"बशर्ते कि उन प्रस्तावों पर भारतीय रिज़र्व बैंक से अलग से अनुमोदन लेने की आवश्यकता नहीं है, जिन्हें सरकारी अनुमोदन अथवा संबंधित मंत्रालय/विनियामक से लाइसेन्स/ अनुमित दी गई है। इसके अलावा, रक्षा क्षेत्र से संबन्धित परियोजना कार्यालय खोलने के प्रस्ताव संबंधी उन मामलों में भारत सरकार से अलग से संदर्भ अथवा अनुमोदन प्राप्त करने की आवश्यकता नहीं होगी, जहां संबन्धित अनिवासी आवेदक को रक्षा मंत्रालय अथवा सर्विस हैडक्वार्टर अथवा रक्षा क्षेत्र के सार्वजनिक उपक्रम द्वारा कोई कांटैक्ट/करार प्रदान किया गया है / करारबद्ध किया गया है।"

[फा. सं. 16/13/EM/2014-Part-I]

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पाद-टिप्पणी: मूल विनियमावली 31 मार्च 2016 को सा.का.नि. सं. 384 (अ) भाग-II, खंड 3, उप-खंड (i) के तहत सरकारी राजपत्र में प्रकाशित किया गया।

RESERVE BANK OF INDIA

(Foreign Exchange Department)

(CENTRAL OFFICE)

NOTIFICATION

Mumbai, the 21st January, 2019

No. FEMA 22 (R)/(2)/2019-RB

Foreign Exchange Management (Establishment in India of a branch office or a liaison office or a project office or any other place of business) (Amendment) Regulations, 2019

G.S.R. 40(E).—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (6) of Section 6 of the Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 (42 of 1999) the Reserve Bank of India makes the following amendment in the Foreign Exchange Management (Establishment in India of a branch office or a liaison office or a project office or any other place of business) Regulations, 2016 [Notification No. FEMA 22(R)/RB-2016 dated March 31, 2016], namely:

1. Short Title & Commencement:-

- (i) These Regulations may be called the Foreign Exchange Management (Establishment in India of a branch office or a liaison office or a project office or any other place of business) (Amendment) Regulations, 2019.
 - (ii) They shall come into force from the date of publication in the official Gazette.

2. Amendment to Regulation 5

In Regulation 5, in clause (c) for the existing proviso, the following shall be substituted namely:

"Provided that approval of the Reserve Bank of India is not required in case where Government approval or license/permission by the concerned Ministry/Regulator has already been granted. Further, in the case of proposal for opening a project office relating to defence sector, no separate reference or approval of Government of India shall be required if the said non-resident applicant has been awarded a contract by/entered into an agreement with the Ministry of Defence or Service Headquarters or Defence Public Sector Undertakings."

[F. No. 16/13/EM/2014-Part-I]

R. K. MOOLCHANDANI, Chief General Manager

Foot Note: The Principal Regulations were published in the Official Gazette *vide* G.S.R. No. 384(E) dated March 31, 2016.