GOVERNMENT OF MANIPUR SECRETARIAT: FINANCE DEPARTMENT (EXPENDITURE SECTION)

Notification No. 4/2019- State Tax (Rate)

Imphal, the 29th March, 2019

No. TAX/4(53)/GST-NOTN/2016:- In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 11 of the Manipur Goods and Services Tax Act, 2017 (3 of 2017), the State Government, on being satisfied that it is necessary in the public interest so to do, on the recommendations of the Council, hereby makes the following further amendments in the notification of the Government of Manipur, Secretariat: Finance Department (Expenditure Section) No. 12/2017-State Tax (Rate), dated the 28th June, 2017, published in the Manipur Gazette, Extraordinary, vide number 121, dated the 29th June, namely:-

In the said notification, -

- (i) in the opening paragraph, for the word, brackets and figures "sub-section (1) of section 11" the word, brackets and figures ", sub-section (3) and sub-section (4) of section 9, sub-section (1) of section 9, sub-section (2) of section 9, sub-section (3) and sub-section (4) of section 9, sub-section (4) of section 9, sub-section (5) of section 148 " shall be substituted.
 - (1) of section 11, sub-section (5) of section 15 and section 148," shall be substituted;
- (ii) in the Table, -
 - (a) after serial number 41 and the entries relating thereto, the following serial numbers and entries shall be inserted, namely: -

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
"41A	Heading	Service by way of	Nil	Provided that the promoter shall be liable to
			· ·	Provided that the promoter shall be liable to pay tax at the applicable rate, on reverse charge basis, on such proportion of value of development rights, or FSI (including additional FSI), or both, as is attributable to the residential apartments, which remain unbooked on the date of issuance of completion certificate, or first occupation of the project, as the case may be, in the following manner - [GST payable on TDR or FSI (including additional FSI) or both for construction of the residential apartments in the project but for the exemption contained herein] x (carpet area of the residential
		issuance of completion certificate, where required, by the competent authority or after its first occupation,		apartments in the project which remain un- booked on the date of issuance of completion certificate or first occupation + Total carpet area of the residential apartments in the project)

whichever is earlier. Provided further that tax payable in terms of the first proviso herein above shall not The amount of GST exceed 0.5per cent. of the value in case of exemption available for affordable residential apartments and 2.5 per of construction residential apartments in cent. of the value in case of residential apartments other than affordable residential the project under this notification shall be apartments remaining un-booked on the date calculated as under: of issuance of completion certificate or first [GST payable on TDR occupation (including FSI The liability to pay state tax on the said additional FSI) or both for construction of the portion of the development rights or FSI, or project] x (carpet area of both, calculated as above, shall arise on the the residential date of completion or first occupation of the apartments in the project project, as the case may be, whichever is + Total carpet area of earlier. the residential commercial apartments in the project) 41B Heading Upfront amount (called Provided that the promoter shall be liable to Nil 9972 pay tax at the applicable rate, on reverse premium, salami, cost, price, development charge basis, on such proportion of upfront charges or by any other amount (called as premium, salami, cost, name) payable in respect price, development charges or by any other of service by way of name) paid for long term lease of land, as is granting of long term attributable to the residential apartments, lease of thirty years, or which remain un- booked on the date of more, issuance of completion certificate, or first on or after 01.04.2019. occupation of the project, as the case may be, for construction in the following manner of residential apartments [GST payable on upfront amount (called by a promoter in a premium, salami, project. intended for cost, price, development charges or by any other sale to a buyer, wholly name) payable for long term lease of land or partly, except where for construction of the residential the entire consideration apartments in the project but for the has been received after exemption contained herein] x (carpet issuance of completion area of the residential apartments in the certificate. where project which remain un-booked on the required, by the date of issuance of completion certificate competent authority or or first occupation + Total carpet area of after its first occupation, the residential apartments in the project); whichever is earlier.

The amount of GST exemption available for construction of residential apartments in the project under this notification shall be calculated as under:

payable [GST on upfront amount (called as premium, salami, cost, price, development charges or by any other name) payable for long term lease of land for construction of the project] x (carpet area of residential apartments in the project + Total carpet area of residential and commercial apartments in the project).

area of the residential apartments in the project);

Provided further that the tax payable in terms of the first proviso shall not exceed 0.5 per cent. of the value in case of affordable residential apartments and 2.5 per cent. of the value in case of residential apartments other than affordable residential apartments remaining un-booked on the date of issuance of completion certificate or first occupation.

The liability to pay state tax on the said proportion of upfront amount (called as premium, salami, cost, price, development charges or by any other name) paid for long term lease of land, calculated as above, shall arise on the date of issue of completion certificate or first occupation of the project, as the case may be.

- (iii) after paragraph 1, the following paragraphs shall be inserted, namely, -
- "1A. Value of supply of service by way of transfer of development rights or FSI by a person to the promoter against consideration in the form of residential or commercial apartments shall be deemed to be equal to the value of similar apartments charged by the promoter from the independent buyers nearest to the date on which such development rights or FSI is transferred to the promoter.
- 1B. Value of portion of residential or commercial apartments remaining un-booked on the date of issuance of completion certificate or first occupation, as the case may be, shall be deemed to be equal to the value of similar apartments charged by the promoter nearest to the date of issuance of completion certificate or first occupation, as the case may be."
- (iv) in paragraph 3 relating to Explanation, after clause (iv), the following clause shall be inserted, namely: -
- "(v) The term "apartment" shall have the same meaning as assigned to it in clause (e) under section 2 of the Real Estate (Regulation and Development) Act, 2016 (16 of 2017).

- (vi) The term "affordable residential apartment" shall have the same meaning as assigned to it in the notification No. 11/2017-State Tax (Rate), published in the Manipur Gazette, Extraordinary, dated 28thJune, 2017 vide number 120 dated 29thJune, 2017, as amended.
- (vii) The term "promoter" shall have the same meaning as assigned to it in clause (zk) under section 2 of the Real Estate (Regulation and Development) Act, 2016 (16 of 2017).
- (viii) The term "project" shall mean a Real Estate Project or a Residential Real Estate Project.
- (ix) the term "Real Estate Project (REP)" shall have the same meaning as assigned to it in clause (zn) under section 2 of the Real Estate (Regulation and Development) Act, 2016 (16 of 2017).
- (x) The term "Residential Real Estate Project (RREP)" shall mean a REP in which the carpet area of the commercial apartments is not more than 15 per cent. of the total carpet area of all the apartments in the REP;
- (xi) The term "carpet area" shall have the same meaning as assigned to it clause (k) under section 2 of the Real Estate (Regulation and Development) Act, 2016 (16 of 2017).
- (xii) "an apartment booked on the date of issuance of completion certificate or first occupation of the project" shall mean an apartment which meets all the following three conditions, namely-
 - (a) part of supply of construction of the apartment service has time of supply on or before the said date; and
 - (b) consideration equal to at least one instalment has been credited to the bank account of the registered person on or before the said date; and
 - (c) an allotment letter or sale agreement or any other similar document evidencing booking of the apartment has been issued on or before the said date.
- (xiii) "floor space index (FSI)" shall mean the ratio of a building's total floor area (gross floor area) to the size of the piece of land upon which it is built.".
- 2. This notification shall come into force with effect from the 1st day of April, 2019.

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Note: -The principal notification No. 12/2017 - State Tax (Rate), dated the 28thJune, 2017 was published in the Manipur Gazette, Extraordinary, *vide* number 121, dated the 29thJune, 2017 and was last amended by notification No. 28/2018 - State Tax (Rate), dated the 31st December, 2018 *vide* number 381, dated the 3rd January, 2019.