

**THE MAHARASHTRA RIGHT TO INFORMATION  
(AMENDMENT) RULES, 2012, DT. 16.1.2012**

**GENERAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT**

Mantralaya, Mumbai 400 032, dated the 16<sup>th</sup> January 2012.

**NOTIFICATION**

**MAHARASHTRA RIGHT TO INFORMATION RULES, 2005,**

**No. CRTI./2009/C.R.398/09/VI.**-In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 27 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (22 of 2005), the Government of Maharashtra is hereby pleased to make the following rules further to amend the Maharashtra Right to Information Rules, 2005, as follows, namely:-

1. These rules may be called the Maharashtra Right to Information (Amendment) Rules, 2012.

2. After rule 3 of the Maharashtra Right to Information Rules, 2005, the following rule shall be inserted, namely:-

**“3A. Request relate only to single subject matter :-** A request in writing for information under section 6 of the Act shall relate to one subject matter and it shall not ordinarily exceed one hundred and fifty words, If an applicant wishes to seek information on more than one subject matter, he shall make separate applications:

Provided that, in case the request made relates to more than one subject matter, the Public Information Officer may respond to the request relating to the first subject matter only and may advice the applicant to make a separate application for each of the other subject matters.”

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra

NANDKUMAR JANTRE,  
Secretary to Government

**THE MAHARASHTRA RIGHT TO INFORMATION  
(2ND AMENDMENT) RULES, 2012, DT. 31.1.2012**

**GENERAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT**

Mantralaya, Mumbai 400 032, dated the 31<sup>ST</sup> January 2012.

**NOTIFICATION**

**MAHARASHTRA RIGHT TO INFORMATION RULES, 2005,**

**No. CRTI. 2008/CR 356/VI.**-In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section 27 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (22 of 2005) and of all other powers enabling in this behalf, the Government of Maharashtra is hereby pleased to make the following rules further to amend the Maharashtra Right to Information Rules, 2005, namely:-

(1) These rules may be called the Maharashtra Right to Information (2nd Amendment) Rules, 2012.

(2) After rule 3A of the Maharashtra Right to Information Rules, 2005, the following rules shall be added, namely:-

**“3B. Procedure for seeking inspection of record :-** If after having considered the application filed by the applicant for seeking inspection of record under sub-section (1) of section 6, the Public Information Officer find it appropriate, the applicant may be granted permission to inspect the record and if he grants such permission the Public Information Officer shall requisition the record desired by the applicant for perusal, from the concerned section of the Department and shall give the same to the applicant for inspection in his presence or in the presence of his authorised representative, during office hours. While inspecting such record, the applicant shall be allowed to use pencil only and the information desired by the applicant shall be noted by him by pencil only and if the applicant bring any writing instruments other than a pencil, he shall deposit the same with the Public Information Officer and, thereafter, he shall be allowed to inspect the record. The applicant shall not make any marking on the record by the pencil he is allowed to use during inspection”.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra

NANDKUMAR JANTRE,  
Secretary to Government

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