

GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
FINANCE (TAXATION) DEPARTMENT

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR

NOTIFICATION

Dated Dispur, the 28th December, 2016.

No.FTX.132/2016/2:- Whereas in order to bolster digital payment and to move towards less-cash economy, the Government of Assam has announced series of incentives under "Pay Digitally to Pay Less" Scheme;

And whereas to incentivise the digital payment, the Government of Assam has, inter-alia, offered exemption from payment of entry tax on PoS machine, V-SAT Dish Antennae, mobile wi-fi equipment during the period of 1st January, 2017 to 31st March, 2017;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (3) of Section 6 of the Assam Entry Tax Act, 2008 (Assam Act XII of 2008), the Governor of Assam, having considered it necessary in the public interest so to do, hereby exempts the importer from the liability to pay entry tax for a period of three months from 1st January, 2017 to 31st March, 2017 in respect of entry of (i) Point of Sale (PoS) card swipe machine used to facilitate payment, (ii) V-SAT Dish Antennae, and (iii) mobile wi-fi equipment like Modem, router, into a local area.

This notification shall come into force on the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

Sd/- V. B. Pyarelal

Additional Chief Secretary to the Government of Assam,
Finance Department, Dispur.

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Copy to :-

1. The Commissioner of Taxes, Assam, Kar-Bhawan, Dispur, Guwahtati-6 for information and necessary action for early publication of the notification in the Extra Ordinary, Assam Gazette.
2. The Publisher, Assam Government Press. He is requested kindly to publish the above notification in the Extra Ordinary Issue of the Assam Gazette immediately and supply 300 (three hundred) copies to this department after publication.
3. The Joint Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, "e-Governance Unit", Finance Department for information.
4. The Legislative Department, Dispur for information.

By Order etc.

Joint Secretary to the Govt. of Assam,

Finance (Taxation) Department