

# WEEKLY COMPLIANCE ROUNDUP

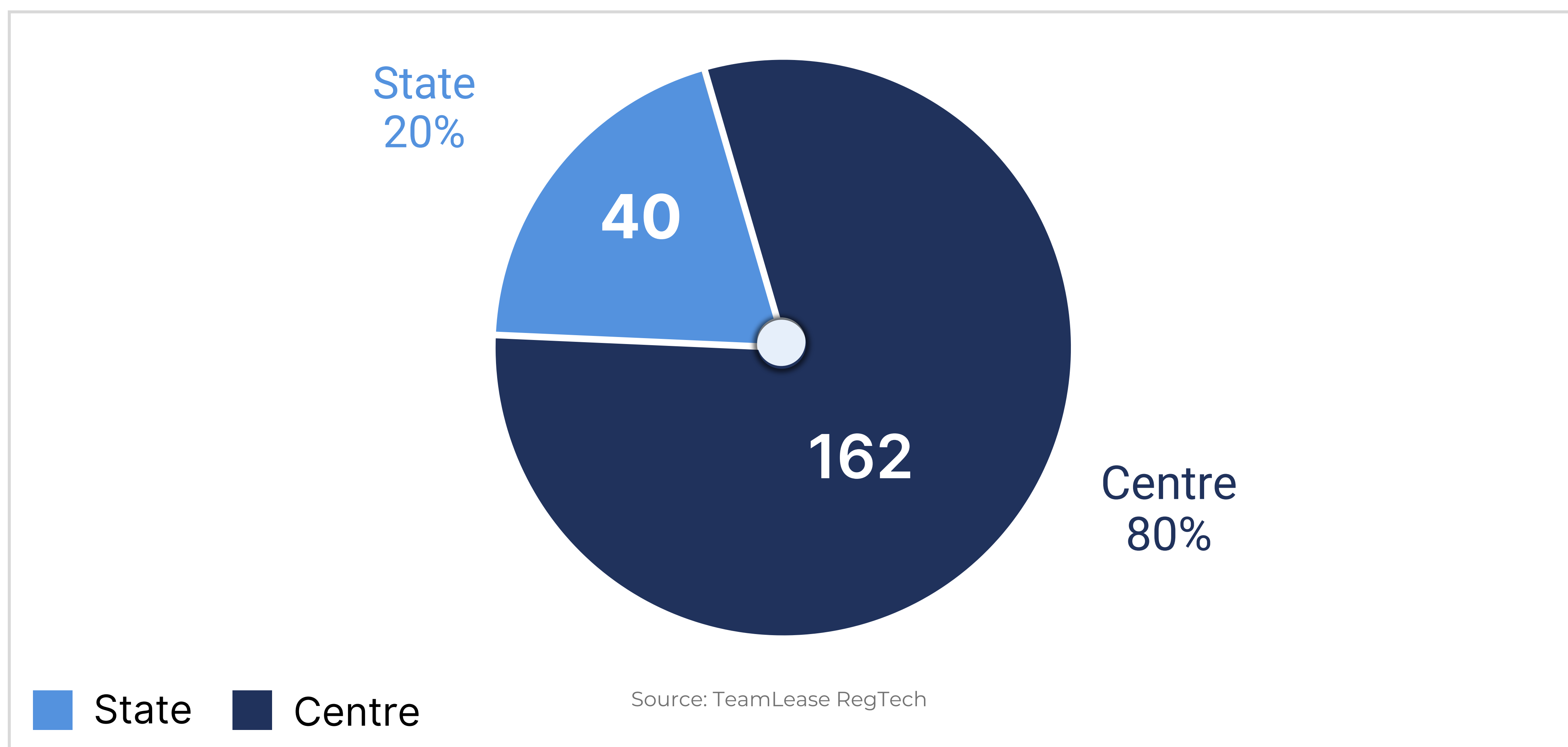


**JULY 18 - JULY 24**

**2026**

# Weekly Newsletter Summary

Total Legal Updates **202**



## 1 FINANCE AND TAXATION

**There were 13 legal updates in this category**

- The Ministry of Finance (MoF) on July 22, 2026, issued the Income-tax (Second Amendment) Rules, 2026 to further amend the Income-tax Rules, 2026.
- The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) on July 21, 2026, seeks comments on Draft Rationalisation of Foreign Exchange Management (Foreign Investment) Rules, 2026.
- The Central Board of Indirect Taxes and Customs (CBIC), on July 16, 2026, amended the All Industry Rates (AIR) of Duty Drawback by revising the drawback values for specified jewellery items under Chapter 71 of the Customs Tariff.
- The Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT) has enabled eligible taxpayers to view information relating to their foreign assets and income received under the Automatic Exchange of Information (AEOI) framework through the Annual Information Statement (AIS) on the Income Tax e-Filing portal.
- The Reserve Bank of India (RBI), on July 21, 2026, announced the premature redemption price for Sovereign Gold Bond (SGB) 2018-19 Series V, which is eligible for redemption on July 22, 2026, in accordance with the Sovereign Gold Bond Scheme.

