

The Boilers Act, 2025

Section 1 - Short title, commencement and application

(1) This Act may be called the Boilers Act, 2025.

(2) It shall come into force on such date¹as the Central Government may, by notification in the OfficialGazette, appoint; and different dates may be appointed for different provisions of this Act and any referencein any provision to the commencement of this Act shall be construed as a reference to the coming into forceof that provision.

(3) Save as otherwise expressly provided, the provisions of this Act shall apply to all boilers and boilercomponents including boilers and boiler components belonging to the Central Government and the StateGovernments.

(4) Nothing in this Act shall apply to---

(a) locomotive boilers belonging to or under the control of the railways;

(b) any boiler or boiler components,---

(i) in any vessel propelled wholly or in part by the agency of steam;

(ii) belonging to or under the control of the Army, Navy or Air Force; or

(iii) appertaining to a sterilizer or disinfecter used in hospitals or nursing homes, if the boilerdoes not exceed one hundred litres in capacity.

1. 1st day of May, 2025, *vide* notification No. S.O. 1943 (E), dated 30th day of April, 2025, *see* Gazette of India,Extraordinary, Part II, sec. 3 (ii).