

**DECISION OF THE
REGIONAL TRANSPORT AUTHORITY
THRISSUR HELD ON 13.03.2025
AT EXECUTIVE CONFERENCE HALL,
CIVIL STATION, AYYANTHOLE,
THRISSUR**

CHAIRMAN RTA THRISSUR	:	Sri. ARJUN PANDIAN IAS DISTRICT COLLECTOR, THRISSUR
MEMBER RTA THRISSUR	:	Sri. ILANGO R IPS DISTRICT POLICE CHIEF, THRISSUR CITY
MEMBER RTA THRISSUR	:	Sri. JAMES M P DEPUTY TRANSPORT COMMISSIONER CENTRAL ZONE-I, THRISSUR
SECRETARY RTA THRISSUR	:	Sri. JAYESHKUMAR M K REGIONAL TRANSPORT OFFICER, THRISSUR

ITEM NO: 1

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the grant of a regular stage carriage permit for the route from **Munakkal Beach to Kodungallur**. The RTA, in its meeting held on 13.08.2024, considered the application as item no. 1 and adjourned, directing the Secretary to furnish a report on the exact overlapping distance considering the various schemes/notifications of the proposed route. Upon reviewing the report submitted by the Secretary and considering the objections raised by existing operators, it was revealed that the stage carriage would need to travel (via) North Nada, East Nada, and West Nada to reach the Kodungallur bus stand from Chandapura, thereby covering an additional distance along the notified route. Consequently, the matter is **Adjourned** with directions to the Secretary, RTA, to submit a detailed report regarding the feasibility of conducting the service through the notified route without exceeding the permissible overlapping distance, along with the exact route length.

ITEM NO: 2

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the grant of a regular stage carriage permit for the route from **Kodungallur - Vellangallur**. The RTA, in its meeting held on 13.08.2024, considered the application as item no. 2 and adjourned, directing the Secretary to furnish a report on the exact overlapping distance considering the various schemes/notifications of the proposed route. Upon reviewing the report submitted by the Secretary and considering the objections raised by existing operators, it was revealed that the stage carriage would need to travel (via) North Nada, East Nada, and West Nada to reach the Kodungallur bus stand from Chandapura, thereby covering an additional distance along the notified route. Consequently, the matter is **Adjourned** with directions to the Secretary, RTA, to submit a detailed report regarding the feasibility of conducting the service through the notified route without exceeding the permissible overlapping distance, along with the exact route length.

ITEM NO: 3

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the grant of a regular stage carriage permit for the route from **Kodungallur - Azhikode - Moonupeedika**. The RTA, in its meeting held on 13.08.2024,

considered the application as item no. 3 and adjourned, directing the Secretary to furnish a report on the exact overlapping distance considering the various schemes/ notifications of the proposed route. Upon reviewing the report submitted by the Secretary and considering the objections raised by existing operators, it was revealed that the stage carriage would need to travel (via) North Nada, East Nada, and West Nada to reach the Kodungallur bus stand from Chandapura, thereby covering an additional distance along the notified route. Consequently, the matter is **Adjourned** with directions to the Secretary, RTA, to submit a detailed report regarding the feasibility of conducting the service through the notified route without exceeding the permissible overlapping distance, along with the exact route length.

ITEM NO: 4

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the grant of a regular stage carriage permit for the route from **Munnakkal Beach - Mathilakam - Kodungallur**. The RTA, in its meeting held on 13.08.2024, considered the application as supplementary item no. 1 and adjourned, directing the Secretary to furnish a report on the exact overlapping distance considering the various schemes/ notifications of the proposed route. Upon reviewing the report submitted by the Secretary and considering the objections raised by existing operators, it was revealed that the stage carriage would need to travel (via) North Nada, East Nada, and West Nada to reach the Kodungallur bus stand from Chandapura, thereby covering an additional distance along the notified route. Consequently, the matter is **Adjourned** with directions to the Secretary, RTA, to submit a detailed report regarding the feasibility of conducting the service through the notified route without exceeding the permissible overlapping distance, along with the exact route length.

ITEM NO: 5

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for grant of a fresh regular stage carriage permit on the route Chalakkudy – Mathilakam – Karalam as ordinary service. Regular stage carriage permit **Granted** on the route **Chalakkudy – Mathilakam – Karalam**, subject to settlement of timings.

ITEM NO: 6

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the grant of reserve regular stage carriage permit. Reserve regular permit **granted** to **KL 08 AK 7333** to conduct substitute services for the following regular permits,

SL No	Reg: Mark	Permit No	Route
1	KL 08 AS 0063	KL88/706/2006	Bangalavumkadavu-Thrissur-Thriprayar
2	KL 08 AY 2012	KL88/61996/1996	Thrissur-Edamuttam
3	KL 08 AQ 2662	KL88/12675/2000	Thrissur-Guruvayur
4	KL 08 AS 2992	KL88/1034/2002	Guruvayur-Thrissur
5	KL 08 AM 7133	KL88/1017/1995	Thrissur-Guruvayur
6	KL 08 AR 5656	KL88/1890/1990	Uppumthuruthykadavu-Thrissur

subject to validity of primary permits and in compliance to the below mentioned conditions in SRO 880/75 dated 29.09.1975

1. The reserve bus shall be used solely for substitute service in place of the regular route stage carriages (route buses) for which the reserve bus is authorized to conduct substitute service and not for any other purpose during the entire quarter; and
2. Tax in respect of all route buses, in place of which the reserve bus is authorized to ply, shall be paid within the prescribed period of the quarter.
3. The reserve stage carriage (reserve bus) shall be used only for 20 days at a time; subject to maximum of 2 months only in any one quarter in place of any one regular route stage carriage (route bus).
4. The reserve bus shall be used only when the regular route stage carriage is kept off the road.

ITEM NO: 7

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the renewal of regular stage carriage permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 46 P 0225** on the route **Edappal-Thrissur**. Since the applicant has submitted the application for the renewal of regular permit within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988, the renewal of regular permit in respect of this stage carriage KL 46 P 0225 on the route Edappal-Thrissur is **Granted** as **ordinary service**, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 8

1. Perused the Judgement of Hon'ble High Court of Kerala in WP(C) no. 45500/2024 dated 19.12.2024
2. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the renewal of regular stage carriage permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 13 V 6375** on the route **Ayyanthole – Ottapalam - Pulapetta**. Since the applicant has submitted the application for the renewal of regular permit within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988, the renewal of regular permit in respect of this stage carriage KL 13 V 6375 on the route Ayyanthole-Ottapalam-Pulapetta is **Granted** as **ordinary service**, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 9

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the renewal of regular stage carriage permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 26 A 630** on the route **Guruvayur – Kodungallur**. The validity of regular permit expired on 29.08.2020 and the application for renewal of permit was submitted within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988. This vehicle is under hire-purchase/hypothecation agreement with Thrissur District Motor Transport Owner's Co-Operative Society Ltd.No 856, Thrissur. The applicant submitted the application for Renewal of permit in form PRA without accompanying the NOC from the financier.

