

**Penal provision under the West Bengal Fire Services Act, 1950 and the Rules and or Regulations framed there under**

Serial No.	Section/ Rule/ Regulation	Descriptions	Punishment
1.	Chapter IIIA, Section 11J	11J. Penalty for contravention of provisions of Chapter IIIA.- Whoever contravenes any provision of Chapter IIIA or the rules made there under or fails to comply with any requisition lawfully made to him under any provision of Chapter IIIA or the rules made there under shall, without prejudice to any other action that may be taken against him under section 36 or section 37, be punishable with imprisonment for a term of three years which may extend to five years or with fine of twenty thousand rupees which may extend to five lakh rupees or with both and, where the offence is a continuing one, with a further fine of one thousand rupees which may extend to ten thousand rupees for every day during which such offence continues after the conviction for the first such offence.	Punishable with imprisonment for a term of three years which may extend to five years or with fine of twenty thousand rupees which may extend to five lakh rupees or with both and, where the offence is a continuing one, with a further fine of one thousand rupees which may extend to ten thousand rupees for every day during which such offence continues after the conviction for the first such offence.
2.	Chapter V, Section 23C	23C. Penalty for not giving way to fire brigade vehicles. Any person who, being in charge of a vehicle, contravenes the provisions of section 5C shall be punishable, on conviction with fine which may extend to two thousand rupees.	Punishable, on conviction, with fine which may extend to two thousand rupees.
3.	Chapter V, Section 24	24. Penalty for selling fire-works. Any person who sells fire- works without obtaining a license, or were a license to sell fire-works has been granted breaks any of the conditions specified in the license, shall be punishable on conviction, with fine of one thousand rupees which may extend to five thousand rupees.	Punishable on conviction, with fine of one thousand rupees which may extend to five thousand rupees.
4.	Chapter V, Section 25	25. Penalty on house-holders for allowing rockets, etc. to let off without license. If any rockets are let off or fire-balloons sent up from within the precincts of any private premises or compound without a license, the owner or occupier or person under whose immediate control the premises or compound is, shall unless he can prove that the offence was committed without his knowledge, be punishable, on conviction with fine of one thousand rupees which may exceed to five thousand rupees.	Punishable, on conviction with fine of one thousand rupees which may exceed to five thousand rupees.
5.	Chapter V, Section 26	26. Penalty for not taking out a license for a warehouse or workshop.- Any person who without a license uses any premises for the purpose referred to in section 12 shall be punishable, on conviction with fine of one thousand rupees which may extend to five thousand rupees or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months or with both, and with further fine not exceeding five hundred	Punishable, on conviction with fine of one thousand rupees which may extend to five thousand rupees or with imprisonment for a term which

		rupees for each day during which he may continue to so use such premises	may extend to two months or with both, and with further fine not exceeding five hundred rupees for each day during which he may continue to so use such premises.
6.	Chapter V, Section 27	27. Penalty for using warehouse or workshop after refusal, etc., of license. Any person who, for the purpose referred to in section 12, uses any premises in respect of which a license has been refused, or after the license in respect thereof has been cancelled or during the time for which such license has been suspended, shall be punishable, on conviction, with fine of one thousand rupees which may extend to five thousand rupees or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months or with both, and with further fine not exceeding five hundred rupees for each day during which he may continue to so use such premises.	Punishable, on conviction, with fine of one thousand rupees which may extend to five thousand rupees or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months or with both, and with further fine not exceeding five hundred rupees for each day during which he may continue to so use such premises.
7.	Chapter V, Section 33A	33A. Penalty for erecting structure, etc., in contravention of section 23A.- Any person who erects any structure or pandal in contravention of the provisions of sub-section (2) of section 23A, shall be punishable, on conviction with fine of ten thousand rupees which may extend to fifty thousand rupees or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one month or with both, and with further fine not exceeding three thousand rupees for each day during which such contravention continues.	Punishable, on conviction with fine of ten thousand rupees which may extend to fifty thousand rupees or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one month or with both, and with further fine not exceeding [three thousand rupees for each day during which such contravention continues.