

THE GAZETTE OF MEGHALAYA PART VA
RULES FRAMED UNDER THE AIR
(Prevention and Control of Pollution)

Act, 1981

The 6th August, 1991

No. PHE :—329/87/9 'In exercise of the powers conferred by section 54 of the Air Prevention and Control of Pollution Act, 1981 (Central Act 14 of 1981), the Government of Meghalaya after consultation with the Meghalaya State Pollution Control Board, hereby make the following rules, namely :—

CHAPTER—I

Preliminary

1. **Short title and Commencement** :—(1) These rules may be called the Meghalaya Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Rules, 1988.
2. They shall come into force at once.
3. **Definitions** :—(1) In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires :—
 - (a) "Act" means the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 (Central Act 14 of 1981);
 - (b) "Appellate Authority" means the Appellate Authority constituted under sub-section (1) of section 31 of the Act;
 - (c) "Board" means the Meghalaya State Pollution Control Board constituted under Section 4 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 (Central Act 6 of 1974);
 - (d) "Chairman" means the Chairman of the Board;
 - (e) "Committee", means a Committee constituted under sub-section (1) of section 11 of the Act;
 - (f) "consultant" means and includes any person whose services, technical or otherwise, may be obtained by the Board to assist or advice in performing any function of the Board;
 - (g) "Form" means a form appended to these rules;
 - (h) "Furnace" means any structure or installation where any form or type of fuel is burnt or otherwise a temperature higher than the ambient is maintained;
 - (i) "Government" means the Government of Meghalaya;
 - (j) "Member-Secretary" means the member-secretary of the Board.
 - (k) "Premises" means any building, structure or property used for industrial or trade purposes;
 - (l) "Section" means a section of the Act;

