sale and in default of such deposit, the property shall be put up again and resold. The full amount of the purchase money payable shall be paid by the purchaser to the undersigned on or before the 30<sup>th</sup> day from the date of the sale of the property, exclusive of such day or if the 30<sup>th</sup> day is a Sunday or other holiday then on the first office day after the 30<sup>th</sup> day. In default of payment within the period mentioned above, the property shall be resold after the issue of afresh notice of sale. The deposit, after defraying the expenses of the sale shall be liable to be forfeited to the Government and defaulting purchaser shall forfeit all claims to the property or to any part of the sum of which it may subsequently be sold.

## SCHEDULE 1 [IMMOVABLE PROPERTY]

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### SCHEDULE II [MOVABLE PROPERTY]

SI No.	Item	Specification Item	Value assessed	Amount for which the sale is		
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#### FORM-4

### [See rule 10(1)(i)]

#### Notice of initiation of Action

To,			

Sir/Madam,

Sub: M/s

Based on the information or reports received it is prima facie apparent that the subject financial entity or deposit taker is involved in the Act which are cognizable under the provisions of section 3 of the Act.

The Competent Authority or the officers appointed to assist the Competent Authority under sub-section (3) and (4) of section 7 of the Act shall have the same power as vested in a civil court under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 while conducting investigation or inquiry in respect of the unauthorized deposit schemes or defaults under the deposit schemes in contravention of section 3 or 4. In exercise of the powers under the Act the following is ordered:-

- (a) Details of financial entity, registration of the entity, permissions to accept deposits from regulators if any, including unique identification number or Registration and PAN numbers.
- (b) Details of the Promoters, Managing Directors, Directors, Partners, Management persons etc., including unique identification number or Registration and PAN numbers.
- (c) Latest audited Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss accounts filed.
- (d) Details of the Regulator and the copy of registration certificates, permissions to undertake the activity of deposit taking.
- (e) Produce full details of the Scheme of Deposits under which deposits are being collected from public.
- (f) List of the Depositors along with Deposit accepted, Rate of interest, Maturity Date, terms of repayment of interest and principle, any other promises or assurances or commissions payable etc.

- (g) Details of defaults if any in repayment of Deposit or any specified service promised against such deposit along with date of default.
- (h) Total amount in default and number of depositors affected, if any.
- (i) Reasons for default, if any.
- (j) Steps taken or proposed to repay the amount in default.
- (k) Details of the Bank accounts of the financial entity with latest balance in the accounts.

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In case you fail to comply with the orders of the under signed, it will be deemed that you have nothing to say in the matter and action under the appropriate provisions of the Act will be initiated. Failure to be present at the hearing granted, or failure to present evidence can result in a Best Judgment Assessment or an ex-parte order.

(Note: Strike whichever is not applicable)

Yours Faithfully,

Date:

### FORM-5

### [See rule 10(1)(ii)]

### Notice for additional information

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or produce or cause to be produced at the said time any documents, accounts and any other evidence you may rely in support of the activity or the acts in the matter.

C. In case you fail to comply with the orders of the under signed, it shall be deemed that you have nothing to say in the matter and action under the appropriate provisions of the Act shall be initiated. Failure to be present at the hearing granted, or failure to present evidence can result in a Best Judgment Assessment or an ex-parte order.

(Note: \* Strike whichever is not applicable)

Yours Faithfully,

Date:

### FORM-6

## [See rule 10(1)(iii)]

### **Final Notice**

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Sir/Madam,		
Sub: M/s	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Ref: Notice in Form A dated:		
Notice in Form B dated:		
Based on the information or reports subject financial entity or deposit taker is the provisions of section 3 of the Act.	involved in the Act which are	cognizable under
The Competent Authority or the officer under sub-section (3) and (4) of section vested in a civil court under the Code investigation or inquiry in respect of the unthe deposit schemes in contravention of sthe Act the following is ordered:-	of the Act shall have the of Civil Procedure, 1908 nauthorized deposit schemes	while conducting
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B. As per Notice in Form B you were a or details and also to attend my office in person or through a representative	CE OD 21	

or produce or cause to be produced at the said time any documents, accounts and any other evidence you may rely in support of the activity or the acts in the matter, but you have failed to appear before me along with the details and document called for.

