

The Tobacco Vend Rules, 1958

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No. Ex.-IV/2/1-58, Dated 2nd January, 1959: In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of Section 12 of the Tobacco Vend Act, 1958, the Government is pleased to make the following rules, namely:--

1. (1) These rules may be called the Tobacco Vend Rules, 1958.
(2) They shall come into force at once and shall supersede corresponding rules or notifications issued under any of the following enactments --
 - (a) The Bombay (District) Tobacco Act, 1933 in its application to the former Province of Sind;
 - (b) The Punjab Tobacco Vend Fees Act. 1934;
 - (c) The North-West Frontier Province Tobacco Vend Fees Act, 1938;
 - (d) The Punjab Tobacco Vend Fees Act, 1934, as applicable to the former State of Bahawalpur; and
 - (e) The Baluchistan Tobacco Vend Fees Regulation, 1942.
2. A dealer's license shall be given for the period of one financial year, but it may be issued from any date before the end of a financial year.
3. The vend fee in respect of a dealer's licence for one financial year or a part thereof shall be as specified hereinafter:--
 - (a) If the licence is to be used by the licensee and not more than five assistants or employees at the vend premises specified in the license, Rs. 40.
 - (b) If the licence is to be used by the licensee and not more than two assistants or employees at the vend premises specified in the licence, Rs.30.
 - (c) If the licence is to be used by the licensee and not more than one assistant or employee at the vend premises specified in the license, Rs.8.
 - (d) If the licence is to be used by the licensee only as a hawker at any public place within the limits of a district specified in the license, Rs. 5.
4. A vend fee once paid shall not be refundable;

Provided that when the Collector is satisfied that a licence was issued through an error or by inadvertence, he may cancel the licence, refund the fee paid and issue an appropriate license if necessary on payment of the prescribed fee.

5. Powers conferred on officers of the Excise and Taxation Department by Sections 8 and 11, of the Tobacco Vend Act, 1958 shall not be exercised except by an officer of or above the rank of a Sub-inspector.

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