

THE

COLLECTION

OF

MEGHALAYA ACTS AND ORDINANCES

FOR THE YEAR 1978

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MEGHALAYA ACT 1 OF 1978

THE MEGHALAYA TRANSFER OF LAND (REGULATION) (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1978

(As passed by the Assembly)

[Received the assent of the President on the 24th January, 1978]

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An

Act

further to amend the Meghalaya Transfer of Land (Regulation) Act, 1978

Short title, extent and commencement	1.	(1) This Act may be called the Meghalaya Transfer of Land (Regulation) (Amendment) Act, 1977.			
		(2) It shall have the like extent as the principal Act.			
		(3) It shall come into force at once.			
Amendment of Section 2 (e) of the principal Act. Act I of 1972.	2.	In the Meghalaya Transfer of Land (Regulation) Act, 1971 (referred to in this Act as the principal Act), in Section 2, in clause (e) for the word "and" occurring between the words "Rabhas" and "Kacharis" a comma "(,)" shall be substituted and between the words 'Kacharis' and "resident" the words "and Koobes" shall be inserted.			
Amendment of Section 3 of the principal Act.	3.	 In the principal Act, in Section 3,- (A) For the full-stop "(.)" at the end of subsection (1) a colon "(;)" shall be substituted; (B) The following proviso to sub-section (1) shall be inserted, namely:- "Provided that the Government of Meghalaya, if satisfied may, from time, by notification, prohibit such transfer of land within such area or areas as may be specified in the notification and thereupon the competent authority shall not sanction any such transfer of land under the provision of this Act, within such area or areas." 			

(C) after sub-section (1), the following sub-section shall be inserted, namely:-

"(2) Every notification issued under the proviso to sub-section (1) of this Section shall,-

- (i) have effect on the date of its first publication in the Official *Gazette of Meghalaya*.
- (ii) be laid, as soon as may be after its publication in the Official Gazette before the House of the Legislative Assembly of the state."
- (iii) the existing sub-section (2) shall be renumbered as sub-section (3).
- 4. In the principal Act, after Section 4, the following section shall be inserted, namely:-

4A Where, -

- (a) in respect of land the transfer of which is prohibited under the proviso to sub-section (1) of Section 3, a person intending to sell his land is not able to effect such sale, or
- (b) in respect of the land for which sanction of the competent authority is sought under sub-section (1) of Section 3, the land cannot be disposed of to a tribal, by reason of the fact that no tribal is willing to purchase the land or is willing to purchase the land on the terms offered by the seller or at the market value, such person or the competent authority, as the case may be , shall apply to the Deputy Commissioner of the District for the Acquisition of the land by the State Government and where the State Government and where the State Government decides to acquire the land the Deputy Commissioner shall, by order take over the land on payment of compensation in accordance with the principal specified in the Land Acquisition Act, 1894 and the land shall thereupon vest in the State Government free from all encumbrances."

Insertion of new Section 4A in the Principal Act.

Central Act I of 1894.

MEGHALAYA ACT 2 OF 1978

THE MEGHALAYA APPROPRIATION (No. I) ACT, 1978

(As passed by the Assembly)

[Received the assent of the Governor on the 30th March, 1978]

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An

Act

to authorise payment and appropriation of certain further sums from and out of the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya for the Services of the financial year 1977-1978

Short title.	1.	This Act may be called the Meghalaya Appropriation (No. I) Act, 1978.
Withdrawal of Rs.5, 08, 95,096 from and out of the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya for the financial year 1977-78.	2.	From and out of the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya there may be paid and applied sums not exceeding those specified in column (3) of the Schedule amounting in the aggregate to the sum of five crores, eight lakhs, ninety- five thousand and ninety-six rupees towards defraying the several charges which will come in course of payment during the financial year 1977-78 in respect of the services specified in column (2) of the Schedule.
Appropriation.	3.	The sums authorised to be paid and applied from and out of the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya by this Act, shall be appropriated for the services and purposes expressed in the Schedule in relation to the said year.

SCHEDULE

(See Sections 2 and 3)

(1)			(2)		(4)	
Grant			Services and purposes	Sums n	Total	
No.			(Major heads)	Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated Fund	
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
2	212	-	Governor		35,248	35,248
3	213	-	Council of Minister	34,000		34,000
5	215	-	Election	2,63,500		2,63,500
8	239	-	State Excise	1,90,073		1,90,073
9	240	-	Sales Tax and 245-I-Other Taxes and Duties on Commodities and Services.	1,58,340		1,58,340
10	241	-	Taxes on Vehicles	16,536		16,536
11	245	-	Other Taxes and Duties on Commodities and Services-II- Inspectorate of Electricity.	19,625		19,625
	251	-	Public Service Commission		95,000	95,000
13	252	-	Secretariat General Services-I-Civil Departments.	13,50,710		13,50,710
16	254	-	Treasury and Accounts Administration.	1,88,700		1,88,700
17	255	-	Police and 260-Fire Protection and Control.	83,64,160		83,64,160
18	256	-	Jails	1,41,748		1,41,748
19	258	-	Stationery and Printing.	9,69,342		9,69,342

SCHEDULE – *contd.*.

(1)			(2)		(4)	
Grant No.			Services and purposes	Sums no	Total	
190.			(Major heads)	Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated Fund	
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
22	265	-	Other Administrative Services-II- Motor Garages, etc.	46,898		46,898
23	-Do	-	III-Gazetteer and Statistical Memoirs.	34,000		34,000
24	-Do	-	IV-Census, Vital Statistics, Guest Houses, etc.	51,274		51,274
29	276	-	Secretariat-Social and Community Services-I-Civil Departments.	2,00,135		2,00,135
31	277	-	Education	1,20,66,100		1,20,66,100
32	277	-	Education, 280-Medical, etc.	89,000		89,000
33	278	-	Art and Culture.	50,000		50,000
34	279	-	Scientific Services and Research.	20,000		20,000
35	280	-	Medical	20,25,500		20,25,500
37	282	-	Public Health, Sanitation and Water Supply-A-Public Health and Sanitation.	3,87,200		3,87,200
38	282	-	Public Health, Sanitation and Water Supply- B-Sewerage and Water Supply and 283 – Housing –C- Government Residential Buildings.	7,00,000		7,00,000
39	283	-	Housing-A-General and B-Housing Schemes.	13,805		13,805
42	281	-	Urban Development- A- General – II-Town and Regional Planning.	94,873		94,873

SCHEDULE – *contd.*.

(1)			(2)		(4)	
Grant No.			Services and purposes	Sums no	Total	
			(Major heads)	Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated Fund	
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
46	287	-	Labour and Employment-III—B- Employment and Training.	70,000		70,000
48	288	-	Social Security and Welfare-B-II- Relief and Rehabilitation of Displaced Persons.	1,91,538		1,91,538
50	Do	-	IV-Soldiers', Sailors' and Airmen's Board	9,721		9,721
52	289	-	Relief on account of Natural Calamities.	8,57,299		8,57,299
54	296	-	Secretariat Economic Services-I- Civil Department.	2,60,650		2,60,650
56	298	-	Co-operation	4,50,000		4,50,000
56A	299	-	Special and Backward Areas-C- North Eastern Areas.	8,32,300		8,32,300
57	304	-	Other General Economic Services-I- Economic Advice and Statistics.	1,10,646		1,10,646
58	304	-	Other General Economic Services- II-Regulation of Weights and Measures.	20,752		20,752
61	307	-	Soil and Water Conservation and 283-Housing-C-Government Residential Buildings.	8,34,115		8,34,115
64	311	-	Dairy Development and 283- Housing-C-Government Residential Buildings.	1,05,000		1,05,000
65	312	-	Fisheries	1,32,439		1,32,439

SCHEDULE – *contd*.

