

No. D1/1314/2023-TC

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Dated: 11-06-2024

**AGENDA WITH NOTES OF THE STA MEETING
SCHEDULED TO BE HELD ON 03.07.2024.**

ITEM NO. 1

AGENDA : To revoke the issuance of **Permit No.82/STA/1985** operating by the Stage Carriage **KL 73 7191** on the interstate route Guruvayoor – Mysore (via) Kozhikode, Sultanbatory, Chamarajanagar, TN Pura on single point tax basis since the applicant not produced current records with in stipulated time on receipt of STA decision dated 31.08.2022 - reg.

Applicant : Ms.Megha B R, Managing Director, S R S Travels & Logistics Pvt Ltd, No.321, T S P Road, Opp. BMC, Kalasipalayam, Bangalore – 560 002.

D2/57/2023-TC

NOTE : As per STA decision held on 31.08.2022 Renewal and Transfer of permit was granted and applicant was directed to produce current records within one month for getting the endorsement of renewal of permit vide this office order no.D2/6/2022/TC, dated 06/10/2022.

As per the request of applicant for extension of time limit allowable as per Proviso to Sub rule (3) to Rule 172 of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rule 1989, a maximum time limit of four months in aggregate was allowed for the production of records. But the same was not produced so far and one more extension of time limit for submission of current records were requested. Since the applicant had already availed the above facility, the request for further extension of time was denied by STA meeting held on 07.06.2023.

Hence STA may kindly peruse the records and take a decision regarding this route permit.

ITEM NO. 2

Agenda : To consider the application for renewal of counter signature of primary permit 5/STA/1998 in respect of vehicle KA 01 AB 1078. The existing permit is valid up to 05/11/2023. The route operated was Mysore to Mananthavady and back on single permit tax basis - reg

Applicant : Smt. Megha B R, Managing Director, M/s. SRS Tours and Travels & Logistics Pvt Ltd - Bangalore – 560002.

D2/168/2023-TC

Notes : Stage Carriage KA 01 AB 1078 covered by Permit No.5/STA/1998 is valid up to 05/11/2028 is operating on

the inter state route Mysore to Mananthavady on single point tax basis.

The route finds a place in the Inter state agreement vide Sl.No.1.Appendix III dated 29.06.1976.

The vehicle has not attained the age of 15 years. The Registration date of vehicle is 02.02.2021.

The permit holder filed application dated 30/10/2023 for renewal of counter signature permit for a further period of five years from 01/01/2024. But as per Vahan records this vehicle does not hold a permit. No pending check report found and tax remitted up to 31.12.2023. STA may hear the applicant, peruse the records, and objectors and take a decision to the matter.

NOTES: ITEM NO.3

- Agenda** : To consider the application for renewal of counter signature of primary permit 1/STA/1995 in respect of vehicle KA 51 AA 6113. The existing permit is valid up to 05/11/2023. The route operated was Mercara to Cannanore and back via Siddapura, Virajpet, Kuttupuzha, Iritty and Mattannur on single permit tax basis – reg
- Applicant** : Smt. Megha B R, Managing Director, M/s. SRS Tours and Travels & Logistics Pvt Ltd - Bangalore – 560002.

D2/167/2023- TC

- NOTE** : Stage Carriage KA 51 AA 6113 covered by Permit No.1/STA/1995 is valid up to 05/11/2023 is operating on the inter state route Mercara to Cannanore and back via Siddhapura, Virajpet, Kuttupuzha, Iritty and Mattanur on single point tax basis.

The route finds a place in the Inter state agreement vide Sl.No.1, Appendix V dated 29.06.1976.

The vehicle has not attained the age of 15 years. (year of manufacture is 2019).

The permit holder filed application dated 30/10/2023 for renewal of counter signature permit for a further period of five years from 06/11/2023. The vehicle is held under **hypothecation with India Infoline Finance Limited, IIFL TOWER, 143, MGR Road**. But as per **Vahan records this vehicle does not hold a permit**. No pending check report found and tax remitted up to 30.11.2021.

STA may peruse the records, hear the applicant and objectors and take a decision.

