

THE HIMACHAL PRADESH ANCIENT AND HISTORICAL MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES AND REMAINS RULES, 1985

CHAPTER I

PRELIMINARY

1. Short title and commencement.—(1) These rules may be called the Himachal Pradesh Ancient and Historical Monuments and Archaeological Sites and Remains Rules, 1985.

(2) These rules shall come into force from the date of publication in the Rajpatra.

2. Definitions.—(1) In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires.

- (a) "Act" means the Himachal Pradesh Ancient and Historical Monuments and Archaeological Sites and Remains Act, 1976 (Act No. 32 of 1976);
- (b) "construction" means the construction of any structure and includes additions to or alterations of an existing building;
- (c) "copying" together with its grammatical variations and cognate expressions, means, preparation of copies by drawing or by photography or by mould or by squeezing and includes the preparation of a cinematographic film with the aid of a hand camera which is capable of taking films of not more than eight millimeters and which does not require the use of a stand or involve any special previous arrangements;
- (d) "filming" together with its grammatical variations and cognate expressions, means the preparation of a cinematographic film with the aid of a camera which is capable of taking films of more than eight millimeters and which requires the use of a stand or involves other special previous arrangements;
- (e) "form" means a form set out in the Third Schedule;
- (f) "mining operations" means any operation for the purpose of searching for or obtaining minerals and includes quarrying, excavating, blasting and any operation of a like nature;
- (g) "prohibited area" or "regulated area" means an area near or adjoining a State protected monument which the State Government has by notification in the Official Gazette declared to be prohibited area or as the case may be, a regulated area for purpose of mining operation or construction or both;
- (h) "section" means a section of the Himachal Pradesh Ancient and Historical Monuments and Archaeological Sites and Remains Act, 1976 (Act 32 of 1976),
- (i) "schedule" means a schedule of these rules; and

(2) All words and expressions used in these rules, but not defined in the Act, shall have the same meaning respectively assigned to them under that Act.

CHAPTER II

ACCESS TO STATE PROTECTED MONUMENTS

3. Monuments governed by agreement.—(1) Access to protected monuments in respect of which an agreement has been entered into between the owner and the Government under Section 6, or in respect of which an order has been made by the Government under section 9, shall be Governed by the provisions of the agreement or the order as the case may be and nothing in rules 4, 5, 6 or 7 shall be construed as affecting any such agreement or order.

(2) A copy of the relevant provisions of every such agreement or order shall be exhibited in a conspicuous part of the monument concerned.

4. Parts of monuments not open.—The Director may by order, direct that any specified part of a protected monument shall not be opened, permanently or for a specified period, to any person other than an Archaeological Officer, his agents, subordinates and workmen and any other Government servant on duty at such part.

5. Monuments when kept open.—(1) The protected monuments specified in the First Schedule shall remain open during the hours specified against them in that schedule. Protected monuments which are not so specified and to which neither rule 3 nor rule 4 applies shall remain open from sunrise to sunset:

Provided that an Archaeological Officer by notice to be exhibited in a conspicuous part of the monument, may direct that such protected monument, or part thereof shall be closed temporarily for such periods as may be specified in the notice.

(2) Nothing in this rule or in rule 6 shall apply to an Archaeological Officer, his agents, subordinates and workmen or to any other Government servant on duty at a protected monument.

6. Entrance fee.—No person above the age of fifteen years shall enter any protected monument or part thereof specified in the Second Schedule except on payment of such fee as may be prescribed by the Director;

Provided that the Director may, by order, direct that on such occasions and for such periods as may be specified in the order, no fee shall be charged for entry into a protected monument or part thereof.

7. Holding of meetings etc. in monuments.—(1) No protected monument shall be used for the purpose of holding any meeting, reception, party, conference or entertainment except under and in accordance with a permission in writing granted by the government.

(2) Nothing in sub-rule (1) shall apply to any meeting, reception party, conference or entertainment which is held in pursuance of a recognised religious usage or custom.

