

RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE LICENSING OF MEAT SHOPS IN RAIPUR

State: Chattisgrah

Details of city permits are as follows:

According to section 434 of C.G. Municipal Corporation Act,1956 certain offences are punishable with fine i.e. section 225 imposes a maximum fine of Rs.1000 and fine of Rs.5000 is the animals, meat etc., are sold outside the market without license. Also a daily fine of Rs.5000 may be imposed when the offence is a continuing one.

Section 255 of the Municipal Corporation Act, 1956 requires one to acquire license to sell or expose for sale any animal or any meat or fish for human consumption in any place other than a licensed market or a Corporation. It will not include any meat or flesh or fish sold in any hotel or eating houses for consumption on premises.

Section 257 of C.G. Municipal Corporation Act, 1956 imposes a maximum fine of Rs.5000 is the slaughter of animal is done without permission outside municipal slaughter house.

The above provisions clarifies that meat shops also needs license. The Fees and Procedures are as follows:

Licensing Procedure:

As per section 366, licenses are needed for doing any act that is specified by or under the corporation Act. Every application for license shall be applied to the commissioner and every license shall be signed by the commissioner and shall specify:

1. The date of granting
2. The purpose and the period
3. The restrictions and the conditions for grant
4. The name of the person to which the license is granted
5. The tax paid for the license
6. The date for renewal

License fees:

The fees for a butcher shop is Rs.200 /-

General Instructions:

The person is obliged to produce the license when it is asked for inspection. The commissioner has the power to suspend or revoke the license for the breach of the provisions of the Act or byelaws. If the applicant has applied for renewal on or before the date prescribed for renewal and the renewal is pending, then the applicant has the

right to act as if it is renewed. Suspended licenses will make the effect that license period has been expired till the inspector cancel the order of suspension.

Timings:

No shop or establishment is allowed to open earlier or be kept open later than the timings fixed by the government. The last customer must be served before a half an hour of the closure.

As per the shops and establishment Act, hawking in public places is prohibited before the opening and after the closing hours. No establishments are allowed to open earlier than 5.00 am or later than 1.30a.m and the employer shall not commence the work earlier than 4.30 am and later than 2.00 am. No employer is allowed to work more than 48 hours in a week.

Penalty:

As per the section 246, the establishment of a factory etc without a permission from the commissioner can add a fine of Rs.500/- and selling animals, meat etc without a license can give a fine of Rs.500/-