As per Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules 172(2) *“Application for renewal of permit shall be in form ‘PRA’ and shall be accompanied by the permit where the Motor vehicle is subject to a hire-purchase, lease or hypothecation agreement, the certificate or communication, or as the case may be, the declaration referred to in sub section (8) of Section 51 of the Act”.*

The financier, Thrissur District Motor Transport Owners' Co-operative Society Ltd. No. 856, Thrissur, raised a strong objection before this Authority against renewing the regular permit for this stage carriage, stating that the applicant is in default under the provisions of the hypothecation agreement.

As per Section 51(9) of Motor Vehicle Act, 1988 “*On the receipt of an application for the renewal of any permit or for the issue of duplicate certificate of registration or for assignment of a new registration mark in respect of a vehicle which is held under the said agreement, the appropriate authority may, subject to the other provisions of this Act-*

(a) In case where the financier has refused to issue the certificate applied for, after giving the applicant an opportunity of being heard, either –
(i) Renew or refuse to renew the permit.”

Since the applicant has failed to submit the NOC from the financier, the application for the renewal of the regular permit for the stage carriage KL 26 A 630 on the Guruvayur–Kodungallur route is **Rejected** by invoking the provisions of Section 51(9)(a)(i) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988, and Rule 172 of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989.

ITEM NO: 10

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the renewal of the regular stage carriage permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 48 J 405** on the route **Thriprayar – Ottapalam**. Since the applicant has submitted the application for the renewal of regular permit within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988, the renewal of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage KL 48 J 405 on the route Thriprayar – Ottapalam is **Granted** as **ordinary service**, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 11

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the renewal of the regular stage carriage permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 52 K 2000** on the route **Peechi- Kuttippuram**. Since the applicant has submitted the application for the renewal of regular permit within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988, the renewal of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage KL 52 K 2000 on the route Peechi-Kuttippuram is **Granted** as **ordinary service**, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 12

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the renewal of the regular stage carriage permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 48 B 2300** on the route **Kaliyar Road - Cherpulassery - Ayyanthole**. Since the applicant has submitted the application for the renewal of regular permit within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988, the renewal of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage KL 48 B 2300 on the route Kaliyar Road - Cherpulassery -Ayyanthole is **Granted** as **ordinary service**, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 13

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the renewal of the regular stage carriage permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 08 BE 8400** on the route **Parappur- Thrissur - Kuttipuram**. Since the applicant has submitted the application for the renewal of regular permit within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988, the renewal of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage KL 08 BE 8400 on the route Parappur-Thrissur - Kuttipuram is **Granted** as **ordinary service**, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 14

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the renewal of the regular stage carriage permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 08 BJ 6084** on the route **Thriuvilwamala - Kodungallur**. Since the applicant has submitted the application for the renewal of regular permit within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988, the renewal of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage KL 08 BJ 6048 on the route Thriuvilwamala - Kodungallur is **Granted** as **ordinary service**, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 15

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the renewal of the regular stage carriage permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 11 BD 1370** on the route **Peechi - Kodungallur**. Since the applicant has submitted the application for the renewal of regular permit within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988, the renewal of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage KL 11 BD 1370 on the route Peechi – Kodungallur is **Granted** as **ordinary service**, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 16

1. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the renewal of the regular stage carriage permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 65 C 1048** on the route **Thriprayar - Vatanappilly**. Since the applicant has submitted the application for the renewal of regular permit within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988, the renewal of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage KL 65 C 1048 on the route Thriprayar - Vatanappilly is **Granted** as **ordinary service**, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.
2. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 65 C 1048** on the route **Thriprayar-Vatanappilly**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Smt. Saraswathy Radhakrishnan to the name of Sri Ajayagosh N A, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 17

1. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the renewal of the regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 47 5957** on the route **Chungam - Kottakadavu (via) Azhikode**. Since the applicant has submitted the application for the renewal of regular permit within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988, the renewal of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage KL 47 5957 on

the route Chungam-Kottakadavu (via) Azhikode is **Granted** as **ordinary service**, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

2. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 47 5957** on the route **Chungam - Kottakadavu (via) Azhikode**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Smt. Preethy Babu to the name of Sri. Sangeeth Krishna, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 18

1. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the renewal of the regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 05AG 2311** on the route **Eloor Ferry - Palakkad**. Since the applicant has submitted the application for the renewal of regular permit within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988, the renewal of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage KL 05 AG 2311 on the route Eloor Ferry - Palakkad is **Granted** as **ordinary service**, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.
2. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 05 AG 2311** on the route **Eloor Ferry - Palakkad**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri. Joshy C N to the name of Sri. Akhil Babu K, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 19

1. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the renewal of the regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 47 F 4001** on the route **Kodungallur - Kadampuzha - Thrissur**. Since the applicant has submitted the application for the renewal of regular permit within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988, the renewal of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage KL 47 F 4001 on the route Kodungallur -Kadampuzha - Thrissur is

Granted as **ordinary service**, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

2. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 47 F 4001** on the route **Kodungallur - Kadampuzha - Thrissur**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri. Sulaiman to the name of Sri. Rahul V R, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 20

1. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the renewal of the regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 48 5859** on the route **Wadakkanchery - Ayyanthole**. Since the applicant has submitted the application for the renewal of regular permit within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988, the renewal of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage KL 48 5859 on the route Wadakkanchery -Ayyanthole is **Granted** as **ordinary service**, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.
2. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the transfer of a regular permit (due to the death of the permit holder) in respect of the stage carriage **KL 48 5859** on the route **Wadakkanchery - Ayyanthole**. Considering the application, the transfer of the regular permit (due to the death of the permit holder) is **Granted** to the name of the legal heir, Sri. Suneesh P P from the name of the deceased permit holder, Sri. Paraman, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 21

1. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the renewal of the regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 08AT 8565** on the route **Thrissur - Kondayur**. Since the applicant has submitted the application for the renewal of regular permit within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988, the renewal of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage KL 08 AT 8565 on the route Thrissur - Kondayur is **Granted** as **ordinary service**, subject

to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

2. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the transfer of a regular permit (due to the death of the permit holder) in respect of the stage carriage **KL 08 AT 8565** on the route **Thrissur - Kodayur**. Considering the application, the transfer of the regular permit (due to the death of the permit holder) is **Granted** to the name of the legal heir, Sri. Rohith G Nair from the name of the deceased permit holder, Sri. Gokulan E, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 22

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for variation of regular permit in respect of stage carriage **KL 47 G 1067** operating on the route **Kodngallur - Moonupeedika**.