C.	In view of the that, you're not complying with the orders of the under signed, a
	final opportunity is given to you to submit the details and document called for and
	I or appear before me along with the details and document called for on
	at failing which it shall be deemed that you
	have nothing to say in the matter and action under the appropriate provisions of
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Yours Faithfully,

Date:

# GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM FINANCE (INSTITUTIONAL FINANCE) DEPARTMENT DISPUR ::: GUWAHATI

#### ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR

### **NOTIFICATION**

				Dated the, 2022
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Short title and commencement	1.	(1)		e rules may be called the Assam Banning of gulated Deposit Schemes Rules, 2022.
		(2)		shall come into force on the date of their publication in fficial Gazette.
Definitions	2.	(1)	In the	se rules, unless the context otherwise requires,-
			(a)	"Act" means the Banning of Unregulated Deposit Schemes Act, 2019 (Central Act 21 of 2019);
			(b)	"application" means an application filed by the Competent Authority under section 14 of the Act;
			(c)	"complaint" a representation or allegation made in writing or through electronic means containing
				information on the promotion or operation of an
				Unregulated Deposit Scheme or any advertisement
				inducing a person to invest in or become a member of
				the Unregulated Deposit Scheme;
M			(d)	"Competent Authority" means the Commissioner and Secretary to the Government of Assam, Finance
				Department, as appointed by the Government under
				sub-section 1 of section 7 of the Act;
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- (e) "Designated Court" means a Court constituted by the Government under sub-section (1) of section 8 of the Act;
- (f) "Form" means a form appended to these rules;
- (g) "Government" means the Government of Assam;
- (h) "State" means the State of Assam;
- (i) "suo motu cognizance" means an action taken by a Government agency, court or other State or Central authority on its own apprehension or official acts of its own initiative.
- (2) The words and expressions used herein and not defined but defined in the Act shall have the meanings assigned to them in the Act.

Ceiling for selfhelp groups 3. As per clause (i) of sub-section (4) of section 2, the periodic payments or any amount made by the members of self-help groups operating with ceiling, the ceiling per transaction of member of self-help groups for deposit shall be Rs. 50,000/- per annum.

Power of yearly assessment under clause (j) and clause (k) of sub-section (4) of section 2 of the Act 4. The power of yearly assessment of deposit schemes such as periodic payments by self-help groups members and stipulate annual ceiling on amounts shall be done only by the State Government.

Powers and duties of the Competent Authority under sub-section (3) of section 7 of the Act 5.

(1) If the Competent Authority or an Officer appointed to assist the Competent Authority is satisfied that the facts of the case necessitate identification of the properties or assets acquired either in the name of the deposit taker or in the name of any other person on behalf of the deposit taker, the

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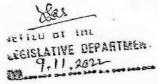
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Competent Authority or the officer appointed to assist the Competent Authority, may procure such details from Police authorities utilizing the provisions of sub-section (1) of section 31 or any other authority as deemed fit or from public through a public notification seeking the details of properties or assets.

- (2) Where the information is sought from the public through the public notification specified in sub-rule (1) of this rule, an advertisement shall be published in two prominent local newspapers within a period of fifteen days of receipt of report from the Police Authorities informing that a prima facie case exists.
- (3) If the Competent Authority, after collecting additional information, is of the opinion that some additional properties of the deposit taker require to be attached, it may do so in accordance with section 7 of the Act.

Information and particulars to be considered

- 6. The information and particulars which the Competent Authority shall consider as per sub-section (3) of section 7 of the Act for provisionally attaching the property of the deposit taker shall include the following, namely:-
  - (a) any complaint against the promotion or operation of an Unregulated Deposit Scheme, whether the complainant is a depositor in the said Unregulated Deposit Scheme or not;
  - (b) any information received from the Central Government, or any State Governments or Union Territory Administrations, or any law enforcement authority or agency or body under the charge of such Governments or Administrations, regarding the promotion or operation of an Unregulated Deposit Scheme;



- (c) information of any advertisement, whether in print or electronic media or both, inducing another person to invest in, or become a member or participant of any Unregulated Deposit Scheme; and
- (d) any other information that the Competent Authority received that a deposit taker is soliciting or accepting deposits in contravention of the provisions of the Act.

Form and manner of intimation as per sub-section (3) of section 2

- 7. (1) Every deposit taker commencing business shall submit an intimation in the Form annexed to these rules to the Competent Authority as designated under clause (d) of rule 2 of these rules, within a period of thirty days from the commencement of the business.
  - (2) In case of any change in any particulars submitted to the said authority, the deposit taker shall intimate the authority of such change within a period of thirty days from the date of the change in FORM-7.

