

STATE EXCISE LOTTERY GAZETTE DIRECTIVE 2026

Institutional Operating Guidelines & Allocation Policy

GOVERNMENT OF STATE EXCISE & PROHIBITION DIRECTORATE

DIRECTORATE OF PROHIBITION & EXCISE - STATUTORY ORDER NO. 44/2026

1. SCOPE AND JURISDICTION:

This Gazette Notification regulates the computerized allocation of retail country liquor, foreign liquor (FL-1), composite vends, and bar restaurant licenses for Year 2026-27.

2. APPOINTMENT OF DISTRICT MONITORING COMMITTEES:

Each computerized lottery draw shall be conducted under the direct supervision of the District Magistrate (Collector) with live video surveillance and algorithmic verification.

3. DISTANCE RESTRICTIONS & SOCIAL ZONING:

No licensed shop shall be permitted within 100 meters of any educational institution, recognized place of public worship, hospital, or national highway intersection.

4. MANDATORY e-CHALLAN & REVENUE TRANSMISSION:

All statutory application processing fees are collected via Unified Payments Interface (UPI) and credited to the Consolidated Fund of the State Government.

By Order of the Governor / State Excise Commissioner

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