

**THE
NOISE POLLUTION
(REGULATION AND CONTROL) RULES,
2000;**

THE NOISE POLLUTION (REGULATION & CONTROL) RULES, 2000;

- ❖ The Noise Pollution (l Regulation and Contro) Rules, 2000
(S.O. 123 dated 14/02/2000)

- (1) S.O.1046 dated 22/11/2000**
- (2) S.O.1088 dated 11/10/2002**
- (3) S.O.1569 dated 19/09/2006 &**
- (4) S.O. 50 dated 11/01/2010**

(please refer website of MOEF www.envfor.nic.in for the above central gazettes)

Notifications issued by the Department of STE, Govt. of Goa under the aforesaid Rules are as under;

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- ♦ Corrigendum to the List of “**Authority**” published in Official Gazette SERIES II No. 34 dated 18/11/2010;(Shri Sandeep Jacques,Collector(South)
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- ♦ Corrigendum to the List of **“Authority”** published in Official Gazette SERIES II No. 34 dated 18/11/2010;(Shri Vaman Tari, SP South)
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OFFICIAL GAZETTE
Government of Goa

SERIES II NO. 37

13th DECEMBER, 2007

Department of Science, Technology & Environment.

Notification

[No.7/4/98/STE/DIR/Part I/922](#)

Read: Notification No. 2/51/2000/-HD (G)/Vol. I dated 21/09/2000 published Official Gazette (Extraordinary) Series II No. 25 dated 22/09/2000.

In supersession of the above read notification and in pursuance of clause (c) of rule 2 of Noise Pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000 (hereinafter called the “said Rules”), the Government of Goa hereby designates the following officers as “authority” for the maintenance of the ambient air quality standards in respect of noise under the said Rules, with immediate effect: -

Sr. No.	Designation of the Officer
(1)	Collector & District Magistrate, North Goa, Panaji.
(2)	Collector & District Magistrate, South Goa, Margao.
(3)	Addl. Collector-(I) & Addl. District Magistrate, North Goa, Panaji.
(4)	Addl. Collector-(I) & Addl. District Magistrate, South Goa, Margao.
(5)	Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Tiswadi, Panaji.
(6)	Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Ponda.
(7)	Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Bardez, Mapusa.
(8)	Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Bicholim.
(9)	Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Pernem.

- (10) Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Salcete, Margao.
- (11) Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Mormugao, Vasco.
- (12) Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Quepem.
- [(12a) Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Canacona.]¹
- (13) Superintendent of Police (North Goa), Panaji.
- (14) Superintendent of Police (South Goa), Margao.
- (15) Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Tiswadi, Panaji.
- (16) Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Ponda.
- (17) Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Salcete, Margao.
- (18) Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Mormugao, Vasco.
- (19) Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Mapusa –I for Pernem, Mapusa & Anjuna Police Stations.
- (20) Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Mapusa –II for Calangute & Porvorim Police Stations.
- (21) Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Quepem.
- (22) Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Bicholim.

By order and in the name
of the Governor of Goa.

Sd/-

(Michael M. D'Souza)

Director/Ex-Officio Jt. Secretary(STE)

4th December, 2007

(1) In the Notification above, after Sr. No.(12) and before sr. no. (13) new sr. No. (12a) is inserted as at (1) above vide addendum in (Series II No.44 dated 28/01/2010).

OFFICIAL GAZETTE
Government of Goa

SERIES II NO. 15

EXTRAORDINARY No. 5

15th JULY, 2008

Department of Science, Technology & Environment.

No.7/4/98/STE/DIR/Part I/557

NOTIFICATION

In pursuance of Rule 3 (2) of the Noise Pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000 (said rules), Government of Goa, hereby notifies the categorization of areas in the State of Goa into Industrial, Commercial and Residential or Silence Areas/Zones, for the purpose of implementation of Noise standards for different areas.

Area Code	Category of Area / Zone
A	<u>Industrial Areas:</u> All areas, which are included within the industrial estates, mining areas, barge loading facilities and related activity, jetties along the riverfronts and all other Industries / Industrial Areas not falling within the above specified areas and zoned as Industrial as per the Regional Plan, 2001 notified by Town and Country Planning Department, Government of Goa, shall be categorized as Industrial Area. For the purpose of designating a specific area to be an Industrial zone, the Department of Science, Technology & Environment, in consultation with Directorate of Industries, Trade & Commerce, Department of Tourism and Goa State Pollution Control Board shall within six months from the date of this Notification identify the areas falling within and designate on a map Industrial zone having regard to the predominant character of the locality.