Manner of provisional attachment and administration of attached property under sub-section (3) of section 7

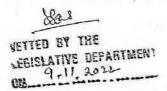
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- (1) Where the Competent Authority have reason to believe that any deposit taker is soliciting deposits in contravention of section 3 of the Act, the Competent Authority shall pass an interim order for the provisional attachment of the deposits held by the deposit taker and the money or other property acquired either in the name of the deposit taker or in the name of any other person on behalf of the deposit taker under sub-section (3) of section 7 of the Act mentioning the details of the property to be attached in FORM-1.
- (2) A copy of the order of provisional attachment shall be served to the owner of the property or any person who claims to be in possession of the property or any other person who has an interest in the said property.

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- (3) After passing the provisional attachment order under subrule (1) above, the Competent Authority shall direct the officers appointed under sub-section (2) of section 7 of the Act, to prepare and maintain a record of the property provisionally attached which shall include details of the properties so attached, any expenditure incurred or any cost of management of the property and of any income received from the property in FORM-2.
- (4) The officers appointed under sub-section (2) of section 7 of the Act, may seek assistance of Police, other officials of the Government, Central Government, financial institutions, society or body for the purpose of taking possession of the property so attached.
- (5) The order of provisional attachment shall be published in a leading newspaper both in Assamese and in English having wide circulation in the area or jurisdiction in which the deposit taker is located.
- (6) The Competent Authority shall send a copy of the order of provisional attachment to the officials concerned of Revenue, Tax, or any other officials required in this regard to place encumbrance on the said movable or immovable property, which shall be removed only on the written instruction from the Competent Authority to that effect.
- (7) Where the Competent Authority is not able to serve the order of provisional attachment to a person specified in sub-rule (2) above, then such person shall be deemed to be served the order by the publication of the order in the manner prescribed under sub-rule (5) above.



- (8) The officers appointed under sub-section (2) of section 7 of the Act, shall take possession of the immovable property by affixing the order of provisional attachment at a conspicuous place of such immovable property.
- (9) Where the property to be attached is a movable property, the officers appointed under sub-section (2) of section 7 shall take actual possession of such property and retain it in his custody.
- (10) The officers appointed under sub-section (2) of section 7 shall assess assets and liabilities of the deposit taker and prepare a complete record of depositors from whom the deposit taker has collected deposits pursuant to an Unregulated Deposit Scheme.
- (11) The officers appointed under sub-section (2) of section 7, may appoint a valuer for the purpose of assessing assets and liabilities of the deposit taker under sub-rule (10).
- (12) Where any property of which possession has been taken is of a perishable or hazardous nature, the officers appointed under sub-section (2) of section 7 of the Act, may dispose of such property keeping in mind the best interest of the depositors.
- (13) The notice details and proceeds of sale under sub-rule (12) shall also be entered separately in FORM -3.
- (14) Powers relating to absconding persons:

Where the Competent Authority or the officers appointed to assist the Competent Authority is satisfied or has reasons to believe that a person in respect of whom action is contemplated under the Act has absconded or is concealing himself, the Competent Authority or the officers appointed

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to assist the Competent Authority shall make a report in writing to the Designated Court for further course of action.

### (15) Power to seize properties:

Where the officers appointed to assist the Competent Authority or Competent Authority is satisfied or has reason to believe that any property which is liable to be attached under the Act is likely to be concealed, transferred or dealt in any manner which will result in defeating the purpose of the Act, it may direct the police officer to seize such property or where it is not practicable to seize such property make an order to freeze such property and it shall not be transferred or otherwise disposed of or dealt with.

(16) Power to appoint legal practitioner and others:

The Competent Authority or an officer appointed to assist the Competent Authority shall be entitled to use the services of the Department of Prosecution, legal practitioners or chartered accountants or any other persons whose services are necessary for possession and realization of the assets as per provision of sub-section (1) of section 14.

Impounding and retention of records under sub-section (8) of section 7

- (1) The person from whose custody records are taken under sub-section (8) of section 7 of the Act may make copies thereof, or take extracts therefrom, in the presence of an officer authorised by the Competent Authority, at such place and time as the Competent Authority may appoint in this behalf.
- (2) The officer appointed under sub-section (2) of section 7 shall retain such records in his custody without taking approval from the Competent Authority for a period upto

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three months, and if the records are necessary to be retained beyond the said period, approval of the Competent Authority shall be obtained.

