

AUROVILLE FOUNDATION RULES 1997

3(i)] : 22, 1, 191' OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMm•rr of Eåcdion) New Delhi, 10th 1991 2447 G.S.R. 383,— Xn exercise of powan confarr•d by "'tion 31 of the Aurovlllc the Central herby maku the 1988 (54 of 1988), Foundation Act, following rule', namely. 1. 2

3. Short title and commencement.• Thug rulei may b' caned the Aurovmc Foundation Rut", 1997. (1) T' hay shall come into force on tho dat' 01 their publication in the (2) Official Oauttc. Dct(nftlon'i• (1) (2) In thug rule', unlau the context otherwi*' roqutrn,• (a) (d) (e) "Act" moan* the Auroptll' Foundation Act, 1988 (54 of 1988); "Chairman* means the Chatman of the Board nominated under (2) of section 11; "PAMC" moans the Fund' and Ats•t8 Management Commtte• const(tut'd by Board under sub* oction (l) of geotton 16; "Storatory" mean the Secretary to the Foundation appointed under sub.•ctlon (1) of section 15; cotton" means a section of the Act; *Working Committee meana tho Working Comm'ttee of the R •aidant8' Anambly constituted undu •cation 20; All other words and oxprenlons us" hemin and no' d"'ned but defined {n the Au rovill' Foundation kat, 1988(\$4 of 1988) 'hall have the meanings rupeoti»ely assigned to them In that Act. Casual vacancie tho Oov•mlnw Board.- (1) Casual vacancy of a m •m of the Govern tng Board nominat'd zégz 2448 GAZEITE OF : NOVn•ßER 22, 1997/AGRAHAYANA 1, 1919 under craun (l) of aub•ectlon (I) of section 11 account of any of the following r•asons, namely:- [PART 11--SBC. 3(i)] shall art" (a) (c) on his doath; on his resignation; ff he has beoom• of unsound mind dealarad by a competent court; and stands on so (2) (3) (4) (5) If h' has b gan adjudged as an insolvent; tf h' has been con victed for a crim Inal offence Involving moral turpitude; or If ha fans to attend thru consecutive meeting of the Governing Board wfthout the leave of tha Chairman. Casual vacancies of the members In tho Oovorning Board caused by any Of tha reasons mentioned in suburule (t) shall bc fillad up through nomtnatton by the Contral Ooovernmant. A member nomtnated to fill a casual vacancy shall hold office only for the unexpired period of the term of tha member tn whose placa he nomtnatad. When a member nominated to b' a rasentattve ot the Central Ooovernment on the Governing Board becomes a mcmb•r by reason 01 the office or - appoin tm ant he holds, his membership nf the Oovornfng Board Zhou term inatt when h' ceas•s to hold that office or appofntm ant, as the case may b' and in his vacancy, his successor tn office or the appoin tee shall automatically become a member of the Governing Board for the unexpired period of the arm of the member in whose place hc holds the office• or appointed. The Governing Board shall function notwithstanding that any pcrson 4. who ts on'tltl'd to be a member by reason of of the Governing Board for the member notwithstanding any other vacancy, whether by otherwise; Powcra of the Oov•rnin« Board.- his office is not a time being and n on-appointm ant or (1) (a) r h' Govarntng Board shall have powers. to create such numbŪ of posts of offcars and staff the office of the Foundation as may bc required for the efftcient performance of Its functions with the concurrence of the Government of India: the maxfimum pay of which exceeds Provided that no such post 8.4500 p •r mensum shall be created or filled without the previous sanction of the Central Government; re-revts ed) 22, 1997/quvrg•cr 1, 1919 2449 (d) (e) C) to appdnt au catagoHt' of officers and staff to the office 01 the Foundation except the Secrotary to the Foundatlon for conducting the of the Foundation, tn accordance vfth the rocu!attons ag may be made by the Oovornfng Board and on the recommendation of duly constituted •electton commlttce: and to "x tho amount of their pay and allowances, subJcct to the budgetary provision and to deftne their duttu; subject to the other laws, to anter into aarttm•nts with the Central Oovnnmont, State Oovernm•nt', pubdc or privat' organisation: or national' and international non-governmental In dividu at', foreign organisatl_ons, Non&vcrnment organization' or Intünattonal Intergovernmental oraanttatonr for furth•mnca of the Foundatton'g objecttvu, for Implemgntatfon of Its programma: and for securing and accepting •ndowment8, uant54n4(d8, donations or alfi8 on mutually agreed terms and condit{ong In consultation with the Working Comm Provfdcd that no such agrument8 'hall bc made with any foreign Ooevernment, Forelgn Governmental Organization or International or Intercovcrnmntal Organisation, foreign national or International non-governmental organlsattons, except with the prior approval of the Central Oov«nmont. tn consultation with the Working Committee and the FAMC of tho Ruffdantg Assembly to acquit' by purchas•, lease, gift or otherwise any immovable. prop My which may be necessary or convent'nt for the purpoz•s of the Foundation ; to acquire by pumhat% "at', "ft or otherwise any movable prop any Including any equipment which may be necessary or convenient for the purpose: of the