B & C	<u>Commercial Area and Residential Area :</u> All areas which are declared as Commercial/Residential (Settlement Zones) as per the Regional Plan, 2001 or the Outline Development Plans for the respective urban areas in the State of Goa, notified by Town and Country Planning Department, Government of Goa, shall be categorized as Commercial / Residential Areas. For the purpose of designating a specific area to be Commercial/Residential Area/zone, the ‘Authority’ shall within six months from the date of this Notification survey the area falling within his jurisdiction and designate on a map Commercial/ Residential Area /zones or a mixed category area, having regard to the predominant character of the locality. For the purpose of identifying a specific area to be Commercial/Residential Zone for the purpose of permissions under Rule 5(1) of the said rules, the ‘Authority’ shall examine and survey the area concerned and permit the use of Loudspeaker/ Public Address System, on case to case basis, after satisfying himself that the specific area is substantially Commercial or substantially Residential as the case may be. For this purpose the ‘Authority’ shall accept an application from any ‘person’ desirous to use Loudspeaker/Public Address System, 03 (three) days prior, to enable the ‘Authority’ to carryout the site inspection and survey, failing which the ‘Authority’ shall not accept the application.
D	<u>Silence Zone:</u> All areas comprising not less than 100 meters around hospitals, educational institution, courts, religious places, wildlife sanctuaries, reserve forests, turtle nesting sites, Heritage/Archeological sites of State/National/ International importance and all areas which are identified to be falling within the silence zone as identified by Road Transport Authority, Department of Transport, Government of Goa shall be categorized as Silence Zone. For the purpose of designating a specific area to be Silence zone, the ‘Authority’ shall within six months from the date of this Notification survey the area falling within his jurisdiction and designate on a map Silence zone having regard to the predominant character of the locality.

The ‘Authority’ (as notified vide Notification No.7/4/98/STE-DIR/Part-I/922 dated 04/12/2007, Sr. No. 01 to 12) as listed below, shall carry out the survey to designate the specified areas / zones viz. ‘B’, ‘C’ and ‘D’ and maintain the limits of sound for all areas /zones as prescribed in the schedule to said rules.

- (1) The District Collector, Collectorate (North), Panaji-Goa.
- (2) The District Collector, Collectorate (South), Margao-Goa.
- (3) The Additional Collector (I) and Addl. District Magistrate, North Goa, Panaji.
- (4) The Additional Collector (I) and Addl. District Magistrate, South Goa, Margao-Goa.
- (5) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Tiswadi, Panaji-Goa.
- (6) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Ponda-Goa.
- (7) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Bardez, Mapusa-Goa.

- (8) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Bicholim-Goa.
- (9) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Pernem-Goa.
- (10) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Salcete-Goa.
- (11) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Mormugao, Vasco-Goa.
- (12) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Quepem-Goa.
- [(13) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Canacona-Goa.}]¹

By Order and in the name of the Governor of
Goa

sd/-

(Michael M. D'Souza)

Saligao, 14th July, 2008.

Director /Ex-Officio, Jt. Secretary (STE)

(1) In the Notification above, in the last para after Sr. No.(12) new sr. no. (13) is inserted as at (1) above vide addendum in (Series II No.44 dated 28/01/2010).

OFFICIAL GAZETTE
Government of Goa

SERIES II NO. 34

18th November, 2010

Department of Science, Technology & Environment

No.7/4/98/STE/DIR/Part III/1402

Read : (i) Notification No.7/4/98/STE-DIR/Part I/922 dated 04/12/2007.
(ii) Addendum No. 7/4/98/STE-DIR/Part I/1545 dated 15/01/2010.

ORDER

Vide above read Notifications, the Government of Goa, in pursuance of clause (c) of Rule 2 of the Noise Pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000 (hereinafter called the “said Rules”), has designated various Officers as ‘Authority’ for the maintenance of the ambient air quality standards in respect of noise under the said Rules.

2. The Hon’ble High Court of Bombay at Goa, Panaji vide its directives in MCA No. 588 of 2010 in *Suo Motu Writ Petition No. 4 of 2006 (The Citizens Committee on Noise Pollution v/s State of Goa)*; has directed that the list of the Officers designated as ‘Authority’ under the said Rules, should be published for information of the public alongwith details of their telephone numbers.

3. In pursuance of the directives of the Hon’ble High Court, Department of Science, Technology & Environment; hereby publishes the names and telephone numbers of the Officers designated as ‘Authority’ under the said Rules, for general information of the public.

Sr. No	Name and Designation of the Officer	Office Tel. No.	Residence Tel. No.	Fax No.	Mobile No.
1.	Mr. Mihir Vardhan Collector & District Magistrate, North Goa, Panaji.	2223612 2225383 2427690 2225083	2420710	2426492	9822123071

2.	(Mr. Sandip Jacques Collector & District Magistrate, South Goa, Margao.	2705333 2702699 2737566 2714907	-	2733026	9422439439) ¹
3.	Mr. Narayan Sawant Addl. Collector-(I) & Addl. District Magistrate, North Goa, Panaji.	2223418 2225383	2742751	2426492	9423313662
4.	Mr. Prasanna Acharya Addl. Collector-(I) & Addl. District Magistrate, South Goa, Margao.	2714453	2751102	2733026	9422388201
5.	Mr. Sabaji Shetye Dy. Collector &Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Tiswadi, Panaji.	2225511	2417838	2225511	9422057531
6.	Mr. Jayant G. Tari Dy. Collector &Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Ponda.	2312469 2311498	2431243	2312469	9822135285
7.	Mr. D. M. Redkar Dy. Collector &Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Bardez, Mapusa.	2262038 2250398	2240200	2262038	9422456712
8.	Mr. N. M. Gad Dy. Collector &Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Bicholim.	2362058 2360254	2420369	2362058	9822177680
9.	Mr. R. D. Mirajkar Dy. Collector &Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Pernem.	2201142	2414398	2201142	9423324140
10.	Mr. Johnson Fernandes Dy. Collector &Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Salcette, Margao.	2730971	2651599	2730971	9423323127

(1) In the Order above, Sr. No. (2) in the Table is substituted as at (1) vide corrigendum in (Series II No.44 dated 28/01/2010).

