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Government of India  
Ministry of States

Dated New Delhi-2, the 24th August, 1950.

NOTIFICATION

In pursuance of clause (1) of article 239 of the Constitution and in supersession of all previous notifications on the subject, the President is pleased to direct that the Chief Commissioners of Himachal Pradesh, Bilaspur, Kutch, Bhopal, Tripura, Vindhya Pradesh and Manipur, shall, subject to the control of the President, and until further orders, exercise the powers and discharge the functions of the Central Government under sections 6, 7, 11, 13, 15, sub-sections (1), (2) and (4) of section 16, clause (c) of section 17, and sections 18, 25, 26, 30 and 32 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 ( XI of 1878), as for the time being in force in their respective States provided that ---

(a) the powers under section 11 shall be exercised subject to the previous sanction of the Central Government; and

(b) the powers under section 18 shall be limited to the territory under the administrative control of the Chief Commissioner and shall be subject to the power of the Central Government to cancel or suspend any licence throughout the territory or any part of India to which the said Act extends.

Sd/- Hari Sharma  
Joint Secretary

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