Foundation and in consultation with the Working Committee and the FAMC of the R Anembly; to construct, alter, extend, modify and maintain any buldtna or butld{np which may be n"essary or convenient for the Foundation; to Invest the fun& of tho Foundation or any other the disposal of tho Foundation in such secudtics or purposes 01 tho in vuttble funds at In such mannn as 2450 GAZETTE OF INDIA : NOVENfBER22, 1997/AGRAHAYANA 1919 [PARTII—SEC. (h) 12) (3) (4) may, from time to timo be determined by the Ooverntng Board and in accordanc• vfh Government of India" instructions on in vestment and, from time to ftmc, to 8011. or transfer such Investm •nfg tn consultation with th' Working Committee and the FAMC • to •take over and acquire by purchase, gift or ofh•rwi" from Central Covernm•nt, Stat' Covunments, public or private organatatfons or individual' or, subject to compliance with the other laws and approval the Central Cov•rnment, from foreign national' and internattonal non-Oovernm•ntal Organisations movable and immovable prop •rtles or other runt together wth any attendant obligations and engagements not inconglst•nt with the objects of the Foundation In consuhat[on with the Working Commttt•c and the FAMC Provided that the prior approval of Central Oovernm•nt 'hall b' necessary in thon cases where the value of guoh proportie• of funds excud8 rupees one crore In any financial year; to gall, lease or otherwise dispæt o/ any Immovable property of the Foundation in consultation with the Working Commtttt•e and the -FAMC Provided that no property of the Foundation shall be 'Old without tho previous zancction of the Canfral Government if it' value i' mom than rupee ft" lakhs. When a decision {8 required to be taken by the Ooverning Board In consultation with the Porking Committee or FAMC, then such conzu"ation 'hall b' completad within a period of sixty days and the decoton Of the Board after such consultation shall bc final but in amerøncy matters consultation process may be completed in a timo in consulatton with worktnc Committee and FAMC, ff ngouary by circulation of papers. Tho Oovcmtnng Board may with the previous unction of tho Central Oowrn•nt borrow, on the security 01 th' properti'8 of Aurovlll' or any othgr asset, for carrying out the purpose' of the Act in consultation with the Working Committee and the FAMC; The Oovnnntna Board may, by resolution, 'anction any expenditur• or authorin making of a contract tn volvlng expenditure not inconsistent 11--e•q 3(i)] 6. : 22, 1, 1919 2451 wKh the oondlttong of grant from the funds available at thr of th' Foundation In the parfomanag of lunottons: Provided that the Governing Board shall not enter into any contract involving exp•ndtur• 'n cxoesg of R up ges one lakh or extending for a period of m orc than two years without p Hor approval of the Central Governm•nt. Gomm (1) (a) (e) (2) (3) (4) T h' followlna 'hau b' the Commgtt•es of the Foundation, namely Finance Commtttee conntlfuted by the Governing Board under gub• tectton (I) of section 16 ; Funds and Management commttteeo (FA MC) constituted by tme Oovørntng Board under subocctton (1) of section 16 with the S#retary of the Foundation ag its Convenør and with not exoacding ten other membet' Including the Financial Adviser, Mtnt'try of Human R csource Development. Suoh other Committe• or ag may be constituted by the Governing R "ident" may ba Subject to dct•m oongt'tuted Board under guh.ectlon (I) of •ectlon 16 or by the Assembly under sub-aectlon (3) of seetlon 19,08 the case the provision of gub-rule (1), the Governing Board 8hatt the aompogttlon and fu nctlons of by ft. •very Commttteeo r h' R '8td•nt\$' Agnmbly shall determ Ine the functions of •very Committee constituted by dt. composttton and Subject to the provlßlons of then rule', the FAMC shall administer the funds and assets of ten dar advic es, make th' Foundation, recommendations and carry out such works a; may be assigned to It by the Ooverntng Board. Power' and dutl'8 the Socrata ry.- (1) The Secretary 'hall b' appointed by the Central Oovernment and shall b' tha prfn\$ al Exeoutlve Officer of tho Foundation and 'hall and . his dutte' under the Chairman of Ooverntna Board. 2452 THE GAZETTE OF INDIA : NOVEWBER 22, 1997/AGRAHAYANA 1, 1919 The Secretary shall (2) [PART 11—SEC. (a) (d) (g) (i) be the custodian of the records, the Common Seal and such other prop enlgs o/ the Foundation as the Oovorning Board may commit to his charge; have the powers to grant leave to all employees of the office of the Foundation except to himself and make n ecossary arrangement lor the discharge of the functions of such employees during their absence; issue notices and convene meetings o] the Governing Board and Krs committees and the Aurov{lle International Advisory Council with the previous consent of their respective Chairman; keep the minutes o/ the meetings o/ the Auroville International Advisory Council, Governing Board and the Committees of the Fou ndation constituted undor Sgctfon 16; record the official proceedings and correspond on behalf of the Aurovll}e 'nternational Advisory Council and the Governing Board and Its Committees; suppty 'o the Central Government a copy Of the Agenda of the meetings of the Governing Board, the Resident*' Assembly and the Aurovltle Internat[onal Advisory Cou ncill as soon as they arc

