



**Corporate Laws & Corporate Governance Committee
The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India**

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Sub: Amendment in the Companies (Removal of names of companies from the register of companies) Rules, 2016.

This is to inform you that the Ministry of Corporate Affairs vide its notification dated 24th August 2022 has amended Form No. STK-1 and STK-5A of Companies (Removal of Names of Companies from the Register of Companies) Rules, 2016. The amendments are as follows:

In the Companies (Removal of Names of Companies from the Register of Companies) Rules, 2016, –

- (a) in Form No. STK-1, in paragraph (1), for the brackets and words “(tick whichever is applicable)”, the following shall be substituted, namely:
- “the company is not carrying on any business or operations, as revealed after the physical verification carried out under sub-section (9) of section 12.
(Tick whichever is applicable)”
- (b) in Form STK-5, in paragraph 1, after sub-paragraph (iii) and before the long line, the following shall be inserted, namely:
- “(iv) the following companies are not carrying on any business or operations, as revealed after the physical verification carried out under sub-section (9) of section 12.”
- (c) Further, in Form No. STK-5A, in paragraph 1, for the brackets and words “[Strike off whichever is not applicable]”, the following shall be substituted, namely:
- “(iv) are not carrying on any business or operations, as revealed after the physical verification carried out under sub-section (9) of section 12.”

Notification is available at the link-

<https://www.mca.gov.in/bin/dms/getdocument?mids=z76om3NiBGIHmWy4e0HtcA%253D%253D&type=open>

Members may take note of the above.

Sincerely Yours,

Chairperson and Vice Chairperson
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