8. Prohibition of certain acts within monuments.—No person shall within a protected monument:—

- (a) do any act which causes or is likely to cause damage or injury to any part of the monument; or
- (b) discharge any fire arms; or
- (c) cook or consume food except in areas, if any, permitted to be used for that purpose; or
- (d) hawk or sell any goods or wares or canvass any customer for such goods or wares or display any advertisement in any form or show a visitor round for monetary consideration except under the authority of, or under and in accordance with the conditions of a licence granted by the Director; or
- (e) beg for alms; or
- (f) violate any practice, usage or custom applicable to be observed in the monument; or
- (g) bring for any purpose other than the maintenance of monument:—
 - (i) any animal; or
 - (ii) any vehicle except in areas reserved for the parking thereof.

9. Penalty.—Whoever:—

- (i) unlawfully enters any protected monument or part thereof at a time when under these rules it is not to be kept open; or
- (ii) unlawfully enters any protected monument in respect of which an order has been made under rules 4 or 5; or
- (iii) contravenes any of the provisions of rule 6 or rule 7 or rule 8 shall be punishable with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

CHAPTER III

CONSTRUCTION AND OTHER OPERATIONS IN PROTECTED AREAS

10. Permission required for construction etc.—(1) No person shall undertake any construction or mining operation within a protected area except under and in accordance with a permission granted in this behalf by the Government.

(2) Every application for permission under sub-rule (1) shall be made to the Government in Form I of the third schedule at least three months before the date of commencement of the construction or operation.

11. Licence required for excavation.—No person other than the Director or an Archaeological Officer authorised by him in this behalf shall undertake any excavation for archaeological purposes in any protected area except under and in accordance with the terms and conditions of a licence granted under rule 13.

12. Application for licence.—Every application for a licence shall be in Form II and be made to the Director at least six months before the proposed date of the commencement of the excavations.

13. Grant or refusal of licence.—(1) On receipt of an application under rule 12, the Director may, subject to the provision of section 24 of the Act, grant a licence to the applicant, in Form III.

Provided that no licence shall be granted unless the applicant has furnished security of such amount not exceeding rupees ten thousand as the Director may, having regard to the circumstances of each case, require.

(2) The Director, by order, may for reasons to be recorded in writing, refuse to grant a licence in any particular case.

14. Period of licence.—Every licence shall be in force for such period not exceeding two years as may be specified in the licence:

Provided that the Director may on application made to him at least one month before the expiry of a licence, extend its period by one year at a time so that the aggregate period does not exceed five years.

15. Cancellation of licence.—The Director may, by order, cancel a licence granted under rule 13 if he is satisfied that the conduct of the excavation operation has not been satisfactory or in accordance with the conditions of the licence, or if any further security demanded under rule 18 has not been deposited within the specified time:

Provided that no licence shall be cancelled unless the licensee, has been given an opportunity to make his objections.

16. Conditions of licence.—Every licence shall be subject to the following conditions, namely:—

- (a) the licence shall not be transferable;
- (b) the licensee shall give to the Director, the Collector and the owner of the land to be excavated at least fifteen days notice in writing of the commencement of the excavation operation;
- (c) the licensee shall produce the licence before the Collector or the District Superintendent of Police concerned or any Archaeological Officer, if so required;

- (d) the excavation operation shall be conducted under the supervision of the supervisor named in the licence who shall be present at the excavation operations for at least three fourths of the period of the operations;
- (e) the licensee shall not without the permission of the Director, dismantle or disturb any structures found during the excavation operations and shall make adequate arrangements for the safety of such structures and of the excavated antiquities till they are taken charge by the Director;
- (f) the licensee shall not subject any antiquities recovered during the excavation operations to any chemical or electrolytic process of claiming without the written permission of the Director;
- (g) the Director or his representative may inspect the excavation operations or any antiquities recovered during the operations and make notes on or copy or film the excavated structures and antiquities;
- (h) the licensee shall not discontinue the excavation operations unless he has given at least fifteen days notice in writing to the Director;
- (i) at the conclusion of the excavation operations, the licensee shall give notice in writing to the owner of the land specifying the nature of the antiquities, if any, recovered during the operation;
- (j) the licensee shall, within three months of the completion of the excavation operations, submit to the Director a summary report of the results of the excavation, and where the operations are carried on for a period of more than three months, such reports shall be submitted every quarter, and if it shall be open to the Director to publish the report in his reports or reviews; and
- (k) the licensee shall as soon as practicable submit a report in Form IV to the Government through the Director on the antiquities recovered during the excavation operations.

