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Government of Himachal Pradesh
Department of Panchayati Raj

To

All the District Panchayat Officer
in Himachal Pradesh.

All the Block Development Officer
in Himachal Pradesh.

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Dated-

31-12-2025

Subject: Circulation of amendment to Rule 79 of the Himachal Pradesh Minor Minerals (Concession) and Minerals (Prevention of Illegal Mining, Transportation and Storage) Rules, 2015 — regarding.

Sir/Madam,

In continuation of this office letter of even No. dated 21-10-2025, it is to inform you that the Industries Department vide Notification No. Ind-B-F(6)-14/2014-IV, dated 17-09-2025, published in the Rajpatra (e-Gazette), Himachal Pradesh, has notified Minor Minerals (Concession) and Minerals (Prevention of Illegal Mining, Transportation and Storage) Seventh Amendment Rules, 2025 as under: -

After first proviso of sub-rule 4 of rule 79, the following second proviso shall be inserted, namely:-

“ Provided further that in case of Government approved small scale construction works pertaining to Department of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj where estimated project costs is upto 10,00,000/- (Rs Ten Lakhs), the concerned Department after quantifying the mineral shall permit the use of minor mineral generated in-situ after deducting the royalty along with other applicable taxes/charges.”

You are requested to kindly circulate these amended rules to all Gram Panchayats under your jurisdiction for information and further necessary action.

Yours faithfully

Director
Panchayati Raj Department
Himachal Pradesh

Endst. No.- 76327

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Dated - 31-12-2025

Copy to -

The Director, Industries Department H.P. for information.

Director
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Date 09-01-2026

Copy forwarded to all Panchayat Secretaries for necessary compliance.

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