1. By alteration of the route portion on the 6thtrip by curtailing the route from Asmabi college to Pathiyassery (Via) Anchangadi for a distance of 3.4Km and thereby deviation of the route portion from Asmabi College to Pathiyassery (Via) Kattan Bazar for a distance of 3.2 Km

2. By alteration of the route portion on the 7thtrip by curtailing the route portion from Pathiyassery to Asmabi College (via) Anchangadi for a distance of 3.4Km and thereby deviation of the route portion from Pathiyassery to Asmabi College (via) Kattan Bazar for a distance of 3.2km & curtailing the route portion from Poklayi to Moonupeedika (via) West Perinjanam for a distance of 6.8Km and thereby deviation of the route portion from Poklayi to Moonupeedika (via) Emmad, Onaparambu, Perijnam for a distance of 6.4 Km

3. By alteration of the route portion on the 8thtrip by curtailing the route portion from Moonupeedika to Poklayi (via) West Perinjanam for a distance of 6.8Km and thereby deviation of the route portion from Moonupeedika to Poklayi (via) Perinjanam, Onaparambu, Emmad for a distance of 6.4Km and curtailing the route portion from Asmabi College to Pathiyassery (via) Anchangadi for a distance of 3.4Km and thereby deviation of the route portion from Asmabi College to Pathiyassery (via) Kattan Bazar for a distance of 3.2 Km

4. By alteration of the route portion on the 10thtrip by curtailing route portion from Asmabi College to Pathiyassery (via) Anchangadi for a distance of 3.4Km and thereby deviation of route portion from Asmabi College to Pathiyassery (via) Kattan Bazar for a distance of 3.2km & Extension of the

route portion from Kottakadavu to Puthenvelikara for a distance of 4 Km

5. By alteration of the route portion on the 11th trip by extension of the route portion from Kottakadavu to Puthenvelikara for a distance of 4 Km

Upon reviewing the report submitted by the Secretary regarding the variation of the regular permit for the stage carriage KL 47 G 1067 operating on the route Kodungallur–Moonupeedika, it is found that the total route length is 32 km, out of which 4.7 km from Kothaparamba to Keetholi overlaps with the notified Thrissur–Thriprayar–Thrissur (Circular) route, as per GO(P) No.8/2017/Trans dated 23.03.2017.

Under the proposed variation, the total distance of variation is 9.6 km, including a deviation of 3.2 km from Asmabi College to Pathiyassery (via) Kattan Bazar and 6.4 km from Poklayi to Moonupeedika (via) Emmad, Onaparambu, and Perinjanam, along with a 4 km extension from Kottakadavu to Puthenvelikara under the jurisdiction of RTA Ernakulam. Consequently, the total route length will increase from 32 km to 45.6 km, out of which 5.2 km overlaps with the notified Thrissur–Thriprayar–Thrissur (Circular) route, as per GO(P) No.8/2017/Trans dated 23.03.2017 (4.7 km from Kothaparamba to Keetholi and 0.5 km from Perinjanam to Moonupeedika).

The total overlapping distance of 5.2 km exceeds the permissible overlap of either 5 km or 5% of the length of the operator's own route, whichever is less, on the notified routes for the purpose of intersection. As per Clause 19 of GO(P) No.8/2017/Trans dated 23.03.2017, "The State Transport Undertaking reserves the right to operate additional services or increase the number of trips on each route listed in the annexure of GO(P) No.8/2017/Trans dated 23.03.2017 based on traffic demand."

Hence, the proposed variations for the stage carriage **KL 47 G 1067** on the Kodungallur–Moonupeedika route are **Rejected** as they violate Clauses 5(c) and 19 of GO(P) No.8/2017/Trans dated 23.03.2017.

ITEM NO: 23

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for variation of regular permit in respect of stage carriage **KL 12 E 5162** operating on the route **Thriprayar –Guruvayur.**

1. By alteration of the route portion on the 2nd trip by curtailing the route portion from Manalur Church to Companypadi centre (via) Bhavi Bus stop for a distance of 1Km and thereby deviation of the route portion from Manalur Church to Companypadi centre (via) Manalur High school, Kanjani 3-way Junction, Kanjani Bus stand, Ayyappakavu Temple for a distance of 6.3 Km.

2. By alteration of the route portion on the 3rd trip by curtailing the route portion from Companypadi centre to Manalur Church via Bhavi Bus stop for a distance of 1 Km and thereby deviation of the route portion from Companypadi centre to Manalur church via Ayyappankavu Temple, Kanjani Bus stand, Kanjani 3 way Junction, Manalur High School, for a distance of 6.3 Km and also by curtailing the route portion from Thriprayar to Vadanappilly Chilanka Centre for a distance of 5.5 Km.

3. By alteration of the route portion on the 4th trip by curtailing the route portion from Thriprayar to Vadanappilly Chilanka Centre for a distance of 5.5 Km and there by starting the trip from Vadanappilly Chilanka Centre and curtailing the route portion from Manalur Church to Companypadi centre via Bhavi Bus stop for a distance of 1 Km and thereby deviation of the route portion from Manalur church to Companypadi centre via Manalur High School, Kanjani 3 way Junction, Kanjani Bus stand and Ayyappankavu Temple, for a distance of 6.3 Km.

Upon reviewing the report submitted by the Secretary regarding the variation of the regular permit in respect of the stage carriage KL 12 E 5162, it is found that the proposed variation of the 4th trip, by curtailing the route portion from Thriprayar to Vadanappilly Chilanka Centre for a distance of 5.5 km, will not affect the travel facilities for the public, as the route is well served by other stage carriages.

In addition to the proposed curtailment, a deviation of the route portion from Companypadi Centre to Manalur Church (via) Ayyappankavu Temple, Kanjani Bus Stand, Kanjani 3-Way Junction, and Manalur High School for a distance of 6.3 km has been reported to cause additional traffic congestion on the proposed route.

Hence, the Secretary is hereby directed to submit a detailed report on the circumstances arising from the proposed curtailment of the route portion from Thriprayar to Vadanappilly Chilanka Centre, as stipulated in Rule 145(6) of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989. Additionally, the Secretary is directed to submit a report on the frequency of services before and after the proposed curtailment of the trip to evaluate whether it will impact the existing travel facilities for the public. The Secretary is also directed to submit a detailed report on the width and condition of the carriageway along the

proposed route portion from Companyadi Centre to Manalur Church via Ayyappankavu Temple, Kanjani Bus Stand, Kanjani 3-Way Junction, and Manalur High School, including the prevailing conditions that may cause traffic congestion even during non-peak hours.

The decision on the application for the variation of the regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 12 E 5162**, operating on the route Thriprayar–Guruvayur, is **Adjourned** for complying the above directives.

ITEM NO: 24

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 08 AQ 5099** on the route **Thrissur - Perinthalmanna**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Smt. T.P Maya to the name of Sri. Sajeesh K V, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 25

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 45 N 5758** on the route **Chimmini dam - Thrissur**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri. Mohanan P.K to the name of Sri. Manoharan K.M, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 26

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 05 Z 2113** on the route **Vellikulangara - Ayyanthole**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri. Manoharan K.M to the name of Sri. Mohanan P.K, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 27

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 39 C 0786** on the route **Vellikulangara - Irinjalakuda**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Smt.Uma to the name of Sri.Radhakrishnan P.G, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 28

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 46 F 2518** on the route **Thrissur - Ponnani**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri.Prabhakaran K to the name of Sri.Subeeesh V.K, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 29

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 64 C 9581** on the route **Athirappilly - Chalakudy**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri.Johnykuttan to the name of Sri.Sajeevan K.K, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 30

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 08 AS 6451** on the route **Edamuttom - Thrissur**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri. Joju K.M to the name of Sri.Vijish K.V, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 31

