

PUBLIC NOTICE

**EXCISE AND TAXATION COMMISSIONER,
GOVERNMENT OF HARYANA,
S.C.O. 71 TO 75, SECTOR-17C, CHANDIGARH.**

NOTICE FOR INVITING APPLICATIONS FOR THE ALLOTMENT OF WHOLE SALE LICENSE OF COUNTRY LIQUOR (L-13) FROM THE GENERAL PUBLIC FOR THE YEAR 2008-2009 IN VARIOUS DISTRICTS OF THE STATE.

Wholesale License of Country Liquor (L-13):

The allotment of L-13 shall be made on application from general public. The selection of the allotment shall be made by draw of lot. The license fee and refundable security of the license are fixed at Rs 1 lac and Rs 2 lac respectively. There may be two whole sale licenses (L-13) for each distillery in every District. The quota of the distillery shall be distributed equally between the two L-13 licensees.

The following eligibility criteria are prescribed for applicants for allotment of whole sale license of country liquor (L-13):

- The applicant must be sponsored by three retail sale vends of country liquor (L-14A) of the district.
- The applicant should have established credential. For the purpose, he should have a certificate from two gazetted officers of the Government to the effect that he/she is known to him/her for the last two years and bears good moral character.
- The applicant should be eligible in accordance with all other provisions of Excise law.
- The applicant must have adequate resources for having this license.

Every retail sale vend of country liquor shall be allowed to sponsor one person for allotment of L-13 Licenses. One person can make only one application for allotment of L-13 Licenses in the district and only for the district of retail sale vends.

The application shall be typed on simple paper and be made on payment of non refundable/ non adjustable application fee of Rs 5000/-. The allotment shall be made on application, in case of more than one application, through transparent draw of lot at the District level. The draw of lot, if necessary shall be conducted by a committee consisting of Deputy Commissioner, a representative of Excise and

Taxation Commissioner, Deputy Excise and Taxation Commissioner (Excise), Deputy Excise and Taxation Commissioner (ST) and Excise and Taxation Officer (Excise) or Assistant Excise and Taxation Officer (Excise) of the respective district in the presence of the applicants who wish to be present on the date of draw.

The distillery shall be allotted to the successful applicant by conducting draw of lot among the distilleries against him/her selection. For the purpose, the names of all applicants shall be put in one transparent jar and single slip containing name of distillery for each distillery (presently 8) shall be put in second transparent jar. First, name of allottee shall be selected from first Jar and name of distillery shall be selected against his/her name from the second jar. The drawn name of allottee and distillery shall be removed from next round of draw of slips. Once all the 8 slips for each distillery finds an allottee, the second jar (for names of distillery) shall again be filled with 8 slips containing name of distillery for each distillery. The process shall be repeated till all licenses (L-13), sixteen in number, are allotted or the applicants are exhausted, whichever is earlier.

The wholesale outlet of country liquor (L-13) in every district headquarter of the State shall maintain regular and ready supply of country liquor to the retail liquor outlets of country liquor (L-14A).

The stock of country liquor at the stage of L-13 shall be duty paid.

The wholesale outlets of country liquor (L-13) shall obtain permits / passes issued by the respective Deputy Excise & Taxation Commissioners (Excise) of the districts.

All payments (License fee, security and application fee) shall be made by draft in favor of DETC(X) of the concerned district.

The licenses shall be granted subject to the provisions of Punjab Excise Act, 1914 as applicable to the State of Haryana and the rules framed thereunder.

The whole sale licensee of Country Liquor (L-13) shall be authorized to supply the brands of country liquor of the distillery to all authorized retailers of the District.

The licensee shall, in addition to maintaining the required records and furnishing of statements given in the rules *ibid* shall in addition be required to comply with any other direction/ instruction that may be considered expedient by the Department.

The typed application must contain the following details:

Name of district, The name of the applicant and all particulars.

Permanent address and correspondence address.

Bank account number

Details of moveable and immovable property for solvency.

Further, the application be accompanied with the following documents:

Two attested passport size photographs

Identity proof, it can be copy of ration card with photo, passport, voter I card

Draft of Rs 2 lac as security

Application fee Rs 5000/-

Character certificate from two gazetted officers

Sponsorship from three L-14A vendors of the District with vend code.

Non-conviction affidavits.

The successful allottee shall be required to furnish the following within a day of draw of allotment:

Proof of ownership, lease, rental of the premises at which the wholesale outlet of IMFL (L-13) is proposed to be opened.

The applicant shall furnish no objection certificates from the municipal committee, chief medical officer, fire officer of the respective district. The allottee shall deposit the fee on the day of draw of allotment.

Security may be forfeited in case of any mis-conduct by the applicant during or upto the completion of process of allotment, refusal to accept the license on selection, non deposit of fee or other required documents, any breach or effect the recovery due towards the applicant/ allottee.

Time Schedule:

The applications shall be received from 3-4-2008 to 7-4-2008 in the office of DETC(X) concerned. The draw of lot shall be held on 10-4-2008.

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