NOTIFICATION

Urban Development Department Hutatma Rajguru Chowk, Madam Cama Marg, Mantralaya, Mumbai – 400 032 Date - 12 May, 2015.

Maharashtra Municipal Corporation Act No. LBT- 2015/CR-82/UD-32. — The following draft of rules further to amend the Maharashtra Municipal Corporations (Local Body Tax) Rules, 2010, which the Government of Maharashtra, proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 152T of the Maharashtra Municipal Corporation Act (LIX of 1949) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, is hereby published as required by sub-section (2) of the said section 152T of the said Act, for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby; and notice is hereby given that the said draft will be taken into consideration by the Government of Maharashtra after the expiry of a period of twenty days from the date of publication of this notification in the Maharashtra Government Gazette.

2. Any objection or suggestions which may be received by the Secretary (UD-2) Urban Development Department, Government of Maharashtra, Hutatma Rajguru Chowk, Madam Cama Marg, Mantralaya, Mumbai – 400 032, from any person with respect to the said draft, before the expiry of the above mentioned period will be considered by the Government.

DRAFT RULES

- 1. These rules may be called the Maharashtra Municipal Corporations (Local Body Tax) (Amendment) Rules, 2015.
- 2. In rule 48 of the Maharashtra Municipal Corporations (local body tax) Rules, 2010, after sub-rule (8), the following sub-rule shall be added, namely:-

- "(9) (a) Notwithstanding anything contained in these rules, the State Government may, by notification in the Official Gazette, notify Amnesty Scheme for payment of Local Body Tax;
- (b) Where such Scheme has been declared the dealer or the person liable to pay Local Body Tax may pay the amount of Local Body Tax to the Commissioner, within the period specified in the Scheme;
- (c) upon such payment, no penalty or interest shall be payable by such dealer or person on the amount of Local Body Tax payable by him and, if, any proceedings are already initiated against such dealer or person, the same shall be dropped."

By Order and in name of the Governor Of Maharashtra,

G. A. Lokhande, Deputy Secretary to Government