issued and the minutes Of such meetings; represent the Foundation in sufficient or proceedings, in or before any authority, by or against the Foundation, sign on behalf of attorney, verify pleadings and discharge his powers representative for the purpose; subject to the provisions of the Act and these rules, and the regulations made under the Register of Residents' as provided under the Act; maintain the accounts of the Foundation and arrange for [11 3(i)] 7. (k) (m) : 22, 1, 1919 •preparation of annual estimates and statements of the accounts for their presentation to the Governing Board, the Resident's Assembly and the Auroville International Advisory council; have the accounts of the Foundation finally audited in consultation with the Working Committee in respect of units, trusts, 'choots' and other institutions run by the Auroville residents; furnish to the Central Government the statements and other papers required to be laid before the Houses of Parliament under the Act; on behalf of the Governing Board, arrange to send all returns and statements and such other particulars, as may be prescribed or as the Central Government may direct or require; perform such other functions and exercise such other powers as may be specified in the Act, rules or regulations or as may be required by the Central Government or delegated to him by the Chairman, Governing Board or the Resident's Assembly; 2453 Association of persons with the Governing Board.. (1) (2) Subject to the provisions of subsection (4) of the section 11 and these rules, the Governing board may associate with it any persons whose assistance or advice it may, desire in complying with any of the provisions of the Act; Provided that the purpose of such association shall be directly related to the promotion of the aims and objectives of Auroville or any particular activity related to Auroville in regard to which special professional or technical advice required. Provided further that the Association sought by invitation duration of the association would be clearly specified. and that A person associated with the Governing Board under sub-rule(1) shall have the right relevant to the have the right to take part in the discussions of the Governing Board purpose for which he has been associated, but shall not to vote. GAZETTE OF INDIA : NOVEMBER 22, 1997/AGRAHAYANA 1, 1919 [PART I—SEC. 3(i)] (3) A person invited to associate with the Governing Board shall be paid by the Foundation per-diem daily allowance and travelling allowance at the maximum rates prescribed under the rules applicable to Group "A" officers of the highest grade in the Central Government: Provided that no such person shall be paid any allowance in excess of such rates specified except with the prior approval of the Central Government. Roster of Residents. 8. 9. (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6) The Secretary shall, in accordance with the provisions of subsection (2) of section 18, maintain a register of residents of Auroville who are of eighteen years and above of age and are entitled to have their names entered in the Register of Residents of Auroville shall be maintained in two Parts, namely, Part I and Part II. Part I of the register shall contain, all the names of residents included in the register by the Administrator appointed under section 5 of the Auroville (Emergency Provisions) Act, 1980 (59 of 1980) and Part II shall contain the names and other particulars of residents subsequently admitted to the register as: residents of Auroville. Part II of the Register of residents shall be in Form A appended to those rules. The Register shall, at an reasonable times be open for inspection by the members of the Resident's Assembly and any member of the Resident's Assembly desirous of obtaining a copy of 'extract' from it may apply to the Secretary showing the reasons for such application. The Secretary shall, upon receipt of an application under issue a copy of extract from the register. Register of Residents. A resident of Auroville admitted to Auroville under the terms of sub, : 22, 1, 1919 2455 (2) (3) subsection (2) of section 19 and who of the age of 'eighteen' years or above age on the date of application may submit an application in Form B appended to these rules to the Secretary for registration of his name in the Register. Every application submitted under sub-rule (1) shall be verified in the manner specified in the aforesaid Form. On receipt of an application under sub-rule (1), the Secretary shall issue a receipt to the applicant and process the application as per the direction of the Resident's Assembly and the regulations made by the Governing Board under 'Section 32