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## 2 SECRETARIAL

### There were 59 legal updates in this category

- The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI), on July 23, 2026, issued a Consultation Paper proposing a comprehensive review of the SEBI (Portfolio Managers) Regulations, 2020 to simplify the regulatory framework, strengthen investor protection, and improve ease of doing business for portfolio managers.
- The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) on July 23, 2026, issued a circular on Simplification and standardisation of the framework for transmission of securities.
- The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI), on July 21, 2026, issued a circular operationalising Regulation 24(i)(ea) of the SEBI (Buy-back of Securities) Regulations, 2018, which mandates the freezing of promoter and promoter group holdings, including their associates, at the ISIN level from the date of approval of a buy-back until the closure of the offer.
- The Indian Clearing Corporation Limited (ICCL) on July 17, 2026, updated the Eligible Banks List for Collateral Norms.

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## 3 COMMERCIAL

### There were 16 legal updates in this category

- The Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS) on July 10, 2026, notified the establishment of six new Indian Standards covering industrial components, machinery safety, calibration, and galvanising specifications.
- The Ministry of Road Transport and Highways (MoRTH), on July 17, 2026, published the draft Central Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Rules, 2026, inviting objections and suggestions within 30 days from the date of publication in the Gazette of India.
- On July 13, 2026, the Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS) notified the establishment of four revised Indian Standards under the Bureau of Indian Standards Rules, 2018.
- The Ministry of Heavy Industries (MoHI) on July 10, 2026, issued a report on aggregation of Multi-Sectoral long-term Battery Storage Capacity Demand and Long-Term Action Plan.
- The Directorate General of Foreign Trade (DGFT) on July 22, 2026, issued a notification regarding Syncing of ITC (HS), 2022- Schedule-1 (Import Policy) with Finance Act, 2026, dated March 30, 2026.

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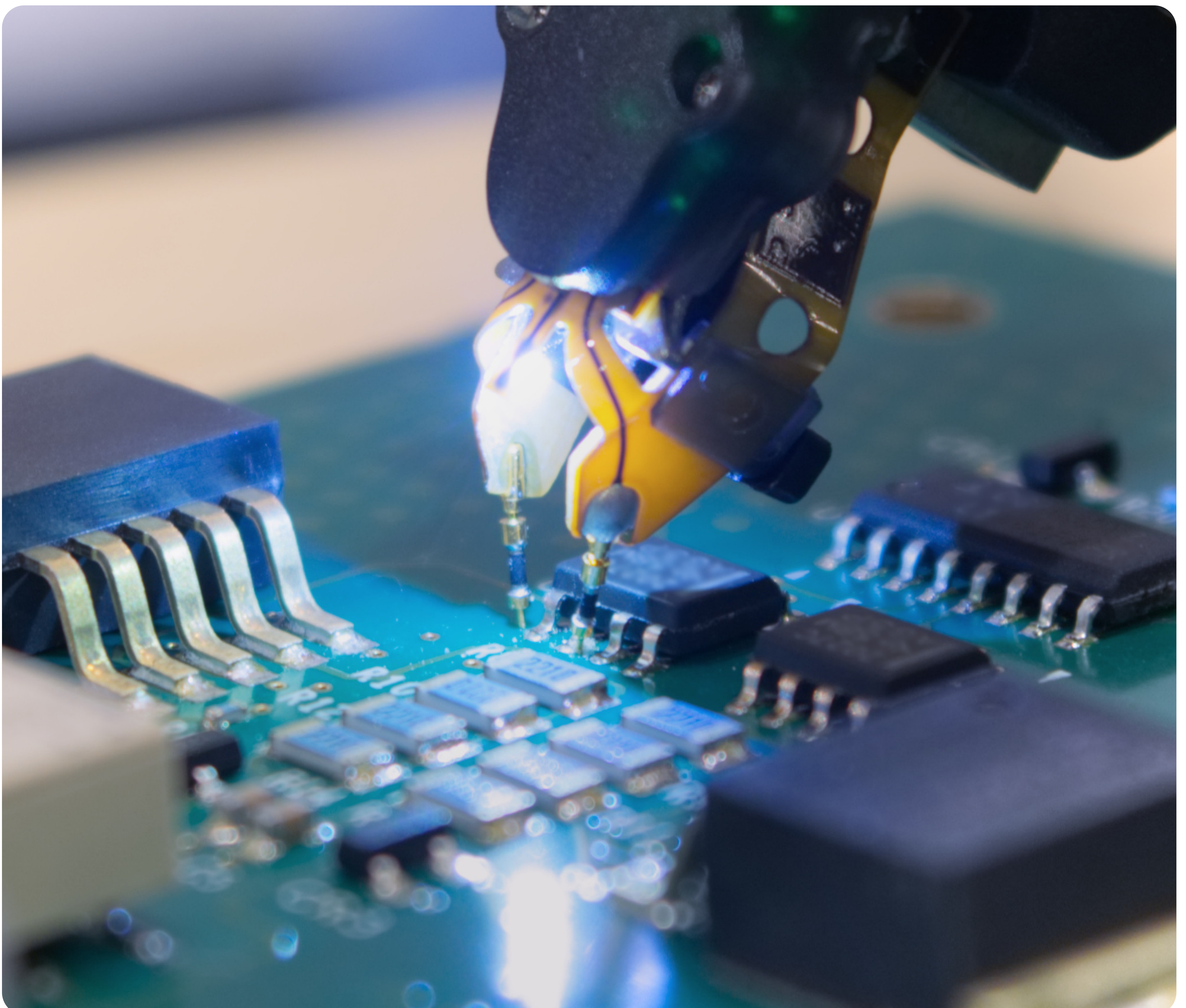