17. Recovery from security.—The Director may, by order, direct the deduction from the security furnished by a licensee under rule 13 of —

- (a) the value of any antiquities recovered during the excavation operations and lost or destroyed while in the custody of the licensee; and
- (b) any compensation payable by the Government under section 27 to the owner or occupier of the land excavated by the licensee.

18. Demand for further security.—Where, during the currency of a licence, any amount has been recovered under rule 17, the Director may, require the licensee, within such time as he may specify, to deposit such further sum as security as is equivalent to the amount so recovered.

19. Appeal.—Any person aggrieved by an order of the Director under rule 13 or rule 15 or rule 17 may prefer an appeal to the Government and the decision of the Government on such appeal shall be final.

20. Return of security.—On expiry or earlier cancellation of a licence, the security deposited by the licensee or the balance thereof remaining after deduction of any amount under rule 17 shall be returned to him.

21. Publication of the results of excavation.—Save as otherwise provided in rule 16, the Director, shall not without the consent of the licensee, publish the results of the excavation unless the licensee has failed to publish the results within the period specified by the Director in this behalf.

22. Retention of antiquities by licensee.—The Government may, by order, subject to such terms and conditions as may be specified permit the licensee to retain such of the antiquities recovered during the excavation operation as may be specified therein:

Provided that human relics of historical importance and antiquities which in the opinion of the Government are of outstanding importance, shall not be retained by the licensee.

23. Penalty.—Whoever.—

- (i) unlawfully undertakes any excavation for archaeological purposes in any State protected area; or
- (ii) contravenes any of the conditions of the licence, shall be punishable with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

CHAPTER IV

EXCAVATION IN UNPROTECTED AREAS

24. Intimation to the Government.—The person or institution intending to undertake or authorise any person to undertake any archaeological excavation or other like operations in any area, which is not a protected area shall intimate his/its intention to the Government at least three months prior to the proposed date of the commencement of the excavation or operation specifying, the following details, namely:—

- (i) name, location and other details of the site;
- (ii) nature of antiquities previously found;
- (iii) details of previous exploration, if any;
- (iv) purpose of excavation or operation;
- (v) proposed extent of the excavation or operation; (plan of the site in triplicate showing in red outline the extent of the proposed excavation or operation should be attached);
- (vi) proposed duration of the excavation or operation,
- (vii) amount of the proposed expenditure on the excavation or operation; and
- (viii) name and status of the person incharge of the excavation or operation.

25. Approval by the Government.—The Government may, after considering the proposal, approve it or advise the applicant to modify it or to abandon it altogether.

26. Deputation of an Archaeological Officer.—The Government may depute an Archaeological Officer to inspect the excavation or operation, while it is in progress and render such advice as he deems necessary.

CHAPTER V

REPORT ON EXCAVATED ANTIQUITIES BY THE ARCHAEOLOGICAL OFFICER OR A LICENSEE

27. Form of report by Archaeological Officer or a Licensee under section 23.—Where, as a result of an excavation made by the Archaeological Officer or licensee in any area under section 21 or 22 any antiquities are discovered, the Archaeological Officer or the Licensee shall, as soon as practicable submit a report in Form V to the Director on the antiquities recovered during the excavation.

CHAPTER VI

MOVING OF ANTIQUITIES FROM CERTAIN AREA

28. Application for moving antiquities.—Every application for permission to move any antiquities or any class of antiquities in respect of which a notification has been issued under section 25 of the Act shall be made in Form VI to the Director at least three months before the proposed date of moving.

29. Grant or refusal of permission.—On receipt of the application under rule 23, the Director may, after making such enquiry as he may deem necessary, grant permission for the moving of all or any of the antiquities or, for reasons to be recorded refuse such permission.

30. Appeal.—Any person aggrieved by an order of the Director under rule 29 may refer any appeal to the Government; and the decision of the Government on such appeal shall be final.

CHAPTER VII

MINING OPERATION AND CONSTRUCTION NEAR PROTECTED MONUMENTS

31. Notice of intention to declare a prohibited or regulated area.—(1) Before declaring an area near or adjoining a State protected monument to be a prohibited area or regulated area for purpose of mining operation or construction or both, the Government shall, by notification in the Official Gazette give one months notice of its intention to do so and a copy of such notification shall be affixed in a conspicuous place near the area.

(2) Every such notification shall specify the limits of the area which is to be so declared and shall also call for objections, if any, from interested persons.