- (3) If the person from whose custody records are impounded objects for any reason to the records being impounded, he may make an application to the Competent Authority stating the reasons for such objection and requesting for the return of the records, and the Competent Authority may, after giving the applicant an opportunity of being heard, pass such orders as he thinks fit.
- (4) The officer shall ensure the safe custody of the records impounded and retained in his custody.

Powers vested while conducting investigation or inquiry under sub-section (4) of section 7

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- (1) Unless and otherwise felt essential, to conduct investigation or inquiry under sub-section (4) of section 7, while conducting investigation or inquiry, the following notices may be issued by the Competent Authority, namely:-
  - (i) notice for initiation of action as in FORM-4;
  - (ii) notice for additional information, if any, required in FORM-5;
  - (iii) final notice for personal attendance of deposit taker or other persons and witnesses in FORM-6.
- (2) The Order of Provisional attachment shall contain to the extent possible, the following:-
  - (i) details of the Complaint;
    - (ii) details of the Deposit Taker or Financial entity;
    - (iii) inquiry report from the Police;
    - (iv) report received from regulator if any;

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- (v) complaints received from public;
- (vi) details of the Proceedings, reasons for attaching such properties, effective date of attachment;
- (vii) copies of the Notices issued or served and delivery proof, if any;
- (viii) summary of the findings;
- (ix) details of property attached, bank account numbers, amount attached, securities including shares and bonds, attached movable property, approximate value of such property, and in case of immovable property the extent of land, survey numbers and boundaries of such property and name of the title holder of such property;
- (x) conclusion; and
- (xi) evidences (attach the evidences or proof).
- (3) The proceedings of the Competent Authority shall record the proceedings under sub section (4) of section 7 and shall follow due process of law diligently.

Application for confirmation of provisional attachment under subsection (1) section 4

- 11. The Competent Authority shall file an application before the Designated Court for making the provisional attachment absolute, containing the following particulars, namely:-
  - (a) a complete list of the property, money or deposits attached;
  - (b) in case of immovable property, the name or names and particulars of the owner of the property, any person who claims to be in possession of the property, and any other person who has an interest in the said property;

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- (c) the record of the provisionally attached property specified in sub-rule (3) of rule 8 and the valuation report, if any, specified in sub-rule (11) of rule 8;
- (d) a list of the depositors from whom the deposit taker has accepted or collected deposits; and,
- (c) a list of dues owed to depositors including amounts that may be realised from sale of any attached property of the deposit taker.

Procedure to be adopted by Designated Court under sub-section (3) of section 15

- 12. The procedure to be adopted by Designated Court as per provisions of sub-section (3) of section 15 shall be as follows, namely:-
  - (1) The Designated Court may regulate its own procedure and shall be guided by the principles of natural justice and the procedure contained in the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908.
  - (2) The Designated Court shall,-
    - (a) consider the objections to the show cause notice issued under sub-section (1) or sub-section (2) of section 15 of the Act;
    - (b) hear the aggrieved person and the Competent Authority or advocates representing these parties;
       and,
    - take into account all relevant materials placed on record before it.

Valuation reports to be obtained while releasing properties attached

13. The Designated Court while according permission to deposit the fair value of the property in lieu of the attachment under subsection (1) of section 17 may obtain valuation reports from at least two empanelled Valuers while releasing properties as per sub-section (1) of section 14 of the Act.

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Power of Competent Authority to engage, empanel agencies for forensic or digital audit, valuation or sale of assets under clause (b) of sub-section (4) of section 7

- (1) The Competent Authority shall under clause (b) of subsection (4) of section 7, engage Government empanelled agencies -
  - for valuation of assets and for assisting in selling of assets to prospective buyers; and
  - (b) for forensic auditors and digital auditors for audit of money trail;

for the purpose of assessing valuation of property to be provisionally attached by the Competent Authority under sub-section (1) of section 14.

- (2) The competent Authority shall utilize the services of such agencies and auditors for valuation of assets, for selling of assets and for forensic and digital audit of money trail for assessing the valuation of property to be attached under sub-section (1) of section 14.
- (3) The Competent Authority may also utilize the services of Forensic Auditors or Digital Auditors empanelled by the Indian Banks' Association for Audit of Money trail till the State empanels such agencies, wherever felt required during the process of attachment.

