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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF SHIPPING & TRANSPORT  
(TRANSPORT WING)

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NOTIFICATION  
(Merchant Shipping)

G.S.R. 744- In exercise of the powers conferred by section 87, read with sections 78 and 83, of the Merchant Shipping Act. 1958 (44 of 1958), the Central Government hereby makes the following rules to amend the Merchant Shipping (Examination of Engineers and Engine Drivers of Fishing Vessels) Rules, 1973, namely:

1. (1) These rules may be called the Merchant Shipping (Examination of Engineers and Engine Drivers of Fishing Vessels) Amendment Rules, 1975.

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

2. In the Merchant Shipping (Examination of Engineers and Engine Driver of Fishing Vessels) Rules, 1973.

(1) In rule 17, the words and has been re-examined, unless the Chief Examiner sees fit to dispense with the re-examination shall be omitted;

(2) Proviso to rules 20 shall be omitted;

(3) For sub-rule (2) of rule 21, the following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely :-

“(2) In the case of a candidate suspected to be mentally unsound, the Director-General of Shipping may debar him from appearing in the examination or withdraw the certificate issued to him unless he produces a fitness certificate from a Govt. Mental Health Institution”;

(4) in rule 23, in sub-rule (1), for clauses (c) and (d) the following clauses shall be substituted, namely :-

“(c) where the candidate has been declared successful in the examination but has not been granted the necessary certificate, the certificate may be withheld for such period as the Chief Examiner may direct but in no case this period shall exceed 6 months;

(d) the candidate may be debarred from appearing in any of the examinations under these rules for such period as the Chief Examiner may direct but in no case this period shall exceed 6 months.”

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