10. Funds of the Foundation. The funds of the Foundation shall consist of (2) (a) (c) (d) (e) (1) loans and other monies sanctioned by the Central Government for the purpose of enabling the Foundation to discharge its functions under the Act; contribution to the Foundation received from other sources; Income from the assets of the Foundation; borrowing on the security of the Auroville Foundation or any other assets allowed by the Central Government and receipt of the Foundation from other sources. All monies received shall be deposited in one or more accounts at the State Bank of India or its subsidiary or any other scheduled bank approved in this behalf by the Central Government. All funds shall be paid into the Foundation's account with the Bank and shall not be withdrawn except through a cheque signed by such

authorised person(s) as may be duly empowered in this behalf by the Governing Board upto such limits and for purposes to be specified in the regulation. Approval of the Central Government shall be obtained for deposits made in Banks other than scheduled Banks. 256 GAZETTE OF INDIA : NOVEMBER 22, 1997/AGRAHAYANA 1, 1919 name and [PART 11—SBC. pursuant to the Act, the name or the symbol of Auroville shall not be used for any mark, name, brand name, patents, Word or trade mark of any person for any commercial or non-commercial purpose unless it has been approved by the Board in consultation with the Working Committee. See 8(4) J R of residents of Auroville 1. 2. 4. 5. 6. 8. 9. 10. u. 12. 14. 17. 18

19. Surname, number Family name Name in full Auroville name Sex Fathers /husband's name Date of birth Personal Identification marks Passport number Date and place of issue of passport: Period of validity of passport Occupation Marital status Nationality Address in Auroville Name and address of reference person in Indian home country Date of first arrival in India If presently out of India, last date of departure Details of Residential Permit issued by the Regional Passport Officer, Pondicherry. Male/Female 2431 To : 22, 1, 1919 Sec rule J Application for registration The Secretary Auroville Foundation, Auroville hereby inform you that I am a resident of Auroville and am eligible for inclusion of my name in the register of residents of Auroville maintained by you under subsection (2) of Section 18 of the Auroville Foundation Act, 1988 (54 of 1988), My particulars are given below:- 1. 2. 3. 4. 5, 6, 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 16'

17. Name in full (In capital letters) Family name, any Auroville name Sex Father's name Date of birth (in Christian Era) (supporting document to be attached) Personal Identification marks Passport number Date and place of Issue the Passport Period of validity of the Occupation status Nationality Address in Auroville of Passport Name and address of reference person in Indian home country Date of first arrival in India If presently out of India, last date of departure Details of Residential Permit issued by the Regional Passport Officer, Pondicherry I hereby verify that the particulars given in this application are true to the best of my knowledge, belief and information and nothing has been concealed therefrom. List of names Place Date Received an application date Yours faithfully, Signature of the applicant Recd from Of his/her name In the register of residents Of Auroville Place Date Printed by the Manager, Govt. of India Press, Ring Road, Mayapuri. New Delhi-110064 and Published by the Controller of Publications. Delhi-110054 for registration Secretary D. P. SINGH. Director.