

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA  
DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

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**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**Meghalaya Cyber Cafe Rules: 2012**

Govt. of Meghalaya has notified Cyber Cafe Rules with effect from 17<sup>th</sup> Sept 2012. All cyber cafe owners and users are requested to strictly adhere to the following provisions of the rules:-

**(a) Owners**

- ❖ Register your Cyber Cafe with the DC office by 31<sup>st</sup> Dec 2012 for obtaining licence.
- ❖ Take precautions against use of computer systems for any illegal or criminal activities.
- ❖ Establish identity of users before allowing access to computer resources.
- ❖ Maintain proper records of usage history along with photographs of users.
- ❖ Ensure all systems are equipped with safety filtering software so as to avoid access to web sites relating to pornography, obscenity, terrorism and other objectionable materials.
- ❖ Partitions of Cubicles built or installed should not exceed four and half feet in height from the floor level.
- ❖ All users are required to be photographed using web camera.

**(b) Users**

- ❖ Help establishing your identity through PAN Card, Voter ID Card, Passport, Driving license, UID, Photo ID Card by any Govt. Dept or Photo ID Card by Bank or Post Office.
- ❖ All minors to be accompanied by Guardians.

**Inspection**

Police Officers of the rank of Inspector or above are authorised to inspect cyber to ensure compliance of the rules.

**Penalties**

Any person failing to comply or furnish information return etc. under these rules, shall be liable for penalty under sections 43, 43A, 44 and 45 of IT act 2000 and 2008.

For further detail, please refer IT Department Website at <http://www.meghdit.nic.in>

  
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