



# भारतीय विधिज्ञ परिषद् BAR COUNCIL OF INDIA

(Statutory Body Constituted under the Advocates Act, 1961)

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## Chairman's Order dated 12.2.2015

I have perused the letter received from Mr. Ashok Mehta, Chairman Bar Council of Rajasthan wherein it was informed that Bar Council of Rajasthan while having its General House meeting on 14.12.2014 has considered the report of the Committee constituted in the last General meeting held on 12.10.2014 in the matter of re-examination of the Bar Association of Rajasthan Rules of 2013 whereas they have taken the decision to repeal the old rules i.e Bar Association of Rajasthan Rules 2013 and frame the new rules namely Bar Association Rules, 2014. It is also to note that the Hon'ble Chairman, Bar Council of India vide order dated 2.12.2014 has made it clear if the State Bar Council passes the amendments and send it for the approval to the Bar Council of India, the same will be considered by the General House of Bar Council of India as per the rules. The order dated 2.12.2014 has only mentioned about the amendments as suggested by the Sub-Committee, a copy of the amendment suggested by sub-Committee was sent to the Bar Council of India.

In the present resolution passed by the State Bar Council of Rajasthan, there is nothing mentioned about the amendment which was suggested by the sub-Committee.

At this stage, it is not proper to repeal the old rules i.e Rules Bar Association of Rajasthan, 2013 which were approved by the Bar Council of India vide order dated 2.12.2014.

In view of the above, it is directed that the election of the office bearers of Bar Association whose term are ending on or before 28.2.2015 are required to conduct the election on or before 31.3.2015. However, the said election would be conducted as per the rules applicable on the date of election i.e. rule approved by the Bar Council of India on dated 2.12.2014. Rajasthan Bar Council shall fix a date for election of all the Associations of the State whose term expires on or after 1.3.2015 and the election should be held on one date in the entire State.

  
**Manan Kumar Mishra**  
Chairman, Bar Council of India