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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA
Transport (B) Department

NOTIFICATION

G.O.(P)NO.12/2021/Trans

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 23rd February, 2021

S. R. O. No. 231/2021

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 22 of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Taxation Act, 1976 (19 of 1976) the Government of Kerala, being satisfied that it is necessary in the public interest so to do, hereby make the following further amendment to the notification issued under



G.O.(P)No.21/2020/Tran. dated 22nd April, 2020 and published as S.R.O.No. 284/2020 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No.1081 dated 24th April, 2020, namely:-

AMENDMENT

In the said notification for the words, figures, symbols and brackets "hereby make a reduction of 25% (Twenty Five Percentage) with effect from the 1st day of April, 2020, on the rate of tax levied under section 3 of the said Act to new electric vehicles (vehicles Powered by Electricity), other than electric three wheeled vehicles for private use, electric motor cycles, electric motor cars and electric private service vehicles for personal use" the words, figures, symbols and brackets hereby make a reduction of "50% (fifty percentage) for a period of five years with effect from the 1st day of April, 2021 on the rate of tax levied under section 3 of the said Act to new electric vehicles (vehicles powered by Electricity)" shall be substituted.

By order of the Governor,
BIJU PRABHAKAR,
Secretary to Government.

Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

As per notification issued under G.O.(P)No.21/2020/Tran. dated 22nd April, 2020 and published as S.R.O.No.284/2020 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No.1081 dated 24th April, 2020, Government have given a reduction of 25% with effect from the 1st day of April, 2020 on



the rate of tax levied under section 3 of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Act, 1976, to new electric vehicles other than electric three wheeled vehicles for private use, electric motor cycles, electric motor cars and electric private service vehicles for personal use and also exempted fully the tax levied under section 3 of the said Act on new electric auto rickshaws for a period of five years from the date of their registration. In para 352 of the Budget Speech for 2021-2022, it was declared that a reduction of 50% in motor vehicle tax will be given for newly registered electric vehicles for the next five years. For the purpose, Government have decided to make an amendment to the said notification.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.