ITEM NO. 4

Agenda : To revoke the issuance of **Permit No.24/STA/1985** operating by the Stage Carriage **KL 07 CK 6832** on the interstate route Tellichery to Kodlipet (via) Koottupuzha, Siddapuzha, Chettali, Suntikoppa, Sanivarasanthe on single point tax basis since the applicant not produced the current records with in stipulated time on receipt of decision of STA dated 31.08.2022 – reg

Applicant : Ms. Megha B R, Managing Director, S R S Travels & Logistics Pvt Ltd, No.321, T S P Road, Opp. BMC, Kalasipalayam, Bangalore – 560002.

D2/126/2021-TC

Note : As per STA decision held on 31.08.2022 Renewal and Transfer of permit was granted subject to disposal of WP(C) No.24100/2021 filed by KSRTC before the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala. The case is not disposed yet.

The applicant was directed to produce current records within one month for getting the endorsement of renewal of permit vide this office **order No.D2/126/2021 dtd 06/10/2022.**

As per the request of the applicant for extension of time limit to the maximum allowable as per Rule 172 of KMVR, 1989 and the proviso there under, the applicant was allowed a maximum time limit of **Four months in aggregate** for the production of records. Now, the time limit granted as per rules has already been elapsed. Since the applicant had already availed the above facility, the request for further extension of time was denied by STA Meeting held on 07.06.2023.

As per Rule 159(2) when the applicant unable to produce the certificate of registration on the date of his application of the 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 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 periods specified by the Transport Authority, the Authority may revoke its sanction of the application.

Hence STA may kindly peruse the records and take a decision regarding this route.

ITEM NO. 5

- Agenda** : 1. To ratify the grant of renewal of permit which has been already circulated among board members as special agenda matter. The **Permit No.18/STA/1993** operating by the **S/C KL 13 AF 1314** on the Interstate route Mercara to Kannur (via) Sidhapur, Virajpet, Makutta, Kootupuzha and Mattannur on Single Point tax basis.
- Applicant** : Sri.P.V.Vasudevan Nair, S/o Koran Nair, Laksmi Bus Service, Near Old Bus stand, Kannur.

D2/148/2022- TC

Note The Stage Carriage **KL 13 AF 1314** is covered by **permit No.18/STA/1993** valid upto 13.09.2023 operating in the interstate **Route Mercara to Kannur (via) Sidhapur, Virajpet, Makutta, Kootupuzha and Mattannur** on Single Point tax basis. The permit holder has filed application for renewal of permit in the same route for a period of Five years from 14.09.2023 to

13.09.2028. The route finds a place in the Inter state agreement as per **Sl.No.1, Appendix-V of ISA dated 29.06.1976**. The vehicle has not attained the age of 15 years since the year of manufacture is 03.09.2015. The vehicle is not hypothecated.

Considering the urgency in the matter, that the existing permit expires on 13.09.2023, the subject matter was circulated as special agenda among the Chairman and Members of STA on 11.09.2023 under Rule 130 of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989 and invoking the inherent powers of STA under Section 68 of Motor Vehicles Act, the application for renewal of permit No.18/STA/1993 is **granted** to the Stage Carriage **KL-13-AF-1314** operating on the interstate route **Mercara to Kannur (via) Sidhapur, Virajpet, Makutta, Kootupuzha and Mattannur** on Single Point tax basis.

The vehicle is blacklisted/Not to be transacted by STA Karnataka. This vehicle is also having a challan KL91762231113100214 dated 13.11.2023 from RTO Kannur.

Applicant was directed to submit current records within 30 days on receipt of Decision taken by STA. But the vehicle owner has not produced current records of the vehicle within the stipulated time.(within four months). Instead he applied for extension of time about 10 days to produce current records.

As per Rule 159(2) when the applicant unable to produce the certificate of registration on the date of his

application of the 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 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.

Now this vehicle is plying on the route on the strength of Temporary permit.

Hence STA may peruse the records and take a decision to ratify the decision of the circulated file, for extension of time for producing current records and take a decision to the matter.