Heard the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 34 A 6391** on the route **Muringoor - Kodungallur**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri.Santhosh P.P to the name of Sri. A A Abdul Rasheed, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 32

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 40 L 504** on the route **Elthuruthu - Azhikode**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri.SasidharanP. B to the name of Sri. Aswanth K.L, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 33

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 36 363** on the route **Maruthukuzhi - Randukkai - Veeranchira - Chippankuzhi**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri. Siril Paul to the name of Sri.Anson Devassy, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 34

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 08 AX 6950** on the route **Vaka -Thrissur**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri.SudeeshM. K to the name of Sri.Sojan M.K, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 35

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 08 BR 6706** on the route **Thanikudam - Guruvayur**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri.SojanM. K to the name of Sri.Dibin P.D, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 36

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 39 B 6226** on the route **Annamanada - Thrissur**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri.Bastin.K.George to the name of Sri.Regunath C.P Menon, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 37

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 35 J 9660** on the route **Chottupara - Ayyanthole - Medical College**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri.Madhu R Menon to the name of Sri. Aswin N A, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 38

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 59 D 3418** on the route **Cheetupuzha - Ottapalam**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri.T.D Joby to the name of Sri.Denish Davis, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 39

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 08 AR 9799** on the route **Kodungalloor – Ottapalam - Medical College**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri.T.D Joby to the name of Sri.Denish Davis, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 40

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 12 D 1400** on the route **Thrissur - Thriprayar**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri.Sandheep Krishnan to the name of Sri.Edwin C.L, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 41

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 45 C 8747** on the route **Ayyanthole - Mathilakam**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Smt. Bindhu V K to the name of Smt. Philo Davis, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 42

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 48 J 1471** on the route **Pattambi - Chavakkad**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri. Zevi Varghese to the name of Sri. Shiju P.V, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 43

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 17 D 3993** on the route **Mambra – Mathilakam - Chemmanda**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri. Aji George to the name of Sri. Antony Alloy, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 44

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 06 D 6413** on the route **Kanakakotta - Anayuruli**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri. Paul T O to the name of Sri. K D Antony, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 45

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 45 A 9495** on the route **Chalakudy – Kodungallur - Thrissur**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Sri. Sugathan to the name of Sri. Koonan Kochuvareed Thomas, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 46

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. This is an application for grant of transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 44 3537** on the route **Thanissery-Mupliyam**. Considering the above application, Transfer of regular permit **Granted** from the name of Smt.Jyothi Das to the name of Sri.T.A Varghese, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 47

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the transfer of a regular permit (due to the death of the permit holder) in respect of the stage carriage **KL 10 AD 610** on the route **Chelekkara - Chelakkara**. Considering the application, the transfer of the regular permit (due to the death of the permit holder) is **Granted** in the name of the legal heir, Sri. Libin K.Y from the name of the deceased permit holder, Sri. Yohanan, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 48

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the transfer of a regular permit (due to the death of the permit holder) in respect of the stage carriage **KL 08 AR 6585** on the route **Kondayur - Vadookkara**. Considering the application, the transfer of the regular permit (due to the death of the permit holder) is **Granted** in the name of the legal heir, Sri. Rohith G Nair from the name of the deceased permit holder, Sri. E Gokulan, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 49

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the transfer of a regular permit (due to the death of the permit holder) for the stage carriage **KL 48 S 6575** on the route **Kuthambully - Thrissur**. Considering the application, the transfer of the regular permit (due to the death of the permit holder) is **Granted** in the name of the legal heir, Sri. Subash P. P from the name of the deceased permit holder, Sri. Paraman P.V, subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 50

1. Perused the Judgement of Hon'ble High Court of Kerala in WP(C) No. 44649 /2024 dated 16.12.2024
2. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the replacement of the stage carriage **KL 17 G 4507** operating on the route **Chelakkara - Mayannur - Ottapalam - Pazhayannur - Potta** with another stage carriage **KL 48 B 9889**.

The regular stage carriage permit number KL88/754/2011 was issued on 24.02.2011 to the stage carriage KL 05 M 6296 (primary vehicle) with a seating capacity of 28 in all to operate on the route Chelakkara – Mayannur – Ottapalam –Pazhayannur - Potta. Later the stage carriage was replaced by KL 17 G 4507 (medium passenger Vehicle) with a seating capacity of 29 in all. The present application is for the replacement of the stage carriage KL 17 G 4507 with the stage carriage KL 48 B 9889 (heavy passenger vehicle) with seating capacity of 38 in all to operate on the above said route.

The primary vehicle, KL 05 M 6296, to which the permit was originally issued, had a total seating capacity of 28 in all. It was later replaced with the existing vehicle, KL 17 G 4507 which has a total seating capacity of 29 in all, consequently, the material difference between the primary vehicle and the existing vehicle differ by not more than 25% of the seating capacity of the primary vehicle. The proposed incoming vehicle KL 48 B 9889 intended for the successive replacement is having a seating capacity of 38 in all, in which material difference between the primary vehicle and the proposed vehicle will differ by more than 25% in the seating capacity.

As per section 83 of the Motor Vehicles Act 1988, *“the holder of a permit may, with the permission of the authority by which the permit was granted, replace any vehicle covered by the permit by any other vehicle of the same nature.”*

As per Rule 174(2) of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rule 1989, *“Upon receipt of the application, the Transport Authority may in his discretion, reject the application -*

(b) if the new vehicle proposed differs in material respects from the old ;”

As per note to Rule 174(3)- *“for the purpose of this rule vehicles which differ by not more than 25% of the Gross vehicle weight or seating capacity, as the case may be, shall not be considered as materially different.*

No replacement shall be allowed to a vehicle with material difference for a second time even if the material difference is less than 25%.”

The Hon’ble High Court of Kerala in the judgment in WP(C) No. 5728 of 2015 dated 13.03.2015 (Rapeal Mathew Vs Secretary RTA Thrissur) has held that material difference has to be considered, related to the primary vehicle and not with the existing vehicle.

The Hon’ble High Court of Kerala in the judgment in W.A No.706 of 2021 dated 13.12.2021 (Jyothi Vs Secretary RTA Malappuram) has held that the issue of difference of 25% can only be applied against the original vehicle, because the second

limb was introduced into the rules to avoid any interpretation defusing the rigor of the first limb of the note to Rule 174. Otherwise, there would not be any purpose for introducing the second limb to the note.

Taking into consideration the above-mentioned facts, the application for the replacement of the stage carriage KL 17 G 4507, operating on the route Chelakkara – Mayannur – Ottapalam – Pazhayannur – Potta with another stage carriage, KL 48 B 9889, is **Rejected** by invoking the provisions of Section 83 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988, and Rule 174(2) of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989, and in compliance with the judgment of the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala in WP(C) No. 5728 of 2015 and WA No. 706 of 2021.