32. Declaration of prohibited or regulated area.—After the expiry of one month from the date of notification under rule 31 and after considering the objections, if any, received within the said period, the Government may declare, by notification in the Official Gazette, the area specified in the notification under rule 31, or any part of such area to be prohibited area or, as the case may be, a regulated area for purposes of mining operation or construction or both.

33. Effect of declaration of prohibited or regulated area.—(1) Subject to the provisions of the sub-rule (2), no person other than the Director, shall undertake any mining operation or any construction (a) in a prohibited area, or (b) in a regulated area except under and in accordance with the terms and conditions of a licence granted by the Director.

(2) Where a mining operation intended to be undertaken (a) in a prohibited area or (b) in a regulated area is subject to the provisions of the Mines and Minerals (Regulation and Development) Act, 1957 (LXVI I of 1957) and the rules made thereunder no person shall undertake such mining operation in that area without the permission of the Director.

34. Application for licence.—Every person intending to undertake any mining operation or any construction in a regulated area shall apply to the Director in Form VII at least three months before the date of commencement of such operation or construction.

35. Grant or refusal of licence.—(1) On receipt of an application under rule 34, the Director may grant a licence or, if he is satisfied that the licence asked for should not be granted, may for reasons to be recorded, refuse to grant a licence.

(2) Every licence granted under sub-rule (1) shall be in form VIII and be subject to the following conditions, namely:—

- (a) the licence shall not be transferable;
- (b) it shall be valid for the period specified therein;
- (c) any other condition relating to the manner of carrying out the mining operation or construction which the Director may specify in the licence for ensuring the safety and appearance of, and the maintenance of the approach and access to the State protected monument.

36. Cancellation of licence.—The Director may by order, cancel a licence granted under rule 35, if he is satisfied that any of its conditions has been violated:

Provided that no licence shall be cancelled unless the licensee has been given an opportunity to make his objections.

37. Appeal.—Any person aggrieved by an order of the Director made under rule 35 or 36 may prefer an appeal to the Government and the decision of the Government on such appeal shall be final.

38. Removal of unauthorised buildings.—(1) The Government may, by order, direct the owner or occupier of an unauthorised building in a prohibited area or in a regulated area or of a building or part thereof which has been constructed in contravention of any of the conditions of a licence granted under rule 35, to remove such building or part thereof within a period specified in that order.

(2) If the owner or occupier refuses or fails to comply with an order made under sub-rule (1), the Government may direct the Collector to cause the building or part thereof to be removed, and the owner or occupier shall be liable to pay the cost of such removal.

39. Penalty.—Whoever—

- (i) un-lawfully undertakes any mining operation or construction in a prohibited area or in a regulated area; or
- (ii) contravenes any of the conditions of a licence; or
- (iii) fails or refuses to comply with an order under sub-rule (1) of rule 38, shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to three months or with fine which may extend to Rs. five thousand or with both.

CHAPTER VIII

COPYING AND FILMING OF STATE PROTECTED MONUMENTS

40. Permission required for copying certain monuments.—The Director may, by order, direct that no person other than an Archaeological Officer or any officer authorised by him in this behalf shall copy any specified monument or part thereof except under and in accordance with the terms and conditions of a permission in writing granted by an Archaeological Officer.

41. Conditions of copying other monument.—(1) Any person may copy a protected monument in respect of which no order under rule 40 has been made.

(2) Nothing in sub-rule (1) shall be construed as authorising any person other than an Archaeological Officer or an Officer authorised by him in this behalf while copying any such monument to—

- (a) bring into or use within the precincts of such monument a camera-stand, stool, chair, table, large drawing board, easel or any such appliance; or
- (b) erect any scaffolding within such precincts; or
- (c) use within such precincts any artificial light other than a flash light synchronised with the exposure of a camera; or
- (d) apply any extraneous matter, such as water, oil, grease or any moulding material on such monument or part thereof; or
- (e) prepare a direct tracing or mould or squeeze of such monument or part thereof ;

Except under and in accordance with the terms and conditions of a permission in writing granted by an Archaeological officer.

42. Licence required for filming.—No person other than an Archaeological Officer or an Officer authorised by him in this behalf shall undertake any filming operation at protected monument or part thereof except under and in accordance with the terms and conditions of licence granted under rule 44.