11.	Mr. Levinson J. Martins Dy. Collector &Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Mormugao, Vasco	2512688 2500565	2773159	2512688	9822140087
12.	Mr. Agnelo Fernandes Dy. Collector &Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Quepem.	2662228 2662241	2663980	2662228	9822151810
13.	Mr. Shiv Kumar Dy. Collector &Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Canacona.	2643696	-	2643696	9373866515
14.	Mr. A.K. Gawas Superintendent of Police (North Goa), Panaji.	2416100	2426787 2255556	2416243	9822125811
15.	[Mr. Jose Allen F. D'Sa Superintendent of Police (South Goa), Margao.	2732218	2415131	2733864	9970068299] ²
16.	Mr. Deu Banaulikar Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Tiswadi, Panaji.	2226519	2413746	2226519	9822387746
17.	Mr. Serafin Dias Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Ponda.	2317978	2413352	2317978	9822128737
18.	Mr. Umesh Gaonkar Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Salcette, Margao.	2714449 2710656 2714449	2713137	2714449	9822144466
19.	Mr. Mahesh Gaonkar Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Mormugao, Vasco.	2500222	-	2500222	9422438111

(2) In the Order above, Sr. No. (15) in the Table is substituted as at (2) above vide corrigendum (Series II No.18 dated 04/08/2011).

20.	Mr. Sammy Tavares Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Mapusa-I for Pernem, Mapusa & Anjuna Police Stations.	2262207	2764105	2262207	9923284147
21.	Mr. P.L. Mapari Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Mapusa-II for Calangute & Porvorim Police Stations.	2412723	2412692	2412723	9923472692
22.	Mr. Rohidas Patre Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Quepem.	2663900	2251136	2663900	9923224676
23.	Mr. Bossuet D'Silva Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Bicholim.	2363737	2712980 2714785	2363737	9822486060

*By order and in the name of the Governor of
Goa,
Sd/-
(Michael M. D'Souza)
Director / Ex-officio Jt. Secy. (STE)*

Dated: 12th November, 2010.

OFFICIAL GAZETTE
Government of Goa

SERIES II NO. 44

21st January, 2011

Department of Science, Technology & Environment

No. 7 / 4 / 98 / STE / DIR / Part I / 1799

ORDER

In pursuance of the sub-rule (3) of Rule 5 of the Noise Pollution (Regulation & Control) Rules, 2000, the Government of Goa is pleased to direct the “authority” specified in the Government Notification No.7/4/98/STE/DIR/Part I/922 dated 04-12-2007, published in the Official Gazette, Series II No. 37 dated 13-12-2007, and Notification No.7/4/98/STE/DIR/Part I/1545 dated 15-01-2010, to permit the use of loudspeakers or public address system during night hours (between 10.00 p.m. to 12.00 midnight) during the year 2011, on the days specified in the Schedule hereto, throughout the State of Goa.

“Terms and conditions for issue of permission.

1. The permission shall be granted only on a case-to-case basis, in response to a specific application made by the concerned Village Panchayat, Municipal Corporation/Municipal Council or an individual.
2. The provisions of the Noise Pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000 shall be strictly complied with.
3. The ‘authority’ concerned shall monitor the noise levels during the permitted festive occasion and take prompt remedial action in the event of any violation of the same and of above conditions.”

SCHEDULE

Sr. No.	Cultural/Religious Festive occasion	Date
1.	Carnival	6 th March, 2011
2.	Holi	19 th March, 2011
3.	Easter Eve	23 rd April, 2011
4.	Ganesh Chaturthi (2 nd day of idol immersion)	2 nd September, 2011
5.	Ganesh Chaturthi (5 th day of idol immersion)	5 th September, 2011
6.	Ganesh Chaturthi (11 th day of idol immersion)	11 th September, 2011
7.	Navaratri (last day of Navaratri)	5 th October, 2011
8.	Kojagiri Poornima	11 th October, 2011
9.	Diwali Eve	25 th October, 2011
10.	Tripurari /Kartiki Poornima	10 th November, 2011
11.	Eve of 50 th Goa Liberation Day	18 th December, 2011
12.	50 th Goa Liberation Day	19 th December, 2011
13.	Christmas Eve	24 th December, 2011
14.	Christmas	25 th December, 2011
15.	New Year's Eve	31 st December, 2011

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Sd/-

(Michael M. D'Souza)

Director/Ex-officio Jt. Secy. (STE)

Saligao, 21st January, 2011

OFFICIAL GAZETTE

Government of Goa

SERIES II NO. 11

16th June, 2011

Department of Science, Technology & Environment

No. 7 / 4 / 98 / STE / DIR / Part I / 290

- Read : (1) Order No.7/4/98/STE/DIR/Part III/1402 dated 12/11/2010 published in Official Gazette Series II No. 34 dated 18/11/2010.
- (2) Order No.6/11/2009-PER dated 18/05/2011 of the Personnel Department, Secretariat.

Corrigendum

Pursuant to the Order dated 18/05/2011, read at (2) above; the entry at Sr. No. (2) in the Table in para (3) of the order dated 12/11/2010, read at (1) above, shall be read as follows :-

Sr. No.	Name and Designation of the Officer	Office Tel. No.	Residence Tel. No.	Fax No.	Mobile No.
"2.	Mr. Sandip Jacques Collector & District Magistrate, South Goa, Margao.	2705333 2702699 2737566 2714907	---	2733026	9422439439"

Saligao, 7th June, 2011.

