

No. J/5/2025-HM(PSA)
GOVERNMENT OF MIZORAM
HOME DEPARTMENT

Dated Aizawl, the 25th of March, 2026

NOTIFICATION

No. J/5/2025-HM(PSA) Dated. 16.02.2026. In exercise of the powers conferred by sub section (1) of section 25 of the Private Security Agencies (Regulation) Act, 2005(29 of 2005), the Government of Mizoram hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Mizoram Private Security Agencies Rules, 2022 as follows, namely:

1. Short title and commencement :-

- (1) These rules may be called the Mizoram Private Security Agencies (Amendment) Rules, 2026
- (2) It shall come into force from the date of its publication in the Mizoram Official Gazette.

2. Amendment of rule 3

- (i) In the Mizoram Private Security Agencies Rules, 2022 (herein after referred to as the principal rules), sub rule (5) of rule 3 shall be substituted as follows, namely:-

“3(5). Wherever any applicant’s antecedents have been verified in any other state earlier and licence is granted, the Controlling Authority may, to satisfy himself, re-verify the antecedents and character of the applicant before issuing licence.”

- (ii) sub rule (9) of rule 3 shall be substituted as follows :-

“3(9). The Controlling Authority, after receiving an application in Form I, shall grant

licence to the private security agency in Form IV after making such enquiry as it considers necessary and in compliance with the provisions of the Act.”

3. Amendment of rule 7

- (i) sub rule (1) of rule 7 of the principal rules shall be substituted as follows, namely:-

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“7(1). Before any person is employed or engaged as a security guard or supervisor, the Agency shall satisfy itself about the character and antecedents of such person in the same manner as mentioned in sub rule 4 of rule 3”

5. Amendment of rule 14

Rule 14 of the principal rules shall be substituted as follows, namely :-

“14. Uniform and Equipment :

- (1) Notwithstanding whether the Agency mandates its private security guards to wear uniform while on duty or not, every private security agency shall issue and make it obligatory for its security guards to put on uniform as below:

(a) Shirt, open neck with shoulder straps. The colour of the shirt may be chosen by the Agency and subject to approval by the Controlling Authority.

(b) An arm badge distinguishing the Agency.

(c) Rank badge on the shoulder strap to indicate position in the organization.

Ribbons may be used to indicate rank/position. Stars may not be used whether in plain nickel or embroidery to indicate rank/position.

(d) Whistle attached to the whistle cord is to be kept in the left pocket.

(e) Shoes with eyelet and laces.

(f) The colour of socks may be decided by the Agency.

(g) A headgear which may also carry the distinguishing mark of the Agency.

(h) The colour of slacks may be decided by the Agency as desired.

(i) Leather belt or web belt.

(j) Jackets may be worn during winter season which should have shoulder straps indicating rank and arm badge of the respective Agency to which he belongs.

(k) No Private Security Agency will wear uniform similar to that of the Army, Para Military Force, Air Force, Navy, any other armed forces/security agency of the Union or State Police or any dress having the appearance or bearing any of the distinctive marks of such uniforms.

(l) Uniform pattern/design/colour chosen by the Agency for its employees may be presented to the Controlling Authority for approval.

(2) The clothes worn by the private security guard, while on active duty, shall be such that they do not hamper in his efficient performance. They shall neither be too tight nor too loose as to obstruct movement or bending of limbs.

(3) Every private security guard shall carry a notebook and a writing instrument with him.

(4) Every private security guard, while on active security duty, shall wear and display photo-identity card issued under section 17 of the Act, on the outer most garment above

waist level on his person inconspicuous manner.

(5) Private security guards may be allowed to carry baton in case the need arise for self-defence. Minimum force should be used and only when absolutely necessary.

(6) Door Rame Metal Detector (DFMD), Hand Held Metal Detector (HHMD), Wireless Communication Devices and Alarm Devices maybe used as per requirement and the nature of duty.

(7) As per BNSS, the use of handcuff is prescribed only in case of arrest made by a police officer and not in case of arrest made by a private person. Hence the possession and use of handcuffs by private security guards is to be avoided.

(8) Permission for use of any other device/security equipment, if at all required, may be obtained from the Controlling Authority.

(9) Carrying of arms by a private security guard shall be governed by the Arms Act, 1959 and rules made thereunder. Arms licence issued to security personnel for their personal security shall not be reason for bearing arms while on duty. "

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