43. Application for licence.—(1) On receipt of an application under rule 43, the Director may grant a licence or if he is satisfied that the licence asked for should not be granted may for reasons to be recorded refuse, to grant a licence:

Provided that the Director shall not grant any licence to film the interior of any protected monuments, that is to say such part of any protected monument as is covered by a roof of any description, except when the film is for the purpose of education or of publicising the monument.

(2) Every licence granted under sub-rule (1) shall be in Form X and be subject to the following conditions namely:

- (a) the licence shall not be transferable and shall be valid for the period specified therein;
- (b) nothing shall be done by the licensee or any member of his party which has, or may have the effect of exposing any part of the monument or attached lawn or garden to the risk of damage;
- (c) the filming operation shall be restricted to that part of the monument in respect of which the licence has been granted;
- (d) no extraneous matter, such as water, oil, grease or the like shall be applied on any part of the monument;
- (e) the generating plant for electric power wherever required shall be placed away from the monument, of the attached lawn or garden;
- (f) the filming operation shall not obstruct or hamper the movement of persons who may lawfully be within the precincts of the monument; and
- (g) any other condition which the Director may specify in the licence.

45. Cancellation of licence.—The Director, by order, may after giving notice to the licensee to explain his position cancel a licence granted under rule 44 if he is satisfied that any of the conditions has been violated.

46. Appeal.—Any person aggrieved by an order of the Director made under rule 45 may prefer an appeal to the Government, and the decision of the Government; on such appeal shall be final.

47. Certain rules not affected.—Nothing in rule 41 and provision of a permission granted under rule 40 or of a licence granted under rule 44 shall effect the operation of rules 3, 4, 5, 6, 8 and 9.

48. Penalty.—Whoever copies or films any protected monument or does any other act, in contravention of any provision of this chapter or of any permission or licence granted thereunder shall be punishable with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

CHAPTER IX

MISCELLANEOUS

49. Manner of preferring an appeal.—(1) Every appeal to the Government under the Act or under these rules shall be in writing and shall be preferred within one month of the date of receipt of the order appealed against.

(2) Every such appeal shall be accompanied by a copy of the order appealed against.

50. Service of orders and notices.—Every order or notice made or issued under the Act or these rules shall,—

- (a) in the case of any order or notice of a general nature or affecting a class of persons, be published in the official gazette; and

- (b) in the case of any order or notice affecting a corporation or firm, be served in the manner provided for the service of summons, in rule 2 of order XXIX or rule 3 of order XXX as the case may be in the first schedule to the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908; and
- (c) in the case of any order or notice affecting an individual person; be served on such person—
 - (i) by delivering or tendering it to the persons concerned; or
 - (ii) if it cannot be so delivered or tendered by delivering or tendering it to any adult member of the family of such person or by affixing a copy thereof on the outer door or some conspicuous part of the premises in which that person is known to have last resided or carried on business or personally worked for gain; or
 - (iii) by sending it by registered post, acknowledgement due.

51. Repeal and saving.—The Punjab Ancient and Historical Monuments and Archaeological Sites and Remains Rules, 1965 as in force in any region of the State of Himachal Pradesh immediately before the commencement of the rules are hereby repealed:

Provided that anything done or any action taken under the rules so repealed shall, so far as it is not inconsistent with the provisions of these rules, be deemed to have been done or taken under the corresponding provision of these rules.

FIRST SCHEDULE

HOURS DURING WHICH CERTAIN PROTECTED MONUMENTS AND PARTS
THEREOF WILL REMAIN OPEN

(See Rule 5)

Sl. No.	District	Locality	Name of State protected monument	Part of monuments which will remain open during hours other than from sunrise to sunset	Hours of opening
1	2	3	4	5	6

(List to be declared later on separately by notification after approval from the Government).

SECOND SCHEDULE

PROTECTED MONUMENTS OR PARTS THEREOF ENTRY TO WHICH CAN BE HAD
ONLY ON PAYMENT OF FEE

(See Rule 6)

Sl. No.	District	Locality	Name of protected monument	Part of monuments for which payment of fee is required
1	2	3	4	5

(List to be declared later on separately by notification after approval of the Government).

THIRD SCHEDULE

FORM—I

(See rule 10)

APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION FOR CONSTRUCTION/MINING OPERATION
WITHIN A PROTECTED AREA

1. Name and address of applicant.....
(If the application is on behalf of an organisation the name thereof should be given)
.....

