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NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

AMENDMENT TO THE TAMIL NADU PREVENTION OF ILLEGAL MINING, TRANSPORTATION AND STORAGE
OF MINERALS AND MINERAL DEALERS RULES, 2011.

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No. SRO A-13(a)/2026.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 23-C of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulations) Act, 1957 (Central Act 67 of 1957), the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following amendment to the Tamil Nadu Prevention of Illegal Mining, Transportation and Storage of Minerals and Mineral Dealers Rules, 2011:-

AMENDMENT

In the said Rules, after rule 3, the following rule shall be inserted, namely:-

“3-A. Transportation of rough stone, etc., to other States.-

The Director of Geology and Mining shall regulate the transport of rough stone including Khandas, boulders, size-reduced (broken or crushed) materials including M-Sand, metal jelly, ballasts, mill stones, hand chakais and building and road construction stones across the border to other States, which may include imposition of temporary ban, to ensure their availability for adequate supply within the State”.

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