ITEM NO: 51

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application for the change of address of the permit holder in respect of the stage carriage **KL 08 AP 786** operating on the route **Thrissur - Thriprayar**. Considering the above application, the change of address of the permit holder in respect of the stage carriage KL 08 AP 786 operating on the route Thrissur - Thriprayar is **Granted** subject to the clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 52

1& 2.These are the applications to condone the delay in submitting the application for renewal of the contract carriage permit (A/R) and to consider the renewal of contract carriage city permit application filed belatedly after the expiry of permit, in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 08 BB 1817**. Since the applicant was absent, the decision on this matter is **Adjourned**.

ITEM NO: 53

1& 2.These are the applications to condone the delay in submitting the application for renewal of the contract carriage permit (A/R) and to consider the renewal of contract carriage city permit application filed belatedly after the expiry of permit, in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 08 BM 3281**. Since the applicant was absent, the decision on this matter is **Adjourned**.

ITEM NO: 54

1. Heard the applicant. This is an application to condone the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 45 S 3409**, which expired on 21.06.2024. The permit holder submitted the application for renewal only on 21.12.2024, which was six months after the expiry of the permit.

Along with the renewal application, she has submitted a medical certificate from Dr. P.N. Sugathan, Retired Deputy Director of Kerala Health Services (Reg. No. 3272), Thrissur. The request for condonation of delay in submitting the renewal application is considered sympathetically.

Assuming the reasons stated in the application and the medical certificate to be true and genuine, it is found that the applicant was prevented by good and sufficient cause from submitting the application within the time specified under Section 81(2) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988. Therefore, the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 45 S 3409 is **condoned**.

2. This is a belated application for the renewal of the contract carriage city permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 45 S 3409 for a further period of five years. Since the delay for filing the application for renewal of permit, within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988 is condoned, the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 45 S 3409** is **Granted**, subject to the remittance of a compounding fee of rupees three thousand and clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 55

- 1& 2.** These are the applications to condone the delay in submitting the application for renewal of the contract carriage permit (A/R) and to consider the renewal of contract carriage city permit application filed belatedly after the expiry of permit, in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 51 C 3095**. Since the applicant was absent, the decision on this matter is **Adjourned**.

ITEM NO: 56

1. Heard the applicant. This is an application to condone the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 08 BH 2419**, which expired on 03.01.2024. The permit holder submitted the

application for renewal only on 24.07.2024, which was more than six months after the expiry of the permit.

Along with the renewal application, he has submitted a medical certificate from Dr. Sreejith P M, BAMS, (Reg: No.12301) Elthuruth P.O, Thrissur. The request for condonation of delay in submitting the renewal application is considered sympathetically.

Assuming the reasons stated in the application and the medical certificate to be true and genuine, it is found that the applicant was prevented by good and sufficient cause from submitting the application within the time specified under Section 81(2) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988. Therefore, the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 08 BH 2419 is **condoned**.

2. This is a belated application for the renewal of the contract carriage city permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 08 BH 2419 for a further period of five years. Since the delay for filing the application for renewal of permit, within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988 is condoned, the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 08 BH 2419** is **Granted**, subject to the remittance of a compounding fee of rupees three thousand and clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 57

1. Heard the applicant. This is an application to condone the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 75 C 8599**, which expired on 10.02.2024. The permit holder submitted the application for renewal only on 02.11.2024, which was nine months after the expiry of the permit.

Along with the renewal application, he has submitted a medical certificate from Dr. P.N. Sugathan, Retired Deputy Director of Kerala Health Services (Reg. No. 3272), Thrissur. The request for condonation of delay in submitting the renewal application is considered sympathetically.

Assuming the reasons stated in the application and the medical certificate to be true and genuine, it is found that the applicant was prevented by good and sufficient cause from submitting the application within the time specified under Section 81(2) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988. Therefore, the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 75 C 8599 is **condoned**.

2. This is a belated application for the renewal of the contract carriage city permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 75 C 8599 for a further period of five years. Since the delay for filing the application for renewal of permit, within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988 is condoned, the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 75 C 8599** is **Granted**, subject to the remittance of a compounding fee of rupees three thousand and clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 58

- 1& 2. These are the applications to condone the delay in submitting the application for renewal of the contract carriage permit (A/R) and to consider the renewal of contract carriage city permit application filed belatedly after the expiry of permit, in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 08 BJ 4751**. Since the applicant was absent, the decision on this matter is **Adjourned**.

ITEM NO: 59

1. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application to condone the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 48 B 4241**, which expired on 06.09.2023. The permit holder submitted the application for renewal only on 21.12.2024, which was fifteen months after the expiry of the permit.

Along with the renewal application, he has submitted a medical certificate from Dr. P.N. Sugathan, Retired Deputy Director of Kerala Health Services (Reg. No. 3272), Thrissur. The request for condonation of delay in submitting the renewal application is considered sympathetically.

Assuming the reasons stated in the application and the medical certificate to be true and genuine, it is found that the applicant was prevented by good and sufficient cause from submitting the application within the time specified under Section 81(2) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988. Therefore, the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 48 B 4241 is **condoned**.

2. This is a belated application for the renewal of the contract carriage city permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 48 B 4241 for a further period of five years. Since the delay for filing the application for renewal of permit, within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988 is

condoned, the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 48 B 4241** is **Granted**, subject to the remittance of a compounding fee of rupees three thousand and clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 60

1. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application to condone the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 08 BT 2984**, which expired on 27.05.2024. The permit holder submitted the application for renewal only on 21.10.2024, which was five months after the expiry of the permit.

Along with the renewal application, he has submitted a medical certificate from Dr. Promod V K, (Reg. No.27265), Consultant Cardiologist, Aswani Hospital, Thrissur. The request for condonation of delay in submitting the renewal application is considered sympathetically.

Assuming the reasons stated in the application and the medical certificate to be true and genuine, it is found that the applicant was prevented by good and sufficient cause from submitting the application within the time specified under Section 81(2) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988. Therefore, the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 08 BT 2984 is **condoned**.

2. This is a belated application for the renewal of the contract carriage city permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 08 BT 2984 for a further period of five years. Since the delay for filing the application for renewal of permit, within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 is condoned, the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 08 BT 2984** is **Granted**, subject to the remittance of a compounding fee of rupees three thousand and clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 61

1. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application to condone the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 64 F 7750**, which expired on 11.04.2023. The permit holder submitted the application for

renewal only on 21.12.2024, which was twenty months after the expiry of the permit.

Along with the renewal application, he has submitted a medical certificate from Dr. C M Peter M D, (Reg:No.12678), Chalakudy, Thrissur. The request for condonation of delay in submitting the renewal application is considered sympathetically.

Assuming the reasons stated in the application and the medical certificate to be true and genuine, it is found that the applicant was prevented by good and sufficient cause from submitting the application within the time specified under Section 81(2) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988. Therefore, the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 64 F 7750 is **condoned**.

2. This is a belated application for the renewal of the contract carriage city permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 64 F 7750 for a further period of five years. Since the delay for filing the application for renewal of permit, within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 is condoned, the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 64 F 7750** is **Granted**, subject to the remittance of a compounding fee of rupees three thousand and clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 62

1. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application to condone the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 64 1869**, which expired on 08.02.2022. The permit holder submitted the application for renewal only on 30.12.2023, which was twenty-two months after the expiry of the permit.