2. Name of the Protected Area within which construction/
mining is proposed.....

Locality
District.....

3. Name and detail of the proposed construction/mining in respect of which
permission is sought

(In the case of construction a site plan in triplicate showing in red outline the location of the building in relation to the protected area and the plan and elevation of the building shall be attached and the colour, external appearance and the method of the screening of the building and the depth down to which the soil will be excavated for the appurtenances of the building should be specified in the case of mining operation, a site plan in triplicate showing in red outline the extent of the operation in relation to the protected area shall be attached, and details regarding the depth down to which the operation is to be carried out, the mode of operation, the method of the muffling of sound, the kind of the charges of blasting material and the depth and number of blast-holes to be fired at a time shall be specified)

4. Purpose of the proposed construction/mining operation.....
5. Approximate duration and date of commencement of the proposed construction/mining operation

I declare that the above information is correct. I also undertake to observe the provision of the Himachal Pradesh Ancient and Historical Monuments and Archaeological Sites and Remains Act, 1976 and the rules made thereunder.

Seal of the organisation Station
Date

Signature of the (If the application is on behalf of a organisation that of the head of that organisation)

FORM II

(See rule 12)

APPLICATION FOR LICENCE TO EXCAVATE IN A PROTECTED AREA

1. Name and address of applicant (If the application is on behalf of an institution the name thereof should be given)
2. Name of site: Locality
 District
3. Nature of antiquities previously found.....
4. Details of previous exploration, if any.....
5. Purpose of excavation or operation.....
6. Extent of proposed excavation:—
(A) Plan of the site in triplicate showing in red outline the extent of the proposed excavation or operation should be attached).
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7. Approximate duration and date of commencement of the proposed excavation.....
8. Approximate expenditure on the proposed excavation.....

- 9 Name and status of the supervisor of the excavation or operation
- 10 Details of photographic, surveying and other equipment available for the proposed excavation

I declare that the above information is correct, I also undertake to observe the provision of the Himachal Pradesh Ancient and Historical Monuments and Archaeological Sites and Remains Act, 1976, and the rules made thereunder.

Seal of the
organisation

Station
Date

Signature of applicant.
(If the application is on behalf
of an institution, the signature
should be that of the head of
the institution).

FORM III

(See rule 13)

LICENCE FOR EXCAVATION IN A PROTECTED AREA

Whereas..... has applied for a licence for carrying out excavation operations in the Protected Area known as.....at.....district..... and has undertaken to observe the provisions of the Himachal Pradesh Ancient and Historical Monuments and Archaeological Sites and Remains Act, 1976 and the rules made thereunder and has further deposited the sum of Rs.....(Rupees.....) only as required by the rules.

I,..... Director..... do hereby grant this licence under sub-rule (1) of rule 13 of the said rules to the said..... to carry out excavation operations in the area indicated in red outline on the plan attached hereto.

The licence is granted subject to the provisions of said Act and the said rules and is further subject to the conditions that.....of shall be the Supervisor of excavation)

The licence is not transferable. It shall be valid for.....commencing with.....19.....

Seal of the
Director

Station
Date

Signature of Director,

FORM IV

(See rule 16)

REPORT ON ANTIQUITIES EXCAVATED IN A PROTECTED AREA

Name of site.....
 Locality.....
 District.....

Report for the period from.....to.....

Sl.No.	Class of antiquities	Material	Number of antiquities		Approximate age	Remarks
			(Complete)	(Fragmentary)		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

Station.....

Date.....198

Signature of licensee

In the case of potsherds the approximate number should be stated.

FORM V

(See Rule 27)

REPORT ON ANTIQUITIES EXCAVATED BY THE ARCHAEOLOGICAL OFFICER OR THE LICENSEE

Name of site.....
 Locality.....
 District.....

Report for the period from.....to.....

Sl.No.	Class of antiquities	Material	Number of antiquities		Approximate age	Remarks
			Complete	Fragmentary		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

Station.....

Date.....