Manner of retraction of advertisement under section 33

- (1) The appropriate Government shall direct the owner of any newspaper or other publication of any nature either in print or in electronic form, to publish a full and fair retraction, unequivocally withdrawing any offer, promotion or inducement made earlier in any advertisement, statement or information to any person to become a member of any Unregulated Deposit Scheme.
  - (2) The retraction shall be as prominent as the original

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advertisement, statement or information and be in such a format and font that immediately catches the attention of any reader or recipient.

- (3) The retraction shall be published free of cost within two days from the date of the direction of the appropriate Government.
- (4) Where the appropriate Government is of the view that the retraction published has not sufficiently engaged the attention of the readers of the newspaper or such other publication, that Government may direct re-publication of the retraction.

Principal Secretary to the Government of Assam Finance Department.

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[See rule 8(1)]

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[See rule 8 (3)]

# NOTICE OF ATTACHMENT OF MOVABLE AND IMMOVABILE PROPERTY

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#### FORM 3

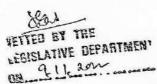
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#### NOTICE OF SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

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And whereas, the undersigned has ordered the sale of the attached property mentioned the annexed Schedule in satisfaction of the said arrears, costs, charges and expenses;
And whereas, on theday of(the date fixed for the sale) there ill be due thereunder a sum of Rsincluding costs and interest;
Notice is hereby given that in the absence of any order of postponement the said roperty shall be sold byin public auction at

The sale shall be of the property of the defaulter above named as mentioned in the Schedule below; and the liabilities and claims attaching to the said property, so far as they have been ascertained, are those specified in the Schedule against each lot.

The property shall be put up for sale in the lots specified in the Schedule. If the amount to be realised by sale is satisfied by sale of a portion of the property, the sale shall immediately be stopped with respect to the remainder. The sale shall also be stopped, before any lot is knocked down if the arrears mentioned, interest payable and costs (including the costs of the sale) are tendered to the officer conducting the sale or proof is given to his satisfaction that the amount of such arrears, interest and costs has been paid to the undersigned.



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At the sale, the public generally are invited to bid either personally or by duly authorized agent. No officer or other person having any duty to perform in connection with this sale shall, however either directly or indirectly bid or, acquire any interest in the property sold.

The sale shall be subject to the following further conditions:-

- (i) The particulars specified in the annexed Schedule have been stated to the best of the information of the undersigned, but the undersigned shall not be answerable for any error, misstatement or omission in this notice.
- (ii) The amounts by which the biddings are to be increased shall be determined by the officer conducting the sale. In the event of any dispute arising as to the amount of bid, or as to the bidder, the lot shall at once again be put up to auction.
- (iii) The highest bidder shall be declared to be the purchaser of any lot provided always that he is legally qualified to bid, and it shall be in the discretion of the undersigned to declaim acceptance of the highest bid when the bid is less than the reserve price, if any, fixed or when the price offered appear so clearly inadequate as to make it advisable to do so.
- (iv) The person declared to be the purchaser shall pay immediately after such declaration a deposit of fifteen percent on the amount of his purchase money to the officer conducting the sale and in default of such deposit, the property shall be put up again and resold. The full amount of the purchase money payable shall be paid by the purchaser to the undersigned on or before the 30<sup>th</sup> day from the date of the sale of the property, exclusive of such day or if the 30<sup>th</sup> day is a Sunday or other holiday then on the first office day after the 30<sup>th</sup> day. In default of payment within the period mentioned above, the property shall be resold after the issue of afresh notice of sale. The deposit, after defraying the expenses of the sale shall be liable to be forfeited to the Government and defaulting purchaser shall forfeit all claims to the property or to any part of the sum of which it may subsequently be sold.

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#### [See rule 10(1)(i)]

#### Notice of initiation of Action

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Sir/Madam,

Sub: M/s

Based on the information or reports received it is prima facie apparent that the subject financial entity or deposit taker is involved in the Act which are cognizable under the provisions of section 3 of the Act.

The Competent Authority or the officers appointed to assist the Competent Authority under sub-section (3) and (4) of section 7 of the Act shall have the same power as vested in a civil court under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 while conducting investigation or inquiry in respect of the unauthorized deposit schemes or defaults under the deposit schemes in contravention of section 3 or 4. In exercise of the powers under the Act the following is ordered:-

- (a) Details of financial entity, registration of the entity, permissions to accept deposits from regulators if any, including unique identification number or Registration and PAN numbers.
- (b) Details of the Promoters, Managing Directors, Directors, Partners, Management persons etc., including unique identification number or Registration and PAN numbers.
- (c) Latest audited Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss accounts filed.
- (d) Details of the Regulator and the copy of registration certificates, permissions to undertake the activity of deposit taking.
- (e) Produce full details of the Scheme of Deposits under which deposits are being collected from public.
- (f) List of the Depositors along with Deposit accepted, Rate of interest, Maturity Date, terms of repayment of interest and principle, any other promises or assurances or commissions payable etc.

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- (g) Details of defaults if any in repayment of Deposit or any specified service promised against such deposit along with date of default.
- (h) Total amount in default and number of depositors affected, if any.
- (i) Reasons for default, if any.
- (j) Steps taken or proposed to repay the amount in default.
- (k) Details of the Bank accounts of the financial entity with latest balance in the accounts.

You are hereby required to submit the full details listed above and duly attested, to my office on \_\_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ either in person or through representative duly authorized in writing in this behalf or produce or cause to be produced at the said time any documents, accounts and any other evidence you may rely in support of the activity or the acts in the matter.

In case you fail to comply with the orders of the under signed, it will be deemed that you have nothing to say in the matter and action under the appropriate provisions of the Act will be initiated. Failure to be present at the hearing granted, or failure to present evidence can result in a Best Judgment Assessment or an ex-parte order.

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Yours Faithfully,

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## [See rule 10(1)(ii)]

## Notice for additional information

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- C. In case you fail to comply with the orders of the under signed, it shall be deemed that you have nothing to say in the matter and action under the appropriate provisions of the Act shall be initiated. Failure to be present at the hearing granted, or failure to present evidence can result in a Best Judgment Assessment or an ex-parte order.

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Yours Faithfully,

Date:

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## [See rule 10(1)(iii)]

## Final Notice

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C. In view of the that, you're not complying with the orders of the under signed, a final opportunity is given to you to submit the details and document called for and / or appear before me along with the details and document called for on at \_\_\_\_\_\_ failing which it shall be deemed that you have nothing to say in the matter and action under the appropriate provisions of the Act shall be initiated. Failure to be present at the hearing granted, or failure to present evidence can result in a Best Judgment Assessment or an ex-parte order

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### <u>FORM-7</u> [See rule 7(2)]

### INTIMATION TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE AUTHORITY

- 1. Name of deposit taker.
- 2. Registered address of the deposit taker.
- 3. Address of branches of the deposit taker (if any).
- 4. Unique Identification No. of Registration / Incorporation under applicable law.
- 5. Authority to carry on deposit taking.
- 6. Name and address of persons responsible for the management of the deposit taker (CEO and Directors/ Partner.
- 7. PAN number of the deposit taker.

I solemnly affirm to the best of my knowledge and belief, that the information given in this Form is correct, and that nothing material has been concealed therefrom.

Date:

**Authorised Signatory** 

Place:

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## STATEMENT OF OBJECTION AND REASONS

The Rule namely "THE ASSAM BANNING OF UNREGULATED DEPOSIT SCHEME RULES, 2022" by issuing Notification which shall come into force with immediate effect.

As per section 38 of the Banning of Unregulated Depositors Scheme Act, 2019 (a Central Act), the State Government needs to make Rule and Cabinet has approved the Assam Banning of Unregulated Deposit Scheme Rule, 2022. The Banning of Unregulated Deposit Scheme Act and Rules provided for a comprehensive mechanism to ban the unregulated deposit schemes with wider ambit. So, the Finance Department has issued Notification as per direction received from the Government of India.

Hence, the Notification.

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Minister- in -charge

Finance Department, Assam

Principal Secretary

Assam Legislative Assembly

### FIANANCIAL MEMORANDUM

There is no financial involvement in the Notification.

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Minister- in -charge
Finance Department, Assam

## MEMORANDUM OF DELEGATED LEGISLATION

There is no delegation of Legislative powers to the executive in the Notification.

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Smti Ajanta Neog) Minister- in -charge Finance Department, Assam