(1)			(2)		(4)	
Grant No.			Services and purposes	Sums no	Total	
190.			(Major heads)	Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated Fund	
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
66	313	-	Forests	34,90,519		34,90,519
67	314	-	Community Development and 283 Housing –C-Government Residential Buildings.	2,11,000		2,11,000
68	314	-	Community Development-II-Rural Works Programme.	28,00,000		28,00,000
71	321	-	Village and Small Industries-II- Small Industries.	28,00,000		28,00,000
72	328	-	Mines and Minerals-B-Regulation and Development of Mines.	53,850		53,850
9A	477	_	Capital Outlay on Education, Arts and Culture, 480-Caputal Outlay on Medical, 481-Capital Outlay on Family Welfare,510-Capital Outlay on Animal Husbandry and 511- Capital Outlay on Dairy Development.	9,71,000		9,71,000
80	482	-	Capital Outlay on Public Health, Sanitation and Water Supply.	22,50,000		22,50,000
84	498	-	Capital Outlay on Cooperation.	15,00,000		15,00,000
84A	499	-	Capital Outlay on Special and Backward Areas – C - North Eastern Areas.	4,29,000		4,29,000
95	538	-	Capital Outlay on Roads and Water Transport Services.	5,60,000		5,60,000

(1)			(2)		(4)	
Grant No.			Services and purposes	Sums no	Total	
110.			(Major heads)	Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated Fund	
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
96	544	-	Capital Outlay on Other Transport and Communication Services.	1,00,000		1,00,000
99	683	-	Loans for Housing	4,14,000		4,14,000
101	688	-	Loans for Social Security and Welfare –I-Relief Measures and Rehabilitation Schemes.	30,900		30,900
102A	688	-	Loans for Social Security and Welfare – III – Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes.	2,04,600		2,04,600
112	734	-	Loans for Power projects.	36,00,000		36,00,000
			Total	5,07,64,848	1,30,248	50,08,95,096

SCHEDULE – *contd*.

MEGHALAYA ACT 3 OF 1978 THE MEGHALAYA APPROPRIATION (Vote-on-Account) ACT, 1978 (As passed by the Assembly) [Received the assent of the Governor on the 31st March, 1978]

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An

Act

to provide for the withdrawal of certain sums from and out of the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya for the Services of a part of financial year, 1978-79

Short title and commencement	1.	(1) This Act may be called the Meghalaya Appropriation (Voice – on- Account) Act, 1978.		
		(2) It shall come into force on the first day of April, 1978.		

- Withdrawal of Rs.15, 10, 68,200 from and out of the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya for the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya for the Financial year 1978-79.
 2. From and out of the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya there may be withdrawn sums not exceeding those specified in column (3) of the Schedule amounting in the aggregate to the sum of fifteen crores, ten lakhs, sixty-eight thousand and two hundred rupees, towards defraying the several charges which will come in course of payment during the period of three months beginning on the first day of April, 1978 in respect of the services specified in column (2) of the Schedule.
- Appropriation
 The sums authorised to be withdrawn from and out of the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya by this act shall be appropriated for the services and purposes expressed in the Schedule in relation to the financial year 1978-79.

SCHEDULE

(1)		(2)	(3) Sums not exceeding			
Grant No.		Services and purposes (Major Heads)		Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated	Total
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1.	211	 Parliament State/Union Territories Legislatures –B- State Legislatures. 	Revenue	5,99,800	26,900	2,26,700
2.	212	- Governor	Revenue	2,500	20,300	2,22,800
3.	213	- Council of Ministers	Revenue	2,42,700	••••	2,42,700
4.	214	- Administration of Justice	Revenue	3,05,500	2,700	3,88,200
5.	215	- Election	Revenue	2,43,500		2,43,500
	(229	- Land Revenue)				
	283	- Social Security and Welfare-B-II- Relief and Rehabilitation of Displaced persons.				
	289	- Relief on Account of Natural Calamities.	Revenue	10,35,800		10,35,800
	295	- Other Social and Community Services.				
	304	- Other General Economic Services-III-Land Ceilings.				
6.	688	- Loans for Social Security and Welfare-III-Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes.	Capital	6,300		6,300
	695	- Loans for other Social and Community Services.				
	705	- Loans for Agriculture.				

(1)		(2)		Sur	(3) ns not exceeding	g
Grant No.		Services and purposes (Major Heads)		Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated	Total
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
7.	230	- Stamps and Registration	Revenue	18,000		18,000
8.	239	- State Excise		2,22,300		2,22,300
9.	240	- Sales Tax and 245-I-Other Taxes and Duties on Commodities and Services.	Revenue	2,01,200		2,01,200
	241	- Taxes on Vehicles				
10	265	- Other Administrative Services- II-Motor Garages, etc.	Revenue	5,63,000		5,63,000
	338	- Roads and Water Transport Services.				
	538	- Capital Outlay on Road and Water Transport Services, etc.	Capital	3,75,000		3,75,000
	245	- Other Taxes and Duties on Commodities and Services-II- Inspectorate of Electricity.				
11	331	- Water and Power Development Services –B- Power Development.	Revenue	32,800		32,800
	734	- Loans for Power Projects	Capital	87,500		87,500
12	247	 Other Fiscal Services – Promotion of Small Savings. 	Revenue	14,500		14,500
	248	- Appropriation for Reduction or Avoidance of Debt (<i>Charged</i>).	Revenue			
	249	- Interest Payment (<i>Charged</i>)	Revenue		60,00,000	60,00,000
	251	- Public Service Commission (<i>Charged</i>).	Revenue		1,06,800	1,08,800

(1)		(2)		Sur	(3) ns not exceeding	g
Grant No.		Services and purposes (Major Heads)		Voted by the Assembly Rs.	Charged on the Consolidated Rs.	Total Rs.
	(252	- Secretariat General Services-I- Civil Department.				
13	276	- Secretariat- Social and Community Services –I- Civil Department.	Revenue	20,68,800		20,68,800
	296	- Secretariat Economic Services-I- Civil Department.				
14	253	- District Administration	Revenue	9,85,000		9,85,000
15	254	- Treasury and Accounts Administration.	Revenue	4,54,700		4,54,700
16	255	- Police and 260-Fire Protection and Control.	Revenue	94,26,500		94,26,500
17	256	- Jails	Revenue	4,15,000		4,15,000
18	258	- Stationery and Printing	Revenue	11,13,300		11,13,300
	252	- Secretariat General Services-II- Public Works Department Secretariat.				
	259	- Public Works				
	277	- Education, 278-Art and Culture, 280-Medical, 282-Public Health, etc.	Damage	59 10 700		59 10 700
	283	- Housing – II – C-Government Residential Buildings (I/C, P.W.D.).	Revenue	58,19,700		58,19,700
19	287	- Labour and Employment – III- Employment and Training 288- Social Security and Welfare – Social Welfare, etc.				
.,	459	- Capital Outlay on Public Works.				

(1)		(2)		Sum	(3) s not exceeding	
Grant No.		Services and purposes (Major Heads)		Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated	Total
110		(migor mondo)		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	(477	- Capital Outlay on Education, Art and Culture.				
	480 481	Capital Outlay on Medical.Capital Outlay on Family Welfare.				
	J	\rangle	Capital	43,36,600		42,36,600
	482	- Capital Outlay on Public Health, Sanitation and Water Supply-A- Public Health.				
	483	- Capital Outlay on Housing-A- Government Residential Buildings (I/C. P.W.D.).				
	510	- Capital Outlay on Animal Husbandry.				
	511	- Capital Outlay on Dairy Development.				
20	265	- Other Administrative Services – I I- Civil Defence.	Revenue	14,22,200		14,22,200
	265	- Other Administrative Services – III – Gazetteers and Statistical Memoirs.				
0.1	277	- Education	Revenue	1,61,26,300		1,61,26,300
21	278 279	- Art and Culture - Scientific Services and				
	677	Research. J - Loans for Education, Art and Culture.	Capital	5,000		5,000
22	265	- Other Administrative services- IV-Census, Vital Statistics, Guest Houses, etc.	Revenue	2,89,200		2,89,200
23	265	- Other Administrative services- V-Miscellaneous Administrative Services.	Revenue	96,500		96,500
24	266	- Pension and other Retirement Benefit.	Revenue	4,18,800		4,18,800
25	267	- Aid Materials and Equipments.	Revenue	2,42,700		2,42,700

(1)		(2)		Sur	(3) ns not exceeding	5
Grant No.		Services and purposes (Major Heads)		Voted by the Assembly Rs.	Charged on the Consolidated Rs.	Total Rs.
26	248	- Miscellaneous General Services, Pre-partition Payments, state Lotteries Pension for distinguished Services.	Revenue	1,300		1,300
27	$\begin{cases} 280\\ 281\\ 282 \end{cases}$	 Medical Family Welfare Public Health, Sanitation and Water Supply-A-Public Health and Sanitation. 	Revenue	76,98,000		76,98,000
	282	- Public Health, Sanitation and Water Supply-B-Sewerage and Water Supply.	Revenue	24,52,500		24,52,500
28	283	 Housing-C-Government Residential Buildings. Capital Outlay on Public Health, Sanitation and Water, Supply. 	Capital	55,60,000		55,60,000
	682	- Loans for Public Health, Sanitation and Water Supply.				
	∫ 283	- Housing-I-A-Central and B- Housing Schemes.	Revenue	73,800		73,800
29	683	- Loans for Housing	Capital	4,91,200		4,91,200
	$\int 284$	- Urban Development-A-General- I-Municipal Administration.	Revenue	68,700		68,700
	634	- Loans for Urban Development.	Capital			
	{284	 Urban Development-A- General –II-Towns and Regional Planning. 	Revenue	3,77,000		3,77,000
	234	- Capital Outlay on Urban Development-A-Central.	Capital			
32	285	- Information and Publicity	Revenue	3,92,500		3,92,500

(1)		(2)		Sun	(3) ns not exceeding	1
Grant No.		Services and purposes (Major Heads)		Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated	Total
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	287 -	Labour and Employment –I-A- Labour.				
33		Labour and Employment-II-A- Labour Inspectorate of Factories and Steam Boilers.	Revenue	10,11,500		10,11,500
55	287 -	Labour and Employment –III-B- Employment and Training.				
	288 -	Social Security and Welfare-A-I- Civil Supplies.	Revenue	3,30,000		3,30,000
34		Capital Outlay on Social Security and Welfare-E-Other Social Security and Welfare Programme-I-Civil Supplies Scheme.	Capital	84,500		84,500
	509 -	Capital Outlay of Food Nutrition.				
		Social Security and Welfare-B-II- Relief and Rehabilitation of Displaced persons.	Revenue	26,300		26,300
35	688 -	Loans for Social Security and Welfare-I-Relief and Rehabilitation of Displaced persons.	Capital			
	288 -	Social Security and Welfare-B- III-Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes-D-Social Welfare.	Revenue	14,55,000		14,55,000
36	668 -	Loans for Social Security and Welfare-C-III- Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes-D-Social Welfare.	Capital			

SCHEDULE – *contd*...

(1)		(2)	Sur	(3) ns not exceeding	g
Grant No.		Services and purposes (Major Heads)	Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated	Total
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	287	- Social Security and Welfare –E- Other Social Security and Welfare Programme-IV-Soldiers' Sailors' and Airmen's Board.	22,500		22,500
37					
	681	- Loans for Social Security and Capital Welfare-II-Loans to <i>Ex-Service</i> Personnel.	1,300		1,300
38	281	- Social Security and Welfare-E- Revenue Other Social Security and Welfare Programmes-V-Other Programmes.	1,300		1,300
39	295	- Other Social and Community Revenue Services.	66,300		66,300
40	296	- Secretariat-Economic Services-II- Revenue .Planning Boards and attached Offices.	2,65,000		2,65,000
	298	- Co-operation Revenue	15,58,700		15,58,700
	498	- Capital Outlay on Co-operation.			
41	505	- Capital Outlay on Agriculture.	8,91,300		8,91,300
	688	- Loan to Co-operation.			
	(299	- Special and Backward Areas –C- Revenue North Eastern Areas.	23,68,000		23,68,000
42	499	- Capital Outlay on Special and Backward Areas-C- North Eastern Areas.	48,73,700		48,73,700
	699	- Loans for Social and Backward Areas –C- North Eastern Areas.			

(1)		(2)	(3) Sums not exceeding			
Grant No.		Services and purposes (Major Heads)	Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated	Total	
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
43	304	- Other General Economic Revenue Services-I-Economic Advice and Statistics.	3,90,200		3,90,200	
44	304	- Other General Economic Revenue Services-II-Regulation of Weight and Measures.	1,10,000		1,10,000	
45	305	- Agriculture/306-I-Minor Revenue Irrigation/295-Other social and Community Services/283- Housing-C-Government Residential Buildings.	60,10,200		60,10,200	
	705	- Loans for Agriculture Capital				
	(306	- Minor Irrigation-II-Works under Embankment and Drainage Wing, P.W.D.				
	333	- Irrigation, Navigation, Drainage and Flood Control Projects.	1,62,500		1,62,500	
46	506	- Capital Outlay on Minor Irrigation, Soil Conservation and Areas Development.				
	533	- Capital outlay on Irrigation, Navigation, Drainage and Flood Control.	8,37,500		8,37,500	
47	307	- Soil and Water Conservation Revenue and 283-Housing-C- Government Residential Buildings.	44,96,200		44,96,200	
	308	- Area Development Revenue	43,75,000		43,75,000	
48	{ 706	- Loans for Minor Irrigation, Soil Capital Conservation and Area Development.				
	{310	- Animal Husbandry and 283- Revenue Housing-C-Government Residential Buildings.	34,51,100		34,51,100	
49	710	- Loans for Animal Husbandry. Capital				

(1)		(2)	(3) Sums not exceeding			
Grant No.		Services and purposes (Major Heads)	Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated	Total	
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
50	311 -	Dairy Development and 283- Revenue Housing-C-Government Residential Buildings.	11,12,500		11,12,500	
51	312 -	Fisheries Revenue	5,06,500		5,06,500	
	∫ 313 -	Forests Revenue	42,62,500		42,62,500	
	513 -	Capital Outlay on Forest Capital				
	314 - 314 - 714 -	Community Development 283- Housing-C-Government Residential Buildings and 288- Social Security and Welfare. Community Development-II- Rural Works Programme. Loans for Community Development.	38,33,000 		38,33,000 	
	320 -	Industries Revenue	7,30,200		7,30,200	
	$ \begin{cases} 520 & - \\ 522 & - \\ 526 & - \\ 720 & - \\ \end{cases} $	Capital Outlay on Industrial Research and Development. Capital Outlay on Machinery and Engineering Industries. Capital Outlay on Consumers Industries. Loans for Industrial Research and Development.	8,75,000		8,75,000	
	321 521	Village and Small Industries-I- Handloom and Sericulture and 386-housing-C-Government Residential Buildings. Capital Outlay on village and Small Industries –I- Handloom	14,76,500		14,76,500	
55	698 - 721 -	and Sericulture. Loans to Co-operative Societies. Loans for Village and Small Industries –I – Handloom and Sericulture.	5,000		5,000	

(1)			(2)		Sums	(3) not exceeding	
Grant No.			Services and purposes (Major Heads)		Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated	Total
					Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	321	-	Village and Small Industries - II – Small Industries.	Revenue	20,14,800		20,14,800
56	321	-	Capital Outlay on Village and Small Industries – II- Small Industries.	Capital	1,36,300		1,36,300
50	721	-	Loans for Village and Small Industries – II- Small Industries.	Capital	1,50,500		1,50,500
57	328	-	Mines and Minerals-B- Regulation and Development of Mines.	Revenue	6,80,000		6,80,000
57	528	-	Capital Outlay on Mining and Metallurgical Industries.	Capital			
	337		Road and Bridges	Revenue	61,87,500		61,87,500
58	537	-	Capital Outlay on Roads and Bridges.	Capital	1,19,35,800		1,19,35,800
	339	-	Tourism	Revenue	4,01,700		4,01,700
59	544	-	Capital Outlay on other Transport and Communication Services.	Capital			
60	530	-	Investment in Industrial Financial Institutions.	Capital			
	603	-	Internal Debt of the State Government (<i>Charged</i>).	Capital		24,70,000	24,70,000
	304	-	Loans and Advances from the Central Government. (<i>Charged</i>)	Capital		69,85,900	69,85,900
61	766	-	Loans to Government Servants.	Capital	13,75,000		13,75,000
62	767	-	Miscellaneous Loans	Capital			
63	768	-	 Inter-State Settlement	Capital	18,60,500		18,60,500
		-	Appropriation to Contingency Fund.	Capital			
			Total		13,51,75,600	1,58,92,600	15,10,68,200

MEGHALAYA ACT 4 OF 1978

THE MEGHALAYA FINANCE ACT, 1978

(As passed by the Assembly)

[Received the assent of the Governor on the 31st March, 1978]

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An

Act

to fix the rates at which the Meghalaya Purchase Tax shall be levied and charge for the financial year 1978-79.

Short title extent and commencement	1.	(1) This Act may be calle 1978.	ed the Meghalaya Finance Act,
		(2) It extends to the whole	e of the State of Meghalaya.
		(3) It shall be deemed to day of April, 1978.	have come into force on the 1 st
Rates of the Meghalaya Purchase Tax.	2.	on the purchase of the ite Meghalaya Purchase Tax	x shall be levied and collected ems of the Schedule under the Act (Assam Act XIX of 1967 ya), for the year beginning on shall be as follows –
		In respect of items 1,2 and 3	Four paise per rupee value of the price at which the taxable goods are purchased.
		In respect of item 4	Two paise per rupee value of the price at which the taxable goods are purchased.

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MEGHALAYA ACT 5 OF 1978

THE MEGHALAYA FINANCE (SALES TAX) (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1978

(As passed by the Assembly)

[Received the assent of the Governor on the 8th April, 1978] (Published in the *Gazette of Meghalaya*, Extraordinary, dated 10th April, 1978)

An

Act

further to amend the Meghalaya Finance (Sales Tax) act (Assam Act XI of 1956 as adapted by Meghalaya), hereinafter referred to as the principal Act.

Short title extent and commencement	1.	(1) This Act may be called the Meghalaya Finance Act, 1978.
		(2) It extends to the whole of the State of Meghalaya.
		(3) It shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1 st day of April, 1978.
Amendment of the Schedule to the principal	2.	In the Schedule to the principal Act:-
Act.		(i) Between the existing items 9 and 10, the following shall be inserted as item 10, namely:-
		"10. Motor Cars
		(ii) the existing item 10 shall be re-numbered as item 10A and for the words "including motor cars" occurring between the words "motor vehicles" and "motor taxi" in the said item the words "excluding motor cars but including" shall be substituted, and
		(iii) the existing item 10A shall be renumbered as item 10B.
Repeal of Ordinance 4 of 1978.	3.	The Meghalaya Finance (Sales Tax) (Amendment) Ordinance, 1978 is hereby repealed.

MEGHALAYA ACT 6 OF 1978

THE MEGHALAYA (MINISTERS' SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES) (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1978.

(As passed by the Assembly)

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An

Act

further to amend the Meghalaya (Ministers' Salaries and Allowances) Act (Act 4 of 1972) (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act)

Short title and commencement	1.	(1) This Act may be called the Meghalaya Finance Act, 1978.
		(2) It extends to the whole of the State of Meghalaya.
		(3) It shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1 st day of April, 1978.
Amendment of section 2 of the principal Act.	2.	In section 2 of the principal Act,-
		 (i) in the marginal note between the words "Chief Minister" and "other Ministers" the words and punctuation "Deputy Chief Minister," shall be inserted;
		(ii)after clause (a) the following new clause shall be inserted as clause (b), namely:-
		"(b) to the Deputy Chief Minister a salary of rupees one thousand four hundred per mensem;"
		(iii) the existing clauses "(b)" and "(c)" shall be renumbered as clauses "(c)" and "(d)", respectively.

Amendment of section 3 to 10 of the principal Act.

Insertion of an explanation to the proviso to section 5 of the principal Act. 3. In the principal Act,-

- (i) between the words "Chief Minister" and "other Ministers" occurring in the first line of section 4 and occurring in sections 3,5,6,7,8,9 and 10, the words and punctuation "Deputy Chief Minister," shall be inserted;
- (ii) in the sixth line of section 4 between the words "Chief Minister" and "and" the punctuation and the words "Deputy Chief Minister" shall be inserted;
- (iii) in the marginal notes against sections 3 and 5 between the words "Chief Minister" and "other Ministers" the words and punctuation "Deputy Chief Minister," shall be inserted.
- 4. In the principal Act, below the proviso to section 5, the following explanation shall be inserted, and shall always be deemed to have been inserted, namely:-

"Explanation: For the purpose of the proviso the word "Minister" shall include the Chief Minister, Deputy Chief Minister, other Ministers and Ministers of State".

MEGHALAYA ACT 7 OF 1978

THE MEGHALAYA MUNICIPAL (GARO HILLS AUTONOMOUS DISTRICT) ACT, 1978. (As passed by the Assembly) [Received the assent of the Governor on the 8th April, 1978] (Published in the *Gazette of Meghalaya*, Extraordinary, dated 10th April, 1978)

An

Act

to provide for the constitution and establishment of municipalities and town committees in the Garo Hills Autonomous District and extension and application of the Meghalaya Municipal Act to the said District and for matters connected thereto

Short title, extent and commencement.	1.	(1) This Act may be called the Meghalaya Municipal (Garo Hills Autonomous District) Act, 1978.
		(2) It extends to the Garo Hills Autonomous District.
		(3) It shall be deemed to have come into force on the 7 th day of January, 1978.

Constitution and 2. Notwithstanding anything contained in any other law the establishment of State Government may, on the recommendation of the municipalities and Town District Council of the Garo Hills Autonomous District, Committees in the Garo constitute any area of the said Autonomous District as a Hills Autonomous municipality, or declare any area within such District to District. be a notified area and establish a Town Committee for the notified area, under the provisions for the Meghalaya Municipal Act (Assam Act XV of 1957 as adapted by Meghalaya) and apply all or any of the provisions of the said act or of the Rules made thereunder as may be specified in the notification to the Municipality or town committee so constituted or established and to the area or areas comprising within the said municipality or town committee. Repeal of Ordinance 1 of 3. The Meghalaya Municipal (Garo Hills Autonomous 1978 District) Ordinance, 1978 is hereby repealed.

MEGHALAYA ACT 8 OF 1978

THE MEGHALAYA APPROPRIATION (No. II) ACT, 1978.

(As passed by the Assembly)

[Received the assent of the Governor on the 30th June, 1978]

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An

Act

to authorise payment and appropriation of certain sums from and out of the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya for the services of the financial year ending on the thirty first day of March, 1979

Short title and commencement.	1.	(1) This Act may be called the Meghalaya Appropriation (No. II) Act, 1978.
		(2) It shall be deemed to have come into force on the first day of April, 1978.

Withdrawal of Rs.60, 42, 72,900 from and out of the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya for the Financial year 1978-79.	2.	From and out of the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya there may be paid and applied sums not exceeding those specified in column (3) of the Schedule amounting in the aggregate [inclusive of the sum specified in column (3) of the Schedule to the Meghalaya Appropriation (Vote- on-Account) Act, 1978] to the sum of sixty crores, forty two lakhs, seventy two thousand and nine hundred rupees towards defraying the several charges which will come in course of payment during the financial year ending on the thirty-first day of March, 1979 in respect of the services specified in column (2) of the Schedule.
Appropriation.	3.	The sums authorised to be withdrawn from and out of

the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya by this Act shall be appropriated for the services and purposes expressed in the Schedule in relation to the said year.

SCHEDULE

(See Section 2 and 3)

(1)			(2)			Sum	(3) is not exceeding	
Grant No.			Services and purposes (Major Heads)			Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated	Total
						Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	211	-	Parliament/State/Union Territory Legislatures-B-S Legislatures.	State	Revenue	23,99,200	1,07,800	25,07,000
2	212	-	Governor		Revenue	10,000	8,81,000	8,91,000
3	213	-	Council of Ministers		Revenue	9,71,000		9,71,000
4	214	-	Administration of Justice		Revenue	12,22,000	3,31,000	15,53,000
5	215	-	Election		Revenue	9,74,000		9,74,000

(1)		(2)	Sum	(3) as not exceeding	
Grant No.		Services and purposes (Major Heads)	Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated	Total
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	229 233 289 195 304	 Land Revenue Social Security and Welfare-B- II-Relief and Rehabilitation of Displaced persons. Relief on account of Natural Calamities. Other Social and Community Services. Other General Economic Services - III-Land Ceilings. 	41,43,000		41,43,000
	688 695 705	 Loans for Social Security and Welfare-III-Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes. Loans for other Social and Community Services. Loans for Agriculture 	25,000		25,000
7 8 9		 Stamps and Registrations Revenue State Excise Revenue Sales Tax and 245-I- Other Revenue Taxes and Duties on Commodities and Services 	72,000 8,89,000 8,05,000	 	72,000 8,89,000 8,05,000
10	241 265 338 538	 Taxes on Vehicles Other Administrative Services- II-Motor Garages, etc. Roads and Water Transport Services. Capital Outlay on Road and Water Transport Services, etc. 	22,52,000 15,00,000		22,52,000

(1)		(2)	Sum	(3) s not exceeding	
Grant No.		Services and purposes (Major Heads)	Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated	Total
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
11	245 331	 Other Taxes and Duties on Commodities and Services –II- Inspectorate of Electricity. Water and Power Development Services-B- 	1,31,000		1,31,000
	734	Power Development. - Loans for Power Projects Capital	3,50,000		3,50,000
12	247	- Other Fiscal Services- Revenue Promotion of Small Savings.	58,000		58,000
	248	- Appropriation for Reduction of Revenue Avoidance of Debt. (<i>Charged</i>).			
	249	- Interest Payments (<i>Charged</i>) Revenue		2,40,00,100	2,40,00,100
	251	- Public Services Commission Revenue (Charged)		4,27,300	4,27,300
13	242 276 296	 Secretariat General Services-I- Civil Departments. Secretariat-Social and Community Services-I-Civil Departments. Secretariat Economic Services- I-Civil Departments. 	82,75,000		82,75,000
14	253	- District Administration. Revenue	39,40,000		39,40,000
15	254	- Treasury and Accounts Revenue Administration.	18,19,000		18,19,000
16	255	- Police and 26-Fire Protection Revenue and Control.	3,77,06,000		3,77,06,000
17	256	- Jails Revenue	16,60,000		16,60,000
18	258	- Stationery and Printing Revenue	44,53,000		44,53,000

(1)			(2)		Sum	(3) s not exceeding	
Grant No.			Services and purposes (Major Heads)		Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated	Total
					Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	252	-	Secretariat General Services – II – Public Department Secretariat. Public Works				
	277	-	Education, 278-Art and Culture,280-Medical,282-	Revenue	2,32,79,200		2,32,79,200
	283	-	Housing – II- C- Government Residential Buildings (I/C P.W.D.)				
	287	-	Labour and Employment- III-B-Employment and				
	288	-	Training. Social Security and Welfare-Social Welfare, etc.				
19	(си.)				
	(459	-	Capital Outlay on Public Works.				
	477	-	Capital Outlay on Education, art and Culture.				
	480	-	Capital Outlay on Medical.				
	481	-	Capital Outlay on Family Welfare.				
	482	-	Capital Outlay on Public Health, Sanitation and Water Supply – A Public Health.	Capital	1,69,45,500		1,69,45,500
	483	-	Capital Outlay on Housing-A-Government Residential Buildings				
	510	-	(I/C P.W.D.). Capital Outlay on Animal Husbandry.				
	511	-					

(1)		(2)		Sums	(3) not exceeding	
Grant No.		Services and purposes (Major Heads)		Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated	Total
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
20	255	- Other Administrative Services- I-Civil Defence and Home Guards.	Revenue	56,89,000		56,89,000
	265	- Other Administrative Services- III-Gazetteers and Statistical Memoirs.				
	277 278 279	 Education Art and Culture Scientific Service and Research. 	Revenue	6,45,05,000		6,45,05,000
	677	- Loans for Education, Art and Culture.	Capital	20,000		20,000
22	265	 Other Administrative Services- IV-Census, Vital Statistics, Guest Houses, etc. 	Revenue	11,57,000		11,57,000
23	265	- Other Administrative Services- IV-Census, Vital Statistics, Guest Houses, etc.	Revenue	3,86,000		3,86,000
24	266	- Pension and other Retirement Benefits.	Revenue	16,75,000		16,75,000
25	267	- Aid Materials and Equipments.	Revenue	9,71,000		9,71,000
26	268	- Miscellaneous general Services, Prepartition Payments, State Lotteries and Pension for distinguished Services.	Revenue	5,000		5,000
27	$ \left\{\begin{array}{c} 280\\ 281\\ 282 \end{array}\right\} $	 Medical Family Welfare Public Health, Sanitation and Water Supply-A- Public Health and Sanitation. 	Revenue	3,07,92,000		3,07,92,000
	282	- Public Health, Sanitation and Water Supply B-Sewerage and Water Supply.	Dovonuo	98 10 000		98,10,000
28	283	- Housing-C-Government Residential Buildings.	Revenue	98,10,000		20,10,000
	482	 Capital Outlay on Public Health, Sanitation and Water Supply. Loans for Public Health, 	Capital	2,22,40,000		2,22,40,000

(1)		(2)			(3) Sums not exceeding		
Grant No.		Services and purposes (Major Heads)		Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidate d	Total	
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
29	{ 283	 Housing –I-A- General Revenue and B- Housing Schemes. 	Revenue	2,95,000		2,95,000	
	688	- Loans for Housing	Capital	16,05,000		16,05,000	
	284	- Urban Development-A- General-I-Municipal Administration.	Revenue	2,75,000		2,75,000	
	684	- Loans for Urban Development.	Capital				
	284	- Urban Development-A- Revenue General-II-Town and Regional Planning.	Revenue	15,08,000		15,08,000	
	484	 Capital Outlay on Urban Capital Development-A-General. 	Capital				
32	285	- Information and Publicity	Revenue	15,70,000		15,70,000	
	287	- Labour and Employment-I-A- Labour.					
33	287	- Labour and Employment-II-A- Labour-Inspectorate of Factories and Steam Boilers.	Revenue	40,46,000		40,46,000	
	287	- Labour and Employment-III- B-Employment and Training.					
	288 488	 Social Security and Welfare - I-Civil Supplies. Capital Outlay on Social Security and Welfare-E-Other 	Revenue	13,20,000		13,20,000	
34	509	Social Security and Welfare Programmes-I- Civil Supplies Scheme. - Capital Outlay on Food and	Capital	3,38,000		3,38,000	
	288	 Nutrition. Social Security and Welfare- B-II-Relief and Rehabilitation 	Revenue	1,05,000		1,05,000	
35	688	 of Displaced Persons. Loans for Social Security and Welfare-I-Relief Measures and Rehabilitation Schemes. 	Capital				

(1)		(2)		Su	(3) ms not exceedin	g
Grant No.		Services and purposes (Major Heads)		Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated	Total
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	{ 288	- Social Security and Welfare-C- III-Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes-D- Social Welfare.	Revenue	58,20,000		58,20,000
36	688	 Loans for Social Security and Welfare-C-III-Welfare of Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes. 	Capital			
27		 Social Security and Welfare-E- Other Social Security and Welfare Programmes-IV- Soldiers', Sailors' and Airmen's Board. 	Revenue	90,000		90,000
37	688	 Loans for Social Security and Welfare-II-Loans to Ex-Service Personnel. 	Capital	5,000		5,000
38	288	 Social Security and Welfare-E- Other Social Security and Welfare Programmes-V-Other Programmes. 	Revenue	5,000		5,000
39	295	- Other Social and Community Services.	Revenue	2,65,000		2,65,000
40	296	- Secretariat Economic Services- II-Planning Boards and attached Offices.	Revenue	10,60,000		10,60,000
	$ \left(\begin{array}{c} 298\\ 498 \end{array}\right) $	- Co-operation - Capital Outlay on Cooperation.	Revenue	62,35,000		62,35,000
41	505 698	 Capital Outlay on Agriculture. Loans to Co-operative Societies. 	Capital	35,65,000		35,65,000
	299	- Special and Backward Areas-C- North Eastern Areas.	Revenue	94,72,000		94,72,000
42	499 699	 Capital Outlay on Special and Backward Areas-C-North Eastern Areas. Loans for Special and 	Capital	1,94,91,000		1,94,91,000
	l	Backward Areas-C- north Eastern Areas.				

(1)		(2)	(3) Sums not exceeding			
Grant No.		Services and purposes (Major Heads)		Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated	Total
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	304	- Other General Economic Revenue Services-I-Economic Advice and Statistics.	Revenue	15,61,000		15,61,000
44	304	- Other General Economic Revenue Services-II-Regulation of Weights and Measures.	Revenue	4,40,000		4,40,000
45	{ 305	- Agriculture/306-I-Minor Irrigation/295-Other Social and Community Services/283- Housing-C-Government Residential Buildings.	Revenue	2,76,41,000		2,76,41,000
	705	- Loans for Agriculture	Capital			
	306	 Minor Irrigation-II-Works under Embankment and Drainage Wing, P.W.D. Minor Irrigation Projects. Irrigation, Navigation, Drainage and Flood Control Project. 	Revenue	6,50,000		6,50,000
46	506 533	 Capital Outlay on Minor Irrigation, Soil Conservation and Area Development. Capital Outlay on Irrigation, Navigation, Drainage and Flood Control Project. 	Capital	33,50,000		33,50,000
47	307	 Soil and Water Conservation and 283-Housing-C- Government Residential Buildings. 	Revenue	1,79,85,000		1,79,85,000
	(308	- Area and Development	Revenue	1,75,00,000		1,75,00,000
48	706	- Loans for Minor Irrigation, Soil Conservation and Area Development.	Capital			
49	310	- Animal Husbandry and 283- Housing-C-Government	Revenue	1,38,04,300		1,38,04,300
49	710	Residential Buildings. - Loans for Animal Husbandry.	Capital			

(1)		(2)		Su	(3) ms not exceedin	g
Grant No.		Services and purposes (Major Heads)		Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated	Total
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
50	311	- Dairy Development and 283- Housing-C-Government Residential Buildings.	Revenue	44,50,000		44,50,000
51	312	- Fisheries	Revenue	20,26,000		20,26,000
52	<pre></pre>	ForestsCapital Outlay on Forests	Revenue Capital	1,70,50,000 		1,70,50,000
53	314 314 314 314	 Community Development, 283- Housing-C-Government Residential Buildings and 288- Social Security and Welfare. Community Development-II-C- Rural Works Programme. 	Revenue	1,53,32,000		1,53,32,000
	714	 Loans for Community Development 	Capital			
	(320 520 522	 Industries Capital Outlay on Industrial Research and Development. Capital Outlay on Machinery 	Revenue	29,21,009		29,21,009
54	526 526 720	 Capital Outlay on Machinery and Engineering Industries. Capital Outlay on Consumer Industries. Loans of Industrial Research and Development. 	Capital	35,00,000		35,00,000
	(321 521	 Village and Small Industries-I- Handloom and Sericulture and 283-Housing-C-Government Residential Buildings. Capital Outlay on Village and) 	Revenue	59,06,000		59,06,000
55	698	Small Industries-I-Handloom and Sericulture. - Loans to Co-operative Societies.	Capital	20,000		20,000
	721	 Loans for Village and Small Industries-I-Handloom and Sericulture. 				

(1)		(2)		Su	(3) ms not exceedin	ıg
Grant No.		Services and purposes (Major Heads)		Voted by the Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated	Total
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	321	 Village and Small Industries – II-Small Industries. 	Revenue	80,59,000		80,59,000
56	521	- Capital Outlay on Village and Small Industries-II-Small Industries.	Control	5 45 000		5 45 000
	721	- Loans for Village and Small Industries –II-Small Industries.	Capital	5,45,000		5,45,000
57	{ 328	- Mines and Minerals-B- Regulation and Development of Mines.	Revenue	27,20,000		27,20,000
	528	- Capital Outlay on Mining and Metallurgical Industries.	Capital			
58	337	- Roads and Bridges	Revenue	2,47,50,000		2,47,50,000
58	537	- Capital Outlay on Roads and Bridges.	Capital	4,77,43,000		4,77,43,000
50	339	- Tourism	Revenue	16,07,000		16,07,000
59	544	- Capital Outlay on Other Transport and Communication Services.	Capital			
60	530	- Investment in Industrial Financial Institutions.	Capital			
	603	- Internal Debt of the State Government. (<i>Charged</i>)	Capital		98,80,000	98,80,000
	604	- Loans and Advances from the Central Government (<i>Charged</i>).	Capital		2,79,43,400	2,79,43,400
61	766	- Loans to Government Servants.	Capital	55,00,000		55,00,000
62	767	- Miscellaneous Loans	Capital			
63	768	- Inter-State Settlement	Capital	74,42,100		74,42,100
64	769	- Appropriation to Contingency Fund.	Capital			
		Total	•••	54,07,02,300	6,35,70,600	60,42,72,900

MEGHALAYA ACT 9 OF 1978

THE NATIONAL SPORTS CLUB OF ASSAM (TAKING-OVER OF MANAGEMENT) ACT, 1978.

(As passed by the Assembly)

[Received the assent of the Governor on the 9th August, 1978] (Published in the *Gazette of Meghalaya*, Extraordinary, dated 14th August, 1978)

An

Act

to provide for the taking-over of the management of the National Sports Club of Assam within the State of Meghalaya from the present Executive Committee and other committees of the Club and from the holders of offices of the Club for a limited period in the public interest and in order to secure the proper management of the Club and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

Short title and commencement	1.	(1) This Act may be called the National Sports Club of Assam (Taking over of Management) Act, 1978.
		(2) It shall be deemed to have come into force on the 2^{nd} day of June, 1978.
Definitions.	2.	In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires,-
		 (a) "appointed day" means the 3rd day of June 1978 (11,00 hours);
		(b) "Club" means the National Sports Club of Assam registered under the Societies Registration Act,1860.
		(c) "prescribed" means prescribed by rule made under this Act;
		(d) "State Government" or "Government" means the State Government of Meghalaya.
Transfer or the management of the Club to and vesting thereof in the State Government. 3. (1) On and from the appointed day, and for a period of five years thereafter, the management of, and the control over the Club within the State of Meghalaya shall be deemed to have been transferred to an to have vested in the State Government.

(2) On the transfer and vesting of the management of an control over, the Club to the State Government under sub-section (1),-

- (a) the Government Body, Executive Committee, Finance Committee, Games Committee, Regional Committee and any other Committee of the Club, the President, Vice-President, Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasurer and Trustees, if any, of the Club and all other persons in-charge of or holding any other offices in the management of and control over the affairs of the Club in any other capacity shall cease to exercise any power or function regarding management and control of the Club within the State of Meghalaya and the Governing Body and every such Committee shall, during the period this Act is in force, be deemed as if they have been dissolved and every person hereinbefore mentioned as if they have vacated their respective offices:
- (b) all properties, movable or immovable, and all rights, powers, privileges of the Club within the State of Meghalaya which immediately before the commencement of this Act belonged to the Club or any other Committee or persons holding any office mentioned in clause (a), or holding any other offices, shall, for the purposes of such management and control, vest in the State Government.
- 4. (1) The State Government may, for the purposes of management of and control over the Club and all its affairs the management and control of which have vested in the State Government under Section 3, from time to time, by orders in the Official Gazette, appoint such officer or officers of the State Government and /or Committee or Committees consisting of such officers of the Government and or other persons as members thereof to exercise such powers, duties and functions and for such period as may be specified in the Orders:

Management of and control over the Club and its affairs.

Preparation and submission of Statements and penalty for noncompliance.

Delivery of Books of Accounts, Registers and properties, etc, and penalty for noncompliance. Provided that the State Government may change the composition of any Committee at any time before the expiry of the term of the office of members.

(2) A person nominated as member to any Committee under sub-section (1) shall bold office at the pleasure of the Government and such person may resign from membership of the Committee by giving notice in writing to the State Government and shall, on such resignation being accepted by the State Government, has deemed to have ceased as member of the Committee.

5. (1) Notwithstanding anything in the preceding section, the Secretary, Assistant Secretary, the Treasurer and the Trustees, if any, of the Club, functioning as such immediately before the commencement of this Act shall prepare a statement in relation to all matters of the Club which the Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasurer or Trustees, if any, was required to deal with immediately before the commencement of this Act and submit the same, within a period of fifteen days from the date of commencement of this Act or within such further time as may be granted by the State Government from time to time to any officer of the State Government appointed by the State Government in this behalf.

(2) If any person, without any reasonable excuse knowingly and wilfully makes default in complying with the requirements of the preceding sub-section, he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to three months, or with fines which may extend to five hundred rupees or with both.

6. (1) Notwithstanding anything in section 4 of this Act, the Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasurer and Trustees, if any , of the Club, functioning as such immediately before the commencement of this Act, and any other person in custody of any books of accounts, registers, records, other documents or properties of and relating to the Club shall handover such custody to the Officers of the Government appointed under sub-section (1) of Section 5, within a period of one week from the date of his appointment or within such further time as may be granted by the Government in this behalf.

(2) If any person, without any reasonable excuse knowingly and wilfully makes default in complying with the requirements of the preceding sub-section, he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to six months or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with both.

Creation of the Sports Fund.	7.	The State Government may create and maintain in the manner prescribed a fund to be called the 'Sports Fund of the Club' into which shall be paid all receipts and income of the Club and out of which shall be met all expenses and disbursements of the Club.
Relinquishment of management of the Club.	8.	Upon the expiration of the period of five years from the appointed day, the management and control of the Club within the State of Meghalaya shall revert back to the Club or to an <i>ad-hoc</i> Committee constituted for the purposes:
		Provided that the State Government may, at any time before the expiration of the said period of five years, transfer back the management and control of the club to the Club or to an <i>ad-hoc</i> Committee constituted for the purpose.
Protection of action taken under the Act.	9.	(1) No suit, prosecution or other legal proceeding shall lie against any officer of the Government or member of any Committee in respect of anything which is in good faith done or intended to be done in pursuance of this Act.
		(2) No suit or other legal proceeding shall lie against the State Government, any Committee or any member thereof or any officer of the Government for any damage caused or likely to be caused by anything which in good faith done or intended to be done in pursuance of this Act.
Power to make rules.	10.	(1) The State Government may, by notification, make rules, to carry out the objects of this Act.
		(2) In particular, and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing powers, such rules may provide for –
		(a) the manner in which the Sports Fund of the Club shall be deposited or invested ;
		(b) the mode of authentication of orders for payment of money in and from the Sports Fund of the Club;
		(c) the form in which accounts of the Club and Sports Fund of the Club shall be kept and audited and publication of such accounts;
		(d) creation of the fund under Section 7;
		(e) the function of and the procedure to be followed by any Committee appointed under Section 4;

	(f) any other matters which are required to, or may, be prescribed.
Over-riding effect of the Act.	11. (1) The provisions of this Act and the rules framed thereunder shall have effect notwithstanding anything in the Societies Registration Act, 1850, or in the memorandum of Association or the Rules and Regulations of the Club.
	(2) During the period this Act is in force, no member of the Club shall exercise any right under Section 13 of the Societies Registration Act,1860.
Repeal of Ordinance 5 of 1973.	12. The National Sports Club of Assam (Taking over of Management) Ordinance, 1978 is hereby repealed.

MEGHALAYA ORDINANCE 1 OF 1978

THE MEGHALAYA MUNICIPAL (GARO HILLS AUTONOMOUS DISTRICT) ORDINANCE, 1978.

(Published in the *Gazette of Meghalaya*, Extraordinary, dated the 10th January 1978)

An

Ordinance

to provide for the constitution of municipalities in the Garo Hills Autonomous District and extension and application of the Meghalaya Municipal Act to the said District and for matters connected thereto.

Whereas the Legislature of the State of Meghalaya is not in session and the Governor of Meghalaya is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of Article 213 of the Constitution of India, the Governor is pleased to promulgate in the Twenty-eight Year of the Republic of India the following Ordinance, namely:-

1. Short title and extend,- (1) This Ordinance may be called the Meghalaya Municipal (Garo Hills Autonomous District) Ordinance, 1978.

(2) It shall extend to the Garo Hills Autonomous District.

2. Constitution of municipalities in the Autonomous District- Notwithstanding anything contained in any other law the State Government may, on the recommendation of the District Council of the Garo Hills Autonomous District, constitute any area of the said Autonomous District as a municipality, or declare any area within such District to be a notified area and establish a Town Committee for the notified area, under the provisions of the Meghalaya Municipal Act (Assam Act XV of the 1957 as adapted by Meghalaya) and apply all or any of the provisions of the said Act or the rules made thereunder as may be specified in the notification to the municipality or town committee so constituted or established and to the area or areas comprising within the said municipality or town committee.

Raj Bhavan, Shillong, the 7th January,1978. LALLAN PRASAD SINGH, Governor of Meghalaya.

MEGHALAYA ORDINANCE 2 OF 1978

THE MEGHALAYA CONTINGENCY FUND (AUGMENTATION OF CORPUS) ORDINANCE, 1978.

An

Ordinance

to augment temporarily the Corpus of the contingency Fund of Meghalaya

WHEREAS, the Legislative Assembly of Meghalaya is not in Session;

AND, WHEREAS, the Governor is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action to augment temporarily the Contingency Fund of Meghalaya.

FOR, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of Article 213 of the Constitution, of India, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to promulgate in the Twenty-ninth Year of the Republic of India the following Ordinance, namely:-

1. *Short title and commencement.* - (1) This Ordinance may be called Meghalaya Contingency Fund (Augmentation of Corpus) Ordinance, 1978.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. Further payment into the Contingency Fund.- There shall be paid by the Government of Meghalaya into the Contingency Fund of Meghalaya a further sum of Rupees three crores and twenty-five lakhs out of the revenue of the State of Meghalaya for the financial year 1977-78.

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3. *Re-transfer of Rupees three crores and twenty-five lakhs from Contingency Fund to Consolidated Fund.*-A sum of Rupees three crores and twenty-five lakhs shall be re-transferred from the Contingency Fund to the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya on or before the 31st March, 1978.

Raj Bhavan, SHILLONG, the 21st February,1978. LALLAN PRASAD SINGH, Governor of Meghalaya.

MEGHALAYA ORDINANCE 3 OF 1978

THE MEGHALAYA APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE, 1978

An

Ordinance

to authorise payment and appropriation of certain further sums from and out of the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya for the services of the Financial year, 1977-78.

WHEREAS, the Legislative Assembly of Meghalaya is not in Session;

AND, WHEREAS, the Governor is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action to authorise payment and appropriation of certain further sums from and out of the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of Article 213 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to promulgate in the Twenty-ninth Year of the Republic of India, the following Ordinance, namely:-

1. *Short title and commencement.*-(1) This ordinance may be called the Meghalaya Appropriation Ordinance, 1978.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. Withdrawal of Rupees three crores ad twenty-five lakhs from and out of Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya for the Financial year 1977-78.- From and out of the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya , there shall be paid and applied sums not exceeding those specified in column (2) of the Schedule amounting in the aggregate to the sum of Rupees three crores and twenty-five lakhs towards defraying the several charge, which will come in course of payment during the financial year 1977-78 in respect of the services specified in column (1) of the Schedule.

3. *Appropriation:*- The sums authorised to be paid and applied from and out of the Consolidated Fund of Meghalaya by this Ordinance shall be appropriated for the services and purposes expressed in the Schedule in relation to the said year.

SCHEDULE

Services and purpose by Major Heads	Sums no exceeding
769-Appropriation to the Contingency Fund.	Rs.3, 25, 00,000

RAJ BHAVAN, SHILLONG, LALLAN PRASAD SINGH, Governor of Meghalaya.

The 21st February, 1978.

MEGHALAYA ORDINANCE 4 OF 1978

THE MEGHALAYA FINANCE (SALES TAX) (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 1978

An

Ordinance

further to amend the Meghalaya Finance (Sales Tax) Act (Assam Act XI of 1956 as adapted by Meghalaya), hereinafter referred to as principal Act.

WHEREAS, the legislative Assembly of Meghalaya is not in session;

AND, WHEREAS, the Governor of Meghalaya is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action.

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of Article 213 of the Constitution of India, the Governor is pleased to promulgate in the Twenty-ninth Year of the Republic of India, the following Ordinance, namely:-

1. *Short title, extent and commencement.*- (1) This Ordinance may be called the Meghalaya Finance (Sales Tax) (Amendment) Ordinance 1978.

(2) It shall have the like extent as the principal Act.

(3) It shall come into force at once.

2. Amendment of the Schedule to the principal Act.- In the Schedule to the principal Act.

(i) Between the existing items 9 and 10,the following shall be inserted as item 10,namely:-

"10. Motor cars......7 paise in the rupee"

- (ii) the existing items 10 shall be re-numbered as item 10A and for the words "including motor cars" occurring between the words "motor vehicles" and "motor taxi" the words "excluding motor cars but including" shall be substituted;
- (iii) the existing item 10A shall be renumbered as item 10B.

RAJ BHAVAN, SHILLONG, LALLAN PRASAD SINGH, Governor of Meghalaya.

The 21st February, 1978.

ORDINANCE NO.5 OF 1978

THE NATIONAL SPORTS CLUB OF ASSAM (TAKING OVER OF MANAGEMENT) ORDINANCE, 1978.

(Promulgated by the Governor on the 2nd June, 1978)

(Published in the *Gazette of Meghalaya*, Extraordinary issue, dated the 2nd June, 1978)

An

Ordinance

to provide for the taking over of the management of the National Sports Club of Assam within the State of Meghalaya from the present Executive Committee and other committees of the Club and from the holders of offices of the Club for a limited period in the public interest and in order to secure the proper management of the Club and for matters connected therewith on incidental thereto.

WHEREAS the Legislature of Meghalaya is not in Session and the Governor is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action;

AND, WHEREAS, the instructions of the President under the proviso to clause (1) of article 213 of the Constitution have been obtained;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Governor is pleased, in exercise of powers conferred by clause (1) of 213 of the Constitution, to promulgate in the Twenty-ninth Year of the Republic of India the following Ordinance, namely:-

1. **Short title and commencement.-** (1) This Ordinance may be called the National Sports Club of Assam (Taking over of Management) Ordinance, 1978.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. Definitions.-In this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires,-

- (a) "appointed day" means the date appointed under sub-section (1) of Section 3 of this Ordinance;
- (b) "Club" means the National Sports Club of Assam registered under the Societies Registration Act, 1860.
- (c) "prescribed" means prescribed by rules made under this Ordinance;
- (d) "State Government" or "Government" means the State Government of Meghalaya.

3. Transfer of the management of the Club to and vesting thereof in the State Government. - (1) On and from such date as the State Government may by notification published in the official Gazette, appoint in this behalf, and for a period for five years thereafter the management of , and the control over the Club and all the affairs of the Club within the State of Meghalaya shall stand transferred to and vested in the State Government.

(2) On the transfer and vesting of the management of, and control over, the Club to the State Government under sub-section (1),-

(a) The Governing Body, Executive Committee, Finance Committee, Games Committee, Regional Committee and any other Committee of the Club, the President, Vice-President, Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasury and Trustees, if any, of the Club and other persons in-charge of or holding any other offices in the management of an control over the affairs offices in the management of and control over the affairs of Club in any other capacity shall cease to exercise any power or function regarding management and control of the Club within the State of Meghalaya and the Governing Body and every such Committee shall, during the period this Ordinance is in force, be deemed as if they have been dissolved and every person hereinbefore mentioned as if they have vacated their respective offices ; (b) All properties movable or immovable, and all rights, power privileges of the Club within the State of Meghalaya which immediately before the commencement of this Ordinances belonged to the Club or any other Committee or persons holding any office mentioned in clause (a), or holding any other officers, shall, for the purposes of such management and control, vest, in the State Government.

4. Management of and control over the club and its affairs.-(I) The State Government may, for the purposes of management of and control over the club and all its affairs, the management and control of which have vested in the State Government under Section 3, from time to time by orders in the Official Gazette, appoint such officer or officer of the State Government and /or Committee or Committees consisting of such officers of the Government and /or other persons as members thereof to exercise such powers, duties and functions and for such period as may be specified in the Orders:

Provided that the State Government may changed the composition of any Committee at any time before the expiry of the term of the office of members.

(2) A persons nominated as member to any Committee under sub-section (1) shall hold office at the please of the Government and such person may resign from membership of the committee by giving notice in writing to the State Government and shall, on such resignation being accepted by the State Government, has deemed to have ceased as member of the Committee.

Preparation and submission of statements and penalty for non-compliance. Notwithstanding anything in the preceding section, the Secretary, Assistant Secretary, the Treasurer and the Trustees, if any of the Club, functioning as such immediately before the commencement of this Ordinance shall prepare a statement in relation to all matters of the Club which the Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasurer or Trustee if any, was required to deal with immediately before the commencement of this Ordinance and submit the same, within a period the commencement of this Ordinance and submit the same, within a period of fifteen days from the date of commencement of this Ordinance or within such further time as may be granted by the State Government from time to time to any officer of the State Government appointed by the State Government appointed in this behalf.

(2) If any person, without any reasonable excuse knowingly and willfully makes default in complying with the requirements of the preceding sub-section, he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to three months, or with fines which may extend to five hundred rupees or with both.

6. Delivery of books of Accounts, Registers and properties, etc, and penalty for noncompliance.- (1) Notwithstanding anything in Section 4 of this Ordinance, the Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasurer and Trustees, if any of the Club functioning as such immediately before the commencement of this Ordinance, and any other person in custody of any books of accounts, registers, records, other documents or properties of and relating to the Club shall handover such custody to the officer of the Government appointed under sub-section (1) Section 5, within a period of one week from the date of his appointment or within such further time as may be granted by the Government on this behalf.

(2) If any person, without any reasonable excuse knowingly and willfully makes default in complying with the requirements of the preceding sub-section, he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to six months or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with both.

7. Creation of the Sports Fund. - The State Government may create and maintain in the manner prescribed a fund to be called the 'Sports Fund of the Club into which shall be paid all receipts and income of the Club and out of which shall be meet all expenses and disbursements of the Club.

8. Relinquishment of management of the Club.- Upon the expiration of the period of five years from the appointed day, the management and control of the Club within the State of Meghalaya shall revert back to the Club or to an *Ad hoc* Committee constituted for purpose:

Provided that the State Government may, at any time before the expiration of the said period of five years, transfer back the management and control of the Club to the Club or to and *Ad hoc* committee constituted for the purpose.

Protection of action taken under the Ordinance.- (1) No suit, prosecution or other legal proceeding shall lie against any officer of the Government or member of any Committee in respect of anything which is in good faith done or intended to be done in pursuance of this Ordinance.

(2) No suit or other legal proceeding shall lie against the State Government, any Committee or any member thereof or any officer of the Government for any damage caused or likely to be caused by anything which is in good faith done or intended to be done in pursuance of this Ordinance.

10. Power to make rules.- (1) The State Government may, by notification, make rules, to carry out the objects of this Ordinance.

(2) In particular, and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing powers, such rules may provide for-

- (a) the manner in which the Sports Fund of the Club shall be deposited or invested;
- (b) the mode of authentication of order for payment of money in and from the Sports Fund of the Club;
- (c) the form in which accounts of Club and the Sports Fund of the Club shall be kept and audited and publication of such accounts;
- (d) creation of the fund under Section 7;
- (e) the functions of and the procedure to be followed by any Committee appointed under Section ;

(f) any other matter which are required to, or may, be prescribed.

11. **Over-riding effect of the Ordinance. -** (1) The provision of this Ordinance and the rules framed thereunder shall have effect notwithstanding anything in the Societies Registration Act, 1860, or in the Memorandum of Association or the Rules and Regulation of the Club.'

(2) During the period this Ordinance is in force, no member of the Club shall exercise any right under Session 13 of the Societies Registration Act, 1860.

Camp New Delhi: The 2nd June, 1978. LALLAN PRASAD SINGH, Governor of Meghalaya.

MEGHALAYA ORDINANCE 6 OF 1978

THE CONTINGENCY FUND OF MEGHALAYA (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 1978

An

Ordinance

further to amend the Contingency Fund of Meghalaya Act, 1972

Whereas, the Legislative of the State of Meghalaya is not in Session and the Governor of Meghalaya is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action for amending the Contingency Fund of Meghalaya Act, 1972.

Now therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of the Article 213 of the Constitution of India, the Governor is pleased to promulgate in the Twenty-ninth Year of the Republic of India the following Ordinance, namely:-

1. *Short title and commencement.* - (1) This Ordinance may be called the Contingency Fund of Meghalaya (Amendment) Ordinance, 1978.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. Amendment of Section 2 of Meghalaya Act 5 of 1978.- In Section 2 of the Contingency Fund of Meghalaya, 1972 for the words "a sum of rupees fifty lakhs" the words "a sum of rupees one crore and fifty lakhs" shall be substituted.

[*Explanation.-* The aforesaid sum of rupees one crore and fifty lakhs includes the sum of rupees twenty-five lakhs paid to the Contingency Fund of Meghalaya under the Contingency Fund of Meghalaya (Augmentation of Corpus) Act, 1974 (10 of 1074)].

RAJ BHAVAN, SHILLONG, The 22nd September, 1978. LALLAN PRASAD SINGH, Governor of Meghalaya.

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