

2. In the Passports Rules, 1967, (i) in rule 2, in sub-clause (b), for items (ii) and (iii), the following items shall be substituted, namely:— "(ii) making additional endorsement on a passport or travel document in respect of foreign countries; (iii) issue of a duplicate passport or travel document in lieu of a passport or travel document which has been lost, stolen, damaged, destroyed or otherwise rendered useless; (iii) Adding a supplementary passport or travel document booklet, when all the pages in an existing passport or travel document have been most used up;" ; (ii) in rule 3, in sub-rule (2), in the proviso, for the words "six months" the words "twelve months" shall be substituted; (1413) THE GAZETTE OF EXTRAORDINARY (i) to rule 5, the following proviso shall be namely;— [PART "Provided that a passport authority may require the applicant to furnish such additional information, documents or certificates, or both, as the Central Government may consider necessary."; (iv) in rule 6— (1) in the proviso— (a) for item (v), the following item shall be substituted, namely.— " (v) proceeds abroad on an employment voucher or offer of employment"; (b) after item (vii), the following item shall be inserted, namely:— " (ix) proceeds to a foreign country to join father, mother, husband, wife, brother, sister, son or daughter and produces a sponsorship declaration by the applicant's relation signed before an authorised officer of the local Government or Notary Public and attested by the Consular Officer in the Indian Mission or Post in that country or signed before the Consular Officer;" (2) after the proviso, as so amended, the following further proviso shall be inserted, namely;— 4 'Provided further that no financial guarantee shall be necessary in respect of an applicant abroad. It shall be— (t) satisfy the passport authority that he has sufficient means to maintain himself abroad; or (ii) was exempted from producing financial guarantee at the time the original passport was issued to him." ; (v) after rule 8, the following rule shall be inserted, namely:— "8A. Refund of fees.—Fees shall be refunded if for within one year from the date of payment thereof in the following cases: (i) it after paying the fee, a person does not submit the application for issue of passport or travel document or for any service on a passport or travel document already held by him; (ii) if the fee paid is in excess of the prescribed fee; and (iii) if the fee is paid for a service for which no fee has been prescribed" • (vi) after rule 15, the following rule shall be inserted, namely:— "16. Inspection of passport or travel document.—The authorities for the the purposes of clause (c) of sub-section (I) of section 12 shall be— (i) the passport authority, (ii) the Officer of Customs or police not below the rank of sub-inspector empowered by a general or special order of the Central Government." . r.N0. VI/401/53/71.] P, N. MENON, secy. 3q)] THE GAZETTE OF INDIA EXTRAORDINARY fü«r 24 1971 1967 (1967 1 5 1967 1. (qtqt 1971 I 2. 1967 (3-5) qrrvr (3) qqr,— "äfFT THE GAZETTE OF INDIA EXTRAORDINARY (8) qqr:-- [PART 11— (9) q:rrt füvr qrrr qrqaarq f*vr qtt (2) q•qr () f<trr (1) q-rqtë q-rvrq t (2) fTq tr.q; qfx•frqfauT SEC. 3(i)] THE GAZETTE OF INDIA EXTRAORDINARY (3) crfä (6) 15 q-fi1A 16 MT 12 (1) 6</401/53/71] PRINTO B' arm.AL M.A.NAan. or INDIA rmo, NEW DELHI AND PUBLISHED BY THE MANAGER OF PUBLICATIONS, DUBI, 1971