### **GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH** ABSTRACT

BOILERS - The Boilers Act, 1923 and Indian Boiler Regulations, 1950 - All certified Boilers in the Industries situated in the Andhra Pradesh State – Exemption of Inspections from the provisions under sub-section (c) of Section 6 and Section 8 of the Boilers Act, 1923 for a period of two months for those Boilers for which inspections are due in the months of April & May, 2020 or till lifting of the lockdown whichever is earlier - Orders -Issued.

LABOUR, FACTORIES, BOILERS & INSURANCE MEDICAL SERVICES (Labour.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 356

Dated: 21-04-2020 Read:

From Director Boilers, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada, the of Lr.No. C3/2336/2020, Dated: 31.03.2020.

### ORDER:

In the circumstances reported by the Director of Boilers, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada in the reference read above, the following notification shall be published in the extra-ordinary issue of Andhra Pradesh Gazette:

#### NOTIFICATION

In view of the emergency situation of COVID-19 declared under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, in exercise of the powers conferred under sub-section (2) of Section 34 of the Boilers Act, 1923, Government of Andhra Pradesh hereby exempts, from subsection (c) of Section 6 and Section 8 of the Boilers Act, all certified Boilers situated in the industries in Andhra Pradesh state due to lockdown for a period of two months or till lifting of the lockdown whichever is earlier, for Boilers for which inspections are due in the months of April & May, 2020, subject to the following conditions:

- 1. During the exemption period, the Boilers shall be used in accordance to the provisions of the Boilers Act, the Boiler Attendants' Rules and the Boiler Operation Engineers' Rules.
- 2. Any repair during the period of exemption shall not be carried out without obtaining prior permission from the Director of Boilers, Andhra Pradesh, Amaravati.
- 3. The exemption period granted to the Boilers will expire whenever the lockdown in the State is lifted. After lifting the lockdown, the Boilers shall be offered for inspection.
- 4. All Boiler owners shall apply for renewal of their Boiler Certificate(s) during the exemption period. However, those Boilers will be inspected and certificates for use of the Boiler will be issued after lifting the lockdown.
- 5. The exemption will applicable to only those Boilers which are in operation duly certified.

2. The Director of Boilers, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada shall take further necessary action accordingly.

# (BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

## **B. UDAYALAKSHMI** PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The Commissioner, Printing Stationary & Stores Purchase, AP, Vijayawada. The Director of Boilers, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada. Copy to:

The PS to Hon'ble Minister(LFB&IMS).

The PS to Principal Secretary to Government, LFB&IMS Department. Sf/Sc.

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