Sd/-
(Michael M. D'Souza)
**Director (STE) & Ex-officio
Jt. Secretary to Government.**

OFFICIAL GAZETTE

Government of Goa

SERIES II NO. 18

4th August, 2011

Department of Science, Technology & Environment

No. 7 / 4 / 98 / STE / DIR / Part I / 585

- Read : (1) Order No.7/4/98/STE/DIR/Part III/1402 dated 12/11/2010 published in Official Gazette Series II No. 34 dated 18/11/2010.**
- (2) Order No.22/8/2007-PER dated 13/07/2011 of the Personnel Department, Secretariat.**

Corrigendum

Pursuant to the Order dated 13/07/2011, read at (2) above; the entry at Sr. No. (15) in the Table in para (3) of the order dated 12/11/2010, read at (1) above, shall be read as follows :-

Sr. No.	Name and Designation of the Officer	Office Tel. No.	Residence Tel. No.	Fax No.	Mobile No.
"15.	Mr. Vaman Tari Superintendent of Police, South Goa, Margao.	2732218	2736521	2733864	9822154003"

sd/-

(Michael M. D'Souza)
**Director (STE) & Ex-officio
Jt. Secretary to Government.**

Saligao, 1st August, 2011

OFFICIAL GAZETTE

Government of Goa

SERIES III NO. 23

8th September, 2011

No.7/4/98/STE-DIR/Part II/743

DIRECTIONS UNDER SECTION 5 OF THE ENVIRONMENT (PROTECTION) ACT, 1986 (CENTRAL ACT, 29 OF 1986).

Whereas, it was brought to the notice of the Department of Science, Technology & Environment (DSTE), Government of Goa, by Shri Antonio D'Souza & others, of the Citizen's Committee on Noise Pollution that various fireworks/fire crackers available in open market in the State of Goa, exceed the permissible noise levels when exploded;

Whereas, the findings and report contained in the complaint of the Citizen's Committee on Noise Pollution, indicate that some of the brands of rassi bombs, serial crackers and several aerial crackers exceed the maximum permissible noise limits as prescribed under the Environment (Protection) (Second Amendment) Rules, 1999 issued by MoEF vide G.S.R. 682 (E) dated 05/10/1999;

Whereas, DSTE, Government of Goa, issued directions to the Goa State Pollution Control Board (GSPCB) to conduct a verification exercise of commonly available fireworks/firecrackers as regards their Noise levels and submit a report thereon;

Whereas, the said task was carried out by the GSPCB through a laboratory empanelled by MoEF and recognised under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986;

Whereas, the GSPCB submitted a report which indicates that presently three (03) varieties/brands of fireworks namely :-

- (i) Ajanta Fire Works (Cheetos)
- (ii) Shri Daivam Fire Works, Shivkashi (2000 wala);and
- (iii) Coronation Booth (Lavangi)

are exceeding the noise levels as prescribed in the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986 (as amended). So also, the packagings of fireworks/firecrackers, in general, neither indicate the noise levels in decibel units nor indicate their chemical composition;

Whereas, such fireworks/firecrackers listed above are put up for display and sale in various permanent establishments across the State more particularly during the Ganesh Chaturthi festival / Diwali festival / Christmas festival and New Year festivities;

Whereas, ignition of such fireworks, fire crackers, serial crackers & several aerial crackers not only causes noise pollution but also cause the release of toxic emissions that have an adverse effect on human health in particular and on the environment in general.

Further most of the brands do not indicate the optimum noise levels (in decibels) which the fire crackers emit when exploded, on their packaging/wrapper/cartoon.

Whereas, the Government of Goa, after taking into consideration the effect of the ignition of such firecrackers on public health and the likely adverse effects on the environment, is of the view that such fireworks/firecrackers not conforming with the standards as prescribed under Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986 (as amended); should not be sold or used in any part in the State of Goa;

Whereas, it is expedient and in public interest, that Government of Goa issues such appropriate directions to ban the import, stocking, sale and usage of such fireworks/firecrackers in the State of Goa;

Whereas, it would be appropriate to issue such directions to the District Level Authorities competent to take such measures, to ensure that the import, stocking, sale and usage of the prescribed fireworks/firecrackers in the State is stopped forthwith;

Now therefore, by virtue of the powers conferred under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986; vide Notification No. S. O. 881 (E) dated 22 / 09 / 1988; by the Ministry of Environment & Forests (MoEF), Government of India; the Government of Goa hereby directs;

- (a) The Collector and District Magistrate of both the Districts should ensure, with directions to all the Authorities/Departments concerned, that there is no stocking/storage, display, sale and usage of such fireworks /firecrackers, not conforming with the stipulated noise standards viz:- (i) Ajanta Fire Works (Cheetos), (ii) Shri Daivam Fire Works, Shivkashi (2000 wala) and (iii) Coronation Booth (Lavangi). They are also required to conduct inspections and order closure of such establishments who continue to display and conduct sale of such fireworks/firecrackers.
- (b) The Collector and District Magistrate of both the Districts should ensure, with directions informing the manufacturers of the various brands of fireworks/firecrackers which are sold in the State of Goa to display in bold letters the decibel levels of the optimum noise emitted when the firecrackers are ignited/exploded.