Signature of the Archaeological
 Officer or the Licensee

1. In the case of potsherds, the approximate number should be stated.

FORM VI
(See rule 28)

APPLICATION FOR THE MOVING OF ANTIQUITIES

1. Name and address of applicant
(If the application is on behalf of an organisation, the name thereof should be given)
2. Name of the place from which antiquities are to be removed.
Locality
District
3. Description of antiquities proposed to be moved (Photographs showing details of the antiquities should be attached).
4. Approximate date of the moving.
5. Purpose of the moving
6. Whether the antiquities or any of them are objects of worship.

I declare that the above information is correct.

Seal of the
organisation.

Station
Date

Signature of applicant
(If the application is on behalf of
an organisation the signature
should be that of the head of that
organisation).

FORM VII
(See rule 34)

APPLICATION FOR LICENCE FOR MINING OPERATION/CONSTRUCTION WITHIN
A REGULATED AREA

1. Name and address of applicant
2. Name of the monument near or adjoining which the regulated area is situated
Locality
District
3. Nature and details of the proposed mining operation/
construction in respect of which permission is sought

In the case of mining operation, a site plan in triplicate showing in red outline the extent of the operation in relation to the monument and the regulated area should be attached, and the details regarding the depth down to which the operation is to be carried out, the mode of the operation, the method of the muffling of sound, the kind of the charge of blasting material and the depth and number of blasting holes to be fired at a time should be specified. In the case of construction a site plan in triplicate showing in red outline the location of the building in relation to the monument and the regulated area and the plan and elevation of the building should be attached, and the colour, external appearance and method of the screening of the building and the depth down to which the soil will be excavated for the appurtenances of the building should be specified.

4. Purpose of the proposed mining operation/construction
5. Approximate duration and date of commencement of the proposed mining operation
construction

I declare that the above information is correct, I shall undertake to observe the provisions of the Himachal Pradesh Ancient and Historical Monuments and Archaeological Sites and Remains Act, 1976 and the rules made thereunder.

Signature of the applicant.

FORM VIII

(See rule 35)

LICENCE FOR MINING OPERATION/CONSTRUCTION WITHIN A REGULATED AREA

Whereas.....of.....has applied for.....
in the regulated area near or adjoining.....at.....District.....
.....and has undertaken to observe the provisions of the Himachal Pradesh Ancient
and Historical Monuments and Archaeological Sites and Remains Act, 1976 and the rules made
thereunder.

I....., Director.....
do hereby grant this licence under sub-rule (1) of rule 35 of the said rules to the said.....
for.....in the area indicated in red outline on the plan attached
hereto

The licence is granted subject to the provisions of the said Act and the said rules and is fur-
ther subject to the following conditions, namely:—

The licence is not transferable. It shall be valid for.....commencing with.....day
of.....19.....

Seal of the Director

Station.....
Date

Signature of the Director

FORM IX

(See rule 43)

APPLICATION FOR LICENCE OF FILMING OPERATION AT A PROTECTED MONUMENT

1. Name and address of applicant.....
2. Name of the protected monument at which the proposed filming operation is to be carried out.

Locality.....
District.....

3. Part of the monument proposed to be filmed.....
4. Nature and purpose of the proposed filming operation and the context in which the monu-
ment is proposed to be filmed (relevant extract of the script should be attached in tri-
plicate and details of the scenes to be filmed should be furnished in triplicate)
5. Number of persons in the cast.....
6. Approximate duration and date of commencement of proposed filming operation.

I declare that the above information is correct, I also undertake to observe the provisions of
the Himachal Pradesh Ancient and Historical Monument and Archaeological Sites and Remains
Act, 1976, and the rules made thereunder.

Seal of the organisation.

Station.....Signature of the
Date.....applicant.

FORM X

(See rule 44)

LICENCE FOR FILMING OPERATION AT A PROTECTED MONUMENT

Whereas.....of.....has applied for a licence for filming operation at the protected monument known as..... located at.....District.....and has undertaken to observe the provisions of the Himachal Pradesh Ancient and Historical Monument and Archaeological Sites and Remains Act, 1976, and the rules made thereunder.

I,.....Director.....do hereby grant this licence under rule 44 of the said rules to the said.....for the carrying out of filming operations as per script and details of scenes attached hereto in the following parts of the monuments, namely—

The licence is granted subject to the provisions of the said Act, and the said rules and is further subject to the following conditions, namely:—

The licence is not transferable. It shall be valid for.....commencing with.....day of.....198 .

Seal of the Director

Station.....Signature of the Director.
Date.....