ITEM NO. 6

Agenda : To revoke the issuance of **Permit No.81/STA/1985** operating by the Stage Carriage **KL 12 G 7332** on the interstate route Kozhikode – Mysore via Thamarassery, Kalpatta, Sulthanbatheri, Gundlupet, Terekanambi, C H Nagar, SM Halli, Mugur & T N Pura on single point tax basis. Since the applicant not produced the current records with in stipulated time on receipt of STA decision dated 31.08.2022. – reg.

Applicant : Ms.Megha B R, Managing Director, S R S Travels & Logistics Pvt. Ltd, No.321, T S P Road, Opp.BMC, Kalasipalayam, Bangalore – 560 002.

D2/6/2022-TC

Note As per STA decision held on 31/08/2022 Renewal and Transfer of permit was granted and applicant was directed to produce current records within one month for getting the endorsement of renewal of permit vide this office order No.D2/6/2022/TC, dated 06/10/2022.

As per the request of applicant for extension of time limit allowable as per Proviso to Sub rule (3) to Rule 172 of Kerala Motor Vehicles Rule 1989, a maximum time limit of four months in aggregate was allowed for the production of records. But the same was not produced so far and one more extension of time limit for submission of current records were requested. Since the applicant had already availed the above facility, the request for further extension of time was denied by STA meeting held on 07.06.2023.

Hence STA may kindly peruse the records and take a decision regarding this route permit.

ITEM NO. 7

Agenda : To consider the application for renewal of counter signature of primary permit 5/STA/98 in respect of vehicle KA 51 AA 6114. The existing permit is valid up to 31.12.2023. The route operated is from Mercara to Canannore and back on single permit tax basis – reg.

Applicant : Smt.Megha B R, Managing Director,
M/S.SRS Tours and Travels & Logistics Pvt.
Ltd – Bangalore – 560002.

D2/175/2023-TC

Note Stage Carriage KA 51 AA 6114 covered by Permit No.5/STA/1998 is valid upto 05/11/2028 is operating on the inter state route Mercara to Cananore on single point tax basis.

The route finds a place in the interstate agreement vide Sl.No.1, Appendix III, dated 29.06.1976.

The vehicle has not attained the age of 15 years. The Registration date of vehicle is 28.06.2017. The permit holder filed application dated 30/10/2023 for renewal of counter signature permit for a further period of five years from 01/01/2024. But as per Vahan records this vehicle does not hold a permit. No pending check report found and tax remitted upto 30/11/2021. STA may peruse the records, hear the applicant and objectors and take a decision.

ITEM NO. 8

Agenda : **AGENDA:** To consider the application for renewal of counter signature Permit **No.16/STA/1996** operating by the **S/C PY-03-A-7999** on the Interstate route Pandakkal-Guruvayoor(via) Telichery, Mahe and Kunnamkulam on Single Point tax basis.

Applicant : **APPLICANT** : Sri.A.Venkatakrishnan,S/o Asvath Reddiar,Vazhayil Villa,Manjakkal,Mahe

D2/191/2023-TC

Note : The Stage Carriage PY-03-A-7999 covered by Permit No.16/STA/1996 valid up to 05.01.2024 operating on the interstate route Pandakkal-Guruvayoor(via) Telichery,Mahe and Kunnamkulam on Single Point tax basis .

The permit holder filed application dated 18/12/2023 for renewal of permit in the same route for a period of 5 years from 06.01.2024 to 05.01.2029.

.The vehicle has not attained the age of 15 years, since the year of manufacture is 03.09.2015.

STA may peruse the records and take a decision

ITEM No. 9

Agenda : **AGENDA:** To consider the application for variation of counter signature Permit operating by the **SC KL-09-T-4141 which has been granted on STA decision dated 07.06.2023** on the Interstate route Peringottukurissi to Pollachi (via) Kottayi, Coyalmannam, Koduvayoor, and Govindapuram - on Single Point tax basis.

Applicant : 1. The Managing director, Nallappa Transport, Thrissur Road, Kollengode, Palakkad.

2. Sri. S. Mani, S/o Subbu, DMT House, Kaikatty,
Meenakshