

**HOME DEPARTMENT**

Mantralaya, Madam Cama Marg, Hutatma Rajguru Chowk,  
Mumbai 400 032, dated the 15th February, 2024.

*NOTIFICATION*

MAHARASHTRA PROHIBITION ACT.

No. BRL-0523/C.R.123(4)/Excise-3.—Whereas the Government of Maharashtra considers that the following rules further to amend the Maharashtra Potable Liquor (Fixation of Maximum Retail Prices) Rules, 1996 should be brought into force at once, and therefore, the rules should be made without previous publication as provided by the proviso to sub-section (3) of section 143 of the Maharashtra Prohibition Act (XXV of 1949).

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-clause (ii) of clause (h1) of sub-section (2) of section 143 of the Maharashtra Prohibition Act and of all other powers enabling it in this behalf, the Government of Maharashtra hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Maharashtra Potable Liquor (Fixation of Maximum Retail Prices) Rules, 1996, as follows, namely :—

1. These rules may be called Maharashtra Potable Liquor (Fixation of Maximum Retail Prices) (Amendment) Rules, 2024.

2. In Rule 5 of the Maharashtra Potable Liquor (Fixation of Maximum Retail Prices) Rules, 1996, in clause (A), in sub-clause (iii),—

(i) for entry (e), the following entry shall be substituted, namely :—

“(e) 4 times the manufacturing cost in case of Craft Beer manufactured in a micro-brewery or a restaurant-brewery having alcoholic strength not exceeding 14 proof spirit or 8 per cent. v/v plus Sales tax at the prevalent rate;”;

(ii) entry (f) shall be deleted.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra,

RAVINDRA AUTE,  
Deputy Secretary to Government.