Along with the renewal application, he has submitted a medical certificate from Dr. C M Peter M D, (Reg:No.12678), Chalakudy, Thrissur. The request for condonation of delay in submitting the renewal application is considered sympathetically.

Assuming the reasons stated in the application and the medical certificate to be true and genuine, it is found that the applicant was prevented by good and sufficient cause from submitting the application within the time specified under Section 81(2) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988. Therefore, the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 64 1869 is **condoned**.

2. This is a belated application for the renewal of the contract carriage city permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 64 1869** for a further period of five years. Since the delay for filing the application for renewal of permit, within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988 is condoned, the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 64 1869** is **Granted**, subject to the remittance of a compounding fee of rupees three thousand and clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 63

1. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application to condone the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 64 3168**, which expired on 03.04.2022. The permit holder submitted the application for renewal only on 21.12.2024, which was thirty-two months after the expiry of the permit.

Along with the renewal application, he has submitted a medical certificate from Dr. C M Peter M D, (Reg:No.12678), Chalakudy, Thrissur. The request for condonation of delay in submitting the renewal application is considered sympathetically.

Assuming the reasons stated in the application and the medical certificate to be true and genuine, it is found that the applicant was prevented by good and sufficient cause from submitting the application within the time specified under Section 81(2) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988. Therefore, the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 64 3168 is **condoned**.

2. This is a belated application for the renewal of the contract carriage city permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 64 3168 for a further period of five years. Since the delay for filing the application for renewal of permit, within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988 is condoned, the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 64 3168** is **Granted**, subject to the remittance of a compounding fee of rupees three thousand and clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable

ITEM NO: 64

1. Heard the applicant. This is an application to condone the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 46 R 6403**, which expired on 05.02.2023. The permit holder submitted the

application for renewal only on 26.09.2024, which was nineteen months after the expiry of the permit.

Along with the renewal application, he has submitted a discharge certificate from Cardiology Department, Hayath Hospital, Chavakkad. The request for condonation of delay in submitting the renewal application is considered sympathetically.

Assuming the reasons stated in the application and the discharge certificate to be true and genuine, it is found that the applicant was prevented by good and sufficient cause from submitting the application within the time specified under Section 81(2) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988. Therefore, the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 46 R 6403 is **condoned**.

2. This is a belated application for the renewal of the contract carriage city permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 46 R 6403 for a further period of five years. Since the delay for filing the application for renewal of permit, within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988 is condoned, the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 46 R 6403** is **Granted**, subject to the remittance of a compounding fee of rupees three thousand and clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable

ITEM NO: 65

1. Heard the applicant. This is an application to condone the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 46 L 3767**, which expired on 02.05.2024. The permit holder submitted the application for renewal only on 25.10.2024, which was five months after the expiry of the permit.

Along with the renewal application, she has submitted a medical certificate from Dr. Sreekumar A, Sun Medical and Research Centre, Thrissur. The request for condonation of delay in submitting the renewal application is considered sympathetically.

Assuming the reasons stated in the application and the medical certificate to be true and genuine, it is found that the applicant was prevented by good and sufficient cause from submitting the application within the time specified under Section 81(2) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988. Therefore, the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 46 L 3767 is **condoned**.

2. This is a belated application for the renewal of the contract carriage city permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 46 L 3767 for

a further period of five years. Since the delay for filing the application for renewal of permit, within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988 is condoned, the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 46 L 3767** is **Granted**, subject to the remittance of a compounding fee of rupees three thousand and clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable

ITEM NO: 66

1. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application to condone the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 46 U 4290**, which expired on 29.11.2023. The permit holder submitted the application for renewal only on 12.04.2024, which was four months after the expiry of the permit.

Along with the renewal application, he has submitted a medical certificate from Dr. Rajesh, General Hospital, Thrissur. The request for condonation of delay in submitting the renewal application is considered sympathetically.

Assuming the reasons stated in the application and the medical certificate to be true and genuine, it is found that the applicant was prevented by good and sufficient cause from submitting the application within the time specified under Section 81(2) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988. Therefore, the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 46 U 4290 is **condoned**.

2. This is a belated application for the renewal of the contract carriage city permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 46 U 4290 for a further period of five years. Since the delay for filing the application for renewal of permit, within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988 is condoned, the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 46 U 4290** is **Granted**, subject to the remittance of a compounding fee of rupees three thousand and clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 67

1. Heard the applicant. This is an application to condone the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 46 F 8840**,

which expired on 03.07.2022. The permit holder submitted the application for renewal only on 29.10.2024, which was twenty-seven months after the expiry of the permit.

Along with the renewal application, he has submitted a medical certificate from Dr.Prakash K George MS, DNB, FJR, FASIM, Kunnamkulam. The request for condonation of delay in submitting the renewal application is considered sympathetically.

Assuming the reasons stated in the application and the medical certificate to be true and genuine, it is found that the applicant was prevented by good and sufficient cause from submitting the application within the time specified under Section 81(2) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988. Therefore, the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 46 F 8840 is **condoned**.

2. This is a belated application for the renewal of the contract carriage city permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 46 F 8840 for a further period of five years. Since the delay for filing the application for renewal of permit, within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988 is condoned, the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 46 F 8840** is **Granted**, subject to the remittance of a compounding fee of rupees three thousand and clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 68

1. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. This is an application to condone the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 45 T 3563**, which expired on 25.08.2023. The permit holder submitted the application for renewal only on 20.05.2024, which was nine months after the expiry of the permit.

Along with the renewal application, he has submitted a medical certificate from Dr. Aiswarya Lal, MBBS, (Regno.94532), Medical Officer, Irinjalakuda. The request for condonation of delay in submitting the renewal application is considered sympathetically.

Assuming the reasons stated in the application and the medical certificate to be true and genuine, it is found that the applicant was prevented by good and sufficient cause from submitting the application within the time specified under Section 81(2) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988. Therefore, the delay in submitting the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 45 T 3563 is **condoned**.

2. This is a belated application for the renewal of the contract carriage city permit in respect of auto rickshaw KL 45 T 3563 for a further period of five years. Since the delay for filing the application for renewal of permit, within the timeframe as stipulated under Section 81(2) of Motor Vehicles Act 1988 is condoned, the application for the renewal of the contract carriage permit in respect of auto rickshaw **KL 45 T 3563** is **Granted**, subject to the remittance of a compounding fee of rupees three thousand and clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if applicable.

ITEM NO: 69

1. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. The regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 08X 5384** was valid from 24.07.2014 to 23.07.2019 on the route **Pengamuck - Chavakkad**. Considering the application submitted by the permit holder on 08.07.2019, Regional Transport Authority in its meeting held on 21.01.2020, vide item no. 17, granted the renewal of this permit subject to conditions. The decision was communicated to the grantee on 02.06.2020 with direction to produce the current records within thirty days. The permit holder has not produced the current records of the vehicle nor submitted any application for extension of time as required by Rule 172(3) of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules 1989.

As per Rule 172(3) of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules 1989, the grantee has to produce the current records within a period of one month from the date of despatch of the order requiring the production of records.

