

Companies (Adjudication of Penalties) Amendment Rules, 2024

The Companies (Adjudication of Penalties) Amendment Rules, 2024 was issued by MCA on 05th August, 2024.

The said Rules would be effective from 16th September, 2024.

- These rules are designed to modernize the process of adjudicating penalties under the Companies Act, 2013.
- With introduction of these rules, all proceedings (including issue of notices, filing replies or documents, evidences, holding of hearing, attendance of witnesses, passing of orders and payment of penalty) of adjudicating officer and Regional Director under these rules shall take place in electronic mode only through a newly e-adjudication platform developed by the Central Government.
- Notices in this regard shall be sent on registered emails of the concerned persons.
- In case email of the concerned person is not available, the notices shall be sent through post at the last intimated address or address available in the records.
- In case address of the concerned person is also not available, the notice shall be placed on the e-adjudication platform.