

## महाराष्ट्र शासन राजपत्र असाधारण भाग आठ

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## असाधारण क्रमांक ९०

## प्राधिकृत प्रकाशन

महाराष्ट्र विधानमंडळाचे अधिनियम व राज्यपालांनी प्रख्यापित केलेले अध्यादेश व केलेले विनियम आणि विधि व न्याय विभागाकडून आलेली विधेयके (इंग्रजी अनुवाद).

In pursuance of clause (3) of article 348 of the Constitution of India, the following translation in English of the Maharashtra Co-operative Societies (Amendment) Act, 2015 (Mah. Act No. XXIV of 2015), is hereby published under the authority of the Governor.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra,

M. A. SAYEED,
Principal Secretary and
R.L.A. to Government,
Law and Judiciary Department.

## MAHARASHTRA ACT No. XXIV OF 2015.

(First published, after having received the assent of the Governor in the "Maharashtra Government Gazette", on the 31st July 2015).

An Act further to amend the Maharashtra Co-operative Societies Act, 1960.

Mah. WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Maharashtra XXIV Co-operative Societies Act, 1960, for the purposes hereinafter appearing; 1961. it is hereby enacted in the Sixty-sixth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

1. This Act may be called the Maharashtra Co-operative Societies  $^{\rm Short\ title.}$  (Amendment) Act, 2015.

Insertion of section 73CC in Mah. XXIV of 1961

tion of section 73CB of the Maharashtra Co-operative Societies Act, Mah. Section 73CC of Mah. Section 1960, the following section shall be inserted, namely:—

Of 1961.

Power of State Government to postpone election. "73CC. Where due to scarcity, drought, flood, fire or any other natural calamity or rainy season or any election programme, of the State Legislative Assembly or Council or House of the People or a local authority, coinciding with the election programme of any society or class of societies, in the opinion of the State Government, it is not in the public interest to hold elections to any society or class of societies, the State Government may, notwithstanding anything contained in this Act or the rules, or bye-laws made thereunder, or any other law for the time being in force, for reasons to be recorded in writing, by general or special order, postpone the election of any society or class of societies, for a period not exceeding six months at a time, which period may further be extended so, however, that, the total period shall not exceed one year in the aggregate."