## 4 INDUSTRY SPECIFIC

### There were 84 legal updates in this category

- The Ministry of Civil Aviation, on July 17, 2026, issued the Aircraft (Investigation of Accidents and Incidents) (Amendment) Rules, 2026 to amend further the Aircraft (Investigation of Accidents and Incidents) Rules, 2025.
- The Ministry of Electronics & IT (MeitY) on July 22, 2026, issued press release regarding IT framework to combat harmful online content, CSAM, and AI-generated misuse under IT Act and IT Rules.
- The Central Drugs Standard Control Organisation (CDSCO), on July 2026, issued the Guidance Document on Medical Device Software (MDSW) to provide regulatory guidance for manufacturers, importers, innovators, and researchers seeking approvals for Medical Device Software, including In Vitro Diagnostic (IVD) Medical Device Software, under the Medical Devices Rules, 2017.
- The Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways (MoPSW) on July 21, 2026, issued the Indian Ports Rules, 2026.
- The Department of Telecommunications (DoT) on July 20, 2026, has notified the Telecommunications (Authorisation for Telecommunication Network) Rules, 2026 under the Telecommunications Act, 2023.

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## 5 ENVIRONMENT, HEALTH AND SAFETY

### There were 15 legal updates in this category

- The Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB), on July 2026, issued comprehensive Guidelines for Environmentally Sound Recycling of Waste Batteries under the Battery Waste Management Rules, 2022.
- The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC) on July 16, 2026, notified the Hazardous and Other Wastes (Management and Transboundary Movement) Amendment Rules, 2026, further to amend the Hazardous and Other Wastes (Management and Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016.
- The NITI Aayog, on July 13, 2026, issued a notification regarding India Bio Economy Roadmap: Vision for Global Bio-Leadership.
- The Petroleum and Explosives Safety Organisation (PESO), on July 10, 2026, invited suggestions from stakeholders for a comprehensive review of the Acts and Rules administered by PESO to enhance safety, simplify regulatory procedures, promote Ease of Doing Business (EoDB), and align the regulatory framework with technological advancements and international best practices.

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## 6 LABOUR

### There were 15 legal updates in this category

- The Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority (PFRDA) on July 14, 2026, notified the Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority (Exits and Withdrawals under the National Pension System) (Amendment) Regulations, 2026, to amend the Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority (Exits and Withdrawals under the National Pension System) Regulations, 2015.
- The Ministry of Labour and Employment on July 21, 2026, constituted a new Central Advisory Board under Section 42 of the Code on Wages, 2019, superseding the earlier notification dated January 29, 2019.
- The Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority (PFRDA), on July 13, 2026, issued the amended PFRDA (Registration of Pension Funds) Guidelines, 2026, prescribing the framework for the selection of sponsors and registration of pension funds under the PFRDA Act, 2013 and the PFRDA (Pension Fund) Regulations, 2015.
- The Ministry of Labour and Employment (MoL&E) on July 13, 2026, issued a notification regarding Standards for Vocational Training Centres in Mines.
- The Board of Practical Training (Eastern Region) (BoPTER) on July 14, 2026, issued a notification regarding changes in the NATS Portal Workflow for Apprenticeship Enrolment.

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