Proviso to this rule authorised the RTA, if satisfied on an application made to it in writing by the permit holder within the period of one month aforesaid that there are sufficient grounds, grant an extension or extensions of time not exceeding four months in the aggregate for the production of the records.

Since the grantee failed to produce the current records within the stipulated period of one month or the aggregate period of four months, from the date of despatch of the RTA decision as specified under Rule 172(3) of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rule 1989, the decision of this authority dated 21.01.2020 in item no. 17, granting the renewal of regular permit in respect of Stage Carriage **KL 08 X 5384** on the route **Pengamuck - Chavakkad** is hereby **Revoked** by invoking the provisions in Rule 172(3) of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rule 1989.

2. This is an application for the renewal of the regular permit in respect of stage carriage KL 08 X 5384 operating on the route

Pengamuck – Chavakkad for the period from 24.07.2024 to 23.07.2029. Since no valid regular permit is in existence, the application for renewal of the regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 08 X 5384** on the route Pengamuck – Chavakkad is **Rejected**.

ITEM NO: 70

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. The regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 09P 2520** is valid from 17.12.2015 to 16.12.2020 on the route **Annamanada - Thriprayar**. Considering the application submitted by the permit holder on 16.11.2021, Regional Transport Authority in its meeting held on 24.12.2021, vide item no. 51, granted the renewal of this permit subject to conditions. The decision was communicated to the grantee on 04.02.2022 with direction to produce the current records within thirty days. The permit holder has not produced the current records of the vehicle nor submitted any application for extension of time as required by Rule 172(3) of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules 1989.

As per Rule 172(3) of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules 1989, the grantee has to produce the current records within a period of one month from the date of despatch of the order requiring the production of records.

Proviso to this rule authorised the RTA, if satisfied on an application made to it in writing by the permit holder within the period of one month aforesaid that there are sufficient grounds, grant an extension or extensions of time not exceeding four months in the aggregate for the production of the records.

Since the grantee failed to produce the current records within the stipulated period of one month or the aggregate period of four months, from the date of despatch of the RTA decision as specified under Rule 172(3) of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rule 1989, the decision of this authority dated 24.12.2021 in item no. 51, granting the renewal of regular permit in respect of Stage Carriage **KL 09 P 2520** on the route Annamanada – Thriprayar is hereby **Revoked** by invoking the provisions in Rule 172(3) of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rule 1989.

ITEM NO: 71

1. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. The transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 07 BG 7020** on the route **Pullu – Thrissur - Thriprayar-Muttichoor** was granted by the RTA in its meeting held on 13.08.2024, vide item no. 50, from the name of Sri. Mansoor T. K to the name of Sri. Dennas Davis Edakkalathur. The decision

was communicated on 25.10.2024 to the applicants with a directive to produce the current records within thirty days. Since the applicants failed to produce the current records within the stipulated time the decision of this authority dated 13.08.2024 in item no. 50, granting the transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage KL 07 BG 7020 on the route Pullu – Thrissur – Thriprayar – Muttichoor is hereby **Revoked**.

2. Considering the request of the applicants to condone the delay in submitting the current records within the stipulated time and for the issuance of the transfer of permit, condoned the delay in submitting the current records and hence transfer of the regular permit in respect of stage carriage **KL 07 BG 7020** operating on the route Pullu – Thrissur – Thriprayar – Muttichoor, **Granted** from the name of Sri. Mansoor T. K. to the name of Sri. Dennis Davis Edakkalathur, subject to the remittance of the applicable fees for the transfer of the permit, clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if any.

ITEM NO: 72

The applicants are absent. The transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 17 B 8193** on the route **Mupliyam – Ayyanthole** was granted by the RTA in its meeting held on 13.08.2024, vide item no. 114, from the name of Sri. Justin Joseph T to the name of Sri. Sijo Joy. The decision was communicated on 26.10.2024 to the applicants with a directive to produce the current records within thirty days. Since the applicants have failed to produce the current records within the stipulated time, the decision of this authority dated 13.08.2024 in item no. 114, granting the transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 17 B 8193** on the route Mupliyam - Ayyanthole is hereby **Revoked**.

ITEM NO: 73

1. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. The transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 17 D 7554** on the route **Thekkumuri - Thrissur** was granted by the RTA in its meeting held on 15.10.2018, vide item no. 36, from the name of Sri Johnson to the name of Smt Mani. The decision was communicated on 29.11.2018 to the applicants with a directive to produce the current records within thirty days. Since the applicants failed to produce the current records within the stipulated time, the decision of this authority dated 15.10.2018 in item no. 36, granting the transfer of regular

permit in respect of the stage carriage KL 17 D 7554 on the route Thekkumuri – Thrissur is hereby **Revoked**. Considering the request of the learned counsel to condone the delay in submitting the current records within the stipulated time and for the issuance of the transfer of permit, condoned the delay in submitting the current records and hence transfer of the regular permit in respect of stage carriage **KL 17 D 7554** operating on the route Thekkumuri – Thrissur, **Granted** from the name of Sri Johnson to the name of Smt Mani, subject to the remittance of the applicable fees for the transfer of the permit, clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if any.

ITEM NO: 74

1. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicants. The transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 08 BT 7539** on the route **Thrissur - Medical College – Guruvayur - Kunnamkulam** was granted by the RTA in its meeting held on 05.01.2024, vide item no. 53, from the name of Sri. Ajayan M K to the name of Smt. Remani K V. The decision was communicated on 21.03.2024 to the applicants with a directive to produce the current records within thirty days. Since the applicants failed to produce the current records within the stipulated time, the decision of this authority dated 05.01.2024 in item no. 53, granting the transfer of regular permit in respect of the stage carriage KL 08 BT 7539 on the route Thrissur - Medical College – Guruvayur – Kunnamkulam is hereby **Revoked**.
2. Considering the request of the applicants to condone the delay in submitting the current records within the stipulated time and for the issuance of the transfer of permit, condoned the delay in submitting the current records and hence transfer of the regular permit in respect of stage carriage **KL 08 BT 7539** on the route Thrissur – Medical College – Guruvayur - Kunnamkulam, **Granted** from the name of Sri. Ajayan M K to Smt. Remani K V, subject to the remittance of the applicable fees for the transfer of the permit, clearance of Government dues and pending e-challans, if any.

ITEM NO: 75

- 1&2.** Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. The regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 18A 5690** is valid from 31.05.2018 to 30.05.2023 on the route **Adat – Thrissur - Kunnamkulam**. Subsequent to the death of the permit holder on 31.03.2023, considering the application submitted by the legal heiress Smt. Siji P V, RTA in its meeting

held on 05.01.2024, vide item no. 14, granted the renewal and the transfer of permit (On death of the permit holder) of this permit subject to conditions . The decision was communicated to the grantee on 21.03.2024 with direction to produce the current records within thirty days. The permit holder has not produced the current records of the vehicle nor submitted any application for extension of time as required by Rule 172(3) of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989. The grantee produced the current records later on 31.12.2024, which is after a delay of more than nine months.

As per Rule 172(3) of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules 1989, the grantee has to produce the current records within a period of one month from the date of despatch of the order requiring the production of records.