**By order and in the name of the
Governor of Goa**

Sd/-

(Michael M. D'Souza)

Director/Ex-Officio Jt. Secretary (STE)

Dated: 30th August, 2011

OFFICIAL GAZETTE

Government of Goa

SERIES II NO. 31

3rd November, 2011

Notification

No.7/4/98/STE/DIR/Part I/988

Read : (1) Order No.7/4/98/STE/DIR/Part III/1402 dated 12/11/2010 published in Official Gazette Series II No. 34 dated 18/11/2010.

(2) Order No.6/12/2011-PER dated 27/09/2011 of the Personnel Department, Secretariat.

Corrigendum

Pursuant to the Order dated 27/09/2011, read at (2) above; the entries from Sr. No. (5) to Sr. No. (12) in the Table in para (3) of the order dated 12/11/2010, read at (1) above, shall be read as follows :-

Sr. No.	Name and Designation of the Officer	Office Tel. No.	Residence Tel. No.	Fax No.	Mobile No.
“5.	Mr. Agnelo Fernandes Dy Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Tiswadi, Panaji.	2225511	2663980	2225511	9822151810
6.	Mr. Johnson B. Fernandes Dy Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Ponda.	2312469 2311498	2651599	2312469	9423323127
7.	Mr. Jayant G. Tari Dy Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Bardez, Mapusa.	2262038 2250398	2431243	2262038	9822135285
8.	Mr. Levinson J. Martins Dy Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Bicholim.	2362058 2360254	2773159	2362058	9822140087
9.	Mr. Ajit N. Panchawadkar Dy Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Pernem.	2201142	2757352	2201142	8007392020
10.	Mr. Dasharath M. Redkar Dy Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Salcete, Margao.	2730971	2240200	2730971	9422456712
11.	Mr. Sabaji P. Shetye Dy Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Mormugao, Vasco.	2512688 2500565	2417838	2512688	9422057531
12.	Mr. Rajendra D. Mirajkar Dy Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Quepem.	2662228 2662241	2414398	2662228	9423324140”

Sd./-

(Michael M. D'Souza)

**Director (STE) & Ex-officio
Jt. Secretary to Government.**

Dated : 27th October, 2011

OFFICIAL GAZETTE

GOVERNMENT OF GOA

SERIES II NO. 46

16th February, 2012

Department of Science, Technology & Environment

ORDER

No. 7 / 4 / 98 / STE / DIR / Part I /1799

In pursuance of the sub-rule (3) of Rule 5 of the Noise Pollution (Regulation & Control) Rules, 2000, the Government of Goa is pleased to direct the “authority” specified in the Government Notification No.7/4/98/STE/DIR/Part I/922 dated 04-12-2007, published in the Official Gazette, Series II No. 37 dated 13-12-2007, and Notification No.7/4/98/STE/DIR/Part I/1545 dated 15-01-2010, to permit the use of loudspeakers or public address system during night hours (between 10.00 p.m. to 12.00 midnight) during the year 2011, on the days specified in the Schedule hereto, throughout the State of Goa.

“Terms and conditions for issue of permission.

4. The permission shall be granted only on a case-to-case basis, in response to a specific application made by the concerned Village Panchayat, Municipal Corporation/Municipal Council or an individual.
5. The provisions of the Noise Pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000 shall be strictly complied with.
6. The ‘authority’ concerned shall monitor the noise levels during the permitted festive occasion and take prompt remedial action in the event of any violation of the same and of above conditions.”

SCHEDULE

Sr. No.	Cultural/Religious Festive occasion	Date
1.	Carnival	6 th March, 2011
2.	Holi	19 th March, 2011
3.	Easter Eve	23 rd April, 2011
4.	Ganesh Chaturthi (2 nd day of idol immersion)	2 nd September, 2011
5.	Ganesh Chaturthi (5 th day of idol immersion)	5 th September, 2011
6.	Ganesh Chaturthi (11 th day of idol immersion)	11 th September, 2011
7.	Navaratri (last day of Navaratri)	5 th October, 2011
8.	Kojagiri Poornima	11 th October, 2011
9.	Diwali Eve	25 th October, 2011
10.	Tripurari /Kartiki Poornima	10 th November, 2011
11.	Eve of 50 th Goa Liberation Day	18 th December, 2011
12.	50 th Goa Liberation Day	19 th December, 2011
13.	Christmas Eve	24 th December, 2011
14.	Christmas	25 th December, 2011
15.	New Year's Eve	31 st December, 2011

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Sd/-

(Michael M. D'Souza)

Director/Ex-officio Jt. Secy. (STE)

Saligao, 21st January, 2011.

OFFICIAL GAZETTE

GOVERNMENT OF GOA

SERIES II NO12

21st June, 2012

No.7/4/98/STE/DIR/Part III/222

Dated: 11/06/2012

Read : (1) Order No.7/4/98/STE/DIR/Part III/1402 dated 12/11/2010 published in Official Gazette Series II No. 34 dated 18/11/2010.

- b. Order No. E-I/189-DySps/1189/2011 dated 23/12/2011 of the office of the Director General of Police, Panaji.**
- c. Order No E-I/189-DySPs/1048/2012 dated 03/02/2012 of the office of the Director General of Police, Panaji.**
- d. Order No.6/9/2009-PER (Part II) dated 10/04/2012 of the Personnel Department, Secretariat.**
- e. Order No. E-I/189-DySPs/2996/2012 dated 16/04/2012 of the Director General of Police, Panaji.**
- f. Order No.6/13/2011-PER dated 16/04/2012 of the Personnel Department, Secretariat.**
- g. Order No.6/16/2012-PER dated 23/05/2012 of the Personnel Department, Secretariat.**

Corrigendum

Pursuant to the Orders, read at (2) to (7) above; the entries at Sr. No.(2), (5),(7),(9),(11),(12) (16), (18), (19), (20), (21), (22) & (23) in the Table in para (3) of the order dated 12/11/2010, read at (1) above, shall be read as follows :-

Sr. No.	Name and Designation of the Officer	Office Tel. No.	Residence Tel. No.	Fax No.	Mobile No.
"2.	Mr. N.D. Agarwal Collector & District Magistrate, South Goa, Margao.	2705333 2702699 2737566 2714907	2268101	2733026	9422439439
5.	Mr. Surendra F. Naik Dy Collector & Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Tiswadi, Panaji.	2225511	2306001	2225511	9822142132
7.	Mr. Sabaji P. Shetye Dy Collector & Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Bardez, Mapusa.	2262038 2250398	2417838	2262038	9422057531
8.	Mr.Parag M. Nagarcenkar Dy Collector & Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Bicholim.	2362058 2360254	--	2362058	9823675031

9.	Smt. Meena H. Naik Goltekar Dy Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Pernem.	2201142	--	2201142	9850324895
11.	Mr. L.S.R. Pereira Dy Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Mormugao, Vasco.	2512688 2500565	--	2512688	9420685650
12.	Smt. Sandhya S. Kamat Dy Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Quepem.	2662228 2662241	2749669	2662228	9423882670
16.	Mr. Umesh Gaonkar Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Tiswadi, Panaji.	2226519	2264646	2226519	9822144466
18.	Mr. Mohan Naik Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Salcette, Margao.	2714449 2710656 2714449	2318585	2714449	9423060504
19.	Mr. Lawrence D'souza, Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Mormugao, Vasco.	2500222	2253944	2500222	7875756048
20.	Mr. Bosseut Silva Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Mapusa-I for Pernem, Mapusa & Anjuna Police Stations.	2262207	2712980 2714785	2262207	9822486060
21.	Mr. Bosseut Silva Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Mapusa-II for Calangute & Porvorim Police Stations.	2412723	2712980 2714785	2412723	9822486060
22.	Mr. Mahesh Gaonkar Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Quepem.	2663900	--	2663900	9422438111
23	Mr. Gajanan Prabhudesai Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Bicholim.	2363737	--	2363737	9822143633"

Sd/-
(Michael M. D'Souza)
**Director (STE) & Ex-officio
Jt. Secretary to Government.**

Department of Science, Technology & Environment.

Authority Notification

As amended till 28th January, 2010

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Notification

Read: Notification No. 2/51/2000/-HD (G)/Vol. I dated 21/09/2000
published Official Gazette (Extraordinary) Series II No. 25 dated
22/09/2000.

In supersession of the above read notification and in pursuance of clause (c) of rule 2 of Noise Pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000 (hereinafter called the “said Rules”), the Government of Goa hereby designates the following officers as “authority” for the maintenance of the ambient air quality standards in respect of noise under the said Rules, with immediate effect: -

Sr. No.	Designation of the Officer
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| (1) | Collector & District Magistrate, North Goa, Panaji. |
| (2) | Collector & District Magistrate, South Goa, Margao. |
| (3) | Addl. Collector-(I) & Addl. District Magistrate, North Goa, Panaji. |
| (4) | Addl. Collector-(I) & Addl. District Magistrate, South Goa, Margao. |
| (5) | Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Tiswadi, Panaji. |
| (6) | Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Ponda. |
| (7) | Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Bardez, Mapusa. |
| (8) | Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Bicholim. |
| (9) | Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Pernem. |
| 10) | Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Salcete, Margao. |
| (11) | Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Mormugao, Vasco. |

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- (12) Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Quepem.
- {(12a) Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Canacona.}¹
- (13) Superintendent of Police (North Goa), Panaji.
- (14) Superintendent of Police (South Goa), Margao.
- (15) Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Tiswadi, Panaji.
- (16) Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Ponda.
- (17) Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Salcete, Margao.
- (18) Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Mormugao, Vasco.
- (19) Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Mapusa –I for Pernem, Mapusa & Anjuna
Police Stations.
- (20) Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Mapusa –II for Calangute & Porvorim
Police Stations.
- (23) Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Quepem.
- (24) Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Bicholim.

By order and in the name
of the Governor of Goa.

Sd/-

(Michael M. D'Souza)

Director/Ex-Officio Jt. Secretary(STE)

4th December, 2007

The principal/original Notification of the "Authority" was issued vide Order No.7/4/98/STE/DIR/PartI/922 dated 4th December, 2007 published in Series II No.37 dated 13/12/2007 and amended vide Addendum:-

- (1) Series II No. 44 dated 28/01/2010;

(1) In the Notification above, after Sr. No. (12) new Sr. No. (12a) in the Table is inserted as at (1) vide addendum in (Series II No.44 dated 28/01/2010).

Noise Pollution (Prevention and Control) of Pollution Rules, 2000;

Department of Science, Technology & Environment

Categorization of Areas as Industrial, Commercial & Residential in the State of Goa

(As amended till 11/06/2012)

NOTIFICATION

In pursuance of Rule 3 (2) of the Noise Pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000 (said rules), Government of Goa, hereby notifies the categorization of areas in the State of Goa into Industrial, Commercial and Residential or Silence Areas/Zones, for the purpose of implementation of Noise standards for different areas.

Area Code	Category of Area / Zone
A	<u>Industrial Areas:</u> All areas, which are included within the industrial estates, mining areas, barge loading facilities and related activity, jetties along the riverfronts and all other Industries / Industrial Areas not falling within the above specified areas and zoned as Industrial as per the Regional Plan, 2001 notified by Town and Country Planning Department, Government of Goa, shall be categorized as Industrial Area. For the purpose of designating a specific area to be an Industrial zone, the Department of Science, Technology & Environment, in consultation with Directorate of Industries, Trade & Commerce, Department of Tourism and Goa State Pollution Control Board shall within six months from the date of this Notification identify the areas falling within and designate on a map Industrial zone having regard to the predominant character of the locality.
B & C	<u>Commercial Area and Residential Area :</u> All areas which are declared as Commercial/Residential (Settlement Zones) as per the Regional Plan, 2001 or the Outline Development Plans for the respective urban areas in the State of Goa, notified by Town and Country Planning Department, Government of Goa, shall be categorized as Commercial / Residential Areas. For the purpose of designating a specific area to be Commercial/Residential Area/zone, the 'Authority' shall within six months from the date of this Notification survey the area falling within his jurisdiction and designate on a map Commercial/ Residential Area /zones or a mixed category area, having regard to the predominant character of the locality. For the purpose of identifying a specific area to be Commercial/Residential Zone for the purpose of permissions under Rule 5(1) of the said rules, the 'Authority'

	shall examine and survey the area concerned and permit the use of Loudspeaker/ Public Address System, on case to case basis, after satisfying himself that the specific area is substantially Commercial or substantially Residential as the case may be. For this purpose the 'Authority' shall accept an application from any 'person' desirous to use Loudspeaker/Public Address System, 03 (three) days prior, to enable the 'Authority' to carryout the site inspection and survey, failing which the 'Authority' shall not accept the application.
D	<u>Silence Zone:</u> All areas comprising not less than 100 meters around hospitals, educational institution, courts, religious places, wildlife sanctuaries, reserve forests, turtle nesting sites, Heritage/Archeological sites of State/National/ International importance and all areas which are identified to be falling within the silence zone as identified by Road Transport Authority, Department of Transport, Government of Goa shall be categorized as Silence Zone. For the purpose of designating a specific area to be Silence zone, the 'Authority' shall within six months from the date of this Notification survey the area falling within his jurisdiction and designate on a map Silence zone having regard to the predominant character of the locality.

The 'Authority' (as notified vide Notification No.7/4/98/STE-DIR/Part-I/922 dated 04/12/2007, Sr. No. 01 to 12) as listed below, shall carry out the survey to designate the specified areas / zones viz. 'B','C' and 'D' and maintain the limits of sound for all areas /zones as prescribed in the schedule to said rules.

- (1) The District Collector, Collectorate (North), Panaji-Goa.
- (2) The District Collector, Collectorate (South), Margao-Goa.
- (3) The Additional Collector (I) and Addl. District Magistrate, North Goa, Panaji.
- (4) The Additional Collector (I) and Addl. District Magistrate, South Goa, Margao-Goa.
- (5) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Tiswadi, Panaji-Goa.
- (6) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Ponda-Goa.
- (7) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Bardez, Mapusa-Goa.
- (8) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Bicholim-Goa.
- (9) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Pernem-Goa.
- (10) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Salcete-Goa.

- (11) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Mormugao, Vasco-Goa.
(12) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Quepem-Goa.
{{(13) The Dy. Collector & Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Canacona-Goa.}}¹

By Order and in the name of the Governor
of Goa

Sd/-

(Michael M. D'Souza)

Director /Ex-Officio, Jt. Secretary (STE)

Saligao, 14th July, 2008.

The original notification (reg.categorization) was published vide No.7/4/98/STE/DIR/Part I/557 dated 14/07/2008 in Series II No 15 dated 15/07/2008 and amended vide addendum:

- (1) SERIES II No 44 dated 28/01/2010

(1) In the Notification above, In the last para after sr. No (12) new sr No (13) is inserted vide (Series II No 44 dated 28/01/2010)

Noise Pollution (Prevention and Control) of Pollution Rules, 2000;
Department of Science, Technology & Environment

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Details of Authority
(As amended till 11/06/2012)

No.7/4/98/STE/DIR/Part III/1402

Read : (i) Notification No.7/4/98/STE-DIR/Part I/922 dated 04/12/2007.
(ii) Addendum No. 7/4/98/STE-DIR/Part I/1545 dated 15/01/2010.

ORDER

Vide above read Notifications, the Government of Goa, in pursuance of clause (c) of Rule 2 of the Noise Pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000 (hereinafter called the “said Rules”), has designated various Officers as ‘Authority’ for the maintenance of the ambient air quality standards in respect of noise under the said Rules.

4. The Hon’ble High Court of Bombay at Goa, Panaji vide its directives in MCA No. 588 of 2010 in *Suo Motu Writ Petition No. 4 of 2006 (The Citizens Committee on Noise Pollution v/s State of Goa)*; has directed that the list of the Officers designated as ‘Authority’ under the said Rules, should be published for information of the public alongwith details of their telephone numbers.

5. In pursuance of the directives of the Hon’ble High Court, Department of Science, Technology & Environment; hereby publishes the names and telephone numbers of the Officers designated as ‘Authority’ under the said Rules, for general information of the public.

Sr. No	Name and Designation of the Officer	Office Tel. No.	Residence Tel. No.	Fax No.	Mobile No.
24.	Mr. Mihir Vardhan Collector & District Magistrate, North Goa, Panaji.	2223612 2225383 2427690 2225083	2420710	2426492	9822123071
{2.	Mr. N.D. Agarwal Collector & District Magistrate, South Goa, Margao.	2705333 2702699 2737566 2714907	2268101	2733026	9422439439 ⁴

In the Order above, Sr. No. (2) in the Table is substituted as at (1) vide corrigendum in (Series II No.44 dated 28/01/2010).

3.	Mr. Narayan Sawant Addl. Collector-(I) & Addl. District Magistrate, North Goa, Panaji.	2223418 2225383	2742751	2426492	9423313662
4.	Mr. Prasanna Acharya Addl. Collector-(I) & Addl. District Magistrate, South Goa, Margao.	2714453	2751102	2733026	9422388201
{5.	<i>Mr. Surendra F. Naik</i> Dy Collector & Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Tiswadi, Panaji.	2225511	2306001	2225511	9822142132}^d
6.	Mr. Johnson B. Fernandes Dy Collector & Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Ponda.	2312469 2311498	2651599	2312469	9423323127
{7.	<i>Mr. Sabaji P. Shetye</i> Dy Collector & Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Bardez, Mapusa.	2262038 2250398	2417838	2262038	9422057531
8.	<i>Mr. Parag M. Nagarcenkar</i> Dy Collector & Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Bicholim.	2362058 2360254	--	2362058	9823675031
9.	<i>Smt. Meena H. Naik</i> <i>Goltekar</i> Dy Collector & Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Pernem.	2201142	--	2201142	9850324895}^d
10.	Mr. Dasharath M. Redkar Dy Collector & Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Salcete, Margao.	2730971	2240200	2730971	9422456712
{11.	<i>Mr. L.S.R. Pereira</i> Dy Collector & Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Mormugao, Vasco.	2512688 2500565	--	2512688	9420685650
12.	<i>Smt. Sandhya S. Kamat</i> Dy Collector & Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Quepem.	2662228 2662241	2749669	2662228	9423882670}^d

13.	Mr. Shiv Kumar Dy. Collector &Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Canacona.	2643696	-	2643696	9373866515
14.	Mr. A.K. Gawas Superintendent of Police (North Goa), Panaji.	2416100	2426787 2255556	2416243	9822125811

(2) In the Order above, Sr. No. (5 - 12) in the Table are substituted as at (2) vide corrigendum in (Series II No.31 dated 03/11/2011).

15.	[Mr. Jose Allen F. D'Sa Superintendent of Police (South Goa), Margao.	2732218	2415131	2733864	9970068299] ³
{16.	<i>Mr. Umesh Gaonkar Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Tiswadi, Panaji.</i>	2226519	2713137	2226519	9822144466} ⁴
17.	Mr. Serafin Dias Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Ponda.	2317978	2413352	2317978	9822128737
{18.	<i>Mr. Mohan Naik Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Salcette, Margao.</i>	2714449 2710656 2714449	2318585	2714449	9423060504
19.	<i>Mr. Lawrence D'souza Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Mormugao, Vasco.</i>	2500222	2253944	2500222	7875756048
20.	<i>Mr. Bosseut Silva Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Mapusa-I for Pernem, Mapusa & Anjuna Police Stations.</i>	2262207	2712980 2714785	2262207	9822486060
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22.	<i>Mr. Mahesh Gaonkar Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Quepem.</i>	2663900	-	2663900	9422438111
23	<i>Mr. Gajanan Prabhudesai Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Bicholim.</i>	2363737	--	2363737	9822143633} ⁴

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa,
Sd/-

(Michael M. D'Souza)
Director / Ex-officio Jt. Secy. (STE)

Dated: 12th November, 2010.

The principal/original details of the "Authority" were issued vide Order No.7/4/98/STE/DIR/Part III/1402 dated 12th November, 2010 published in Series II No.34 dated 18/11/2010 and amended vide:-

- (2) Series II No. 11 dated 16/06/2011;
- (3) Series II No. 18 dated 04/08/2011;
- (4) Series II No. 31 dated 03/11/2011;
- (5) Series II No. 12 dated 21/06/2012;

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- (3) In the Order above, Sr. No. (15) in the Table is substituted as at (3) **above** vide corrigendum No.7/4/98/STE-DIR/part I/585 dated 01/08/2011. In **(Series II No.18 dated 04/08/2011)**.
 - (4) In the Order above, Sr. Nos (2), (5), (7)to(9), (11),(12), (16), (18)to(23) in the Table is substituted as at (4) above vide Corrigendum in **(Series II No.12 dated 21/06/2012)**.