Proviso to this rule authorised the RTA, if satisfied on an application made to it in writing by the permit holder within the period of one month aforesaid that there are sufficient grounds, grant an extension or extensions of time not exceeding four months in the aggregate for the production of records.

Since the grantee failed to produce the current records within the stipulated period of one month or the aggregate period of four months, from the date of despatch of the RTA decision as specified under Rule 172(3) of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rule 1989, the decision of this authority dated 05.01.2024, in item no. 14, granting the renewal of regular permit and transfer of regular permit (On death of the permit holder) in respect of the stage carriage **KL 18 A 5690** on the route **Adat – Thrissur - Kunnamkulam** is hereby **Revoked** by invoking the provisions in Rule 172(3) of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rule 1989.

ITEM NO: 76

Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf for the applicant. The regular permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 13S 6667** is valid from 25.01.2021 to 24.01.2026 on the route **Peechi Dam - Thrissur**. Subsequent to the death of the permit holder, on 31.03.2023, considering the application submitted by the legal heir Sri. Biju, RTA in its meeting held on 13.08.2024, vide item no. 127, granted the transfer of permit (On death of the permit holder) of this permit subject to conditions. The decision was communicated to the grantee on 07.11.2024 with direction to produce the current records with in thirty days. The grantee has not produced the current records of the vehicle till date for endorsing the granted transfer of permit on death of the permit holder and the vehicle is in tax arrears from 01.07.2023.

Since the grantee failed to produce the current records within the stipulated time, for endorsing the granted transfer of

permit (on death of the permit holder) in respect of the stage carriage **KL 13 S 6667** on the route Peechi Dam – Thrissur, the decision of this authority dated 13.08.2024 in item no. 127, granting the transfer of regular permit to the name of legal heir Sri. Biju is hereby **Revoked**.

ITEM NO: 77

This is the request of the permit holder to surrender the stage carriage permit in respect of the stage carriage **KL 52 S 3737** operating on the route **Nelluvai – Thrissur** as Ordinary service which is valid upto 15.02.2025. Hence the **surrender** of permit is **accepted** and the regular stage carriage permit KL88/6/1984 is **cancelled** with effect from 27.09.2024.

ITEM NO: 78

1. (A) Perused the judgment of Hon'ble High Court of Kerala in WP(C) No.19564/2024 dated 05/06/2024

(B) Perused the judgment of Hon'ble High Court of Kerala in WP(C) No.983/2025 dated 29/01/2025
2. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. The Regional Transport Authority, in its meeting held on 17.09.2022, vide item no. 2, granted a fresh regular stage carriage permit to the applicant, Sri Shamgith, to operate on the route Kodakara – Mala - Poyya, subject to the settlement of timings. The decision of the RTA was communicated to the grantee on 04.11.2022, with a direction to produce the current records of the offered vehicle within thirty days. On 09.12.2022, the grantee offered stage carriage KL 06 D 7084 and submitted the RC particulars of this vehicle. In compliance with the RTA's decision, a timing conference was decided to be convened on 25.09.2023, during which it was noticed that the ownership of the offered vehicle had been transferred from the grantee's name with effect from 16.06.2023. Subsequently, on 03.01.2024, which was 14 months after the date of communication, the grantee submitted the records of another stage carriage, KL 08 AR 1434, in place of the previously offered vehicle, KL 06 D 7084.

On 28.06.2024, the grantee produced the judgment of the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala in WP(C) No. 19564/2024, dated 05.06.2024, directing the Secretary, RTA, to settle the timings and issue the granted permit to the petitioner after hearing the affected parties in accordance with the law. Thereafter, on

12.07.2024, which was 20 months after the date of communication, the grantee offered another vehicle, KL 08 AJ 6030, in place of the previously offered vehicle, KL 08 AR 1434. In compliance with this judgment, a timing conference was convened on 29.07.2024. However, due to the strong objections raised by other en route operators, the schedule of timings could not be settled on that day. It was later finalised on 12.12.2024.

Rule 159 (2) of Kerala Motor Vehicle Rules 1989, stipulates that,

“When the applicant is unable to produce the certificate of registration on the date of his application for permit, owing to the fact that he is not on that date in possession of the vehicle duly registered, or for some other reason, the applicant shall within one month of the sanctioning of the application by the Transport Authority or such longer period or periods not exceeding four months in the aggregate as the Authority may specify, produce the certificate of registration of the vehicle before that Authority so that the particulars of the registration mark may be entered in the permit. In the event of any applicant failing to produce the certificate of registration within the period specified by the Transport Authority, the Authority may revoke its sanction of the application”.

The decision of the Regional Transport Authority granting the regular permit on the Kodakara-Mala-Poyya route was communicated to the grantee on 04.11.2022. However, the current records of the last offered vehicle, KL 08 AJ 6030, were submitted only on 12.07.2024, which is after a period of one year and eight months later. Since the grantee failed to produce the current records for the issuance of the regular permit within the time stipulated under Rule 159(2) of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989, the regular permit granted by the RTA was not issued.

On 03.02.2025, the grantee produced the judgment of the Hon’ble High Court of Kerala in WP(C) No. 983/2025, dated 25.01.2025, which directed that:

“If the petitioners have produced replacement vehicles within a period of one month from the date on which the grant of permit was communicated to them, the timing conference in respect of the permits shall be conducted, and the permits shall be issued to them without further delay.”

In the above circumstances, it is evident that the grantee has replaced the offered vehicle twice—first on 03.01.2024 (14

months after the date of communication) and again on 12.07.2024 (20 months after the date of communication). Consequently, the grantee has failed to produce the records within an aggregate period of 4 months from the date the RTA decision was communicated, as stipulated under Rule 159(2) of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989.

Since the grantee failed to produce the current records of the vehicle within the stipulated time specified under Rule 159(2) of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989, the regular stage carriage permit granted by the RTA in its meeting held on 17.09.2022, under item no. 2, on the route the **Kodakara - Mala - Poyya** is hereby **Revoked** by invoking the provisions of Rule 159(2) of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989.

ITEM NO: 79

This authority hereby **approves** to attach “**issue of tickets**” (vide Rule 86 of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rule 1989), as one of the permit conditions as per Rule 147 of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rule 1989, for the operation of stage carriage services on the route specified in the permit, in the wake of wide spread of complaints received from the travelling public regarding non issuance of tickets in stage carriages.

ITEM NO: 80

This authority hereby **ratified** the actions taken by the Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Thrissur, under the delegated powers.

(Items approved by Chairman on 13.03.2025)

ITEM NO: 81 (A)

1,2,3&4. Heard the learned counsel appeared on behalf of the applicant. These are the applications for the renewal of the stage carriage permit and replacement of the vehicle in respect of the stage carriage **KL 08 N 9394** on the route **Thrissur - Azhikode**. The enroute operators vehemently objected to this item by pointing out that there is no urgency to consider this application without publishing the agenda in advance. Hence, the decision on this matter is **Adjourned** with a direction to the Secretary to place it in the ensuing meeting of this authority for reconsideration.

ITEM NO: 82

The next meeting of the Regional Transport Authority is fixed for 15.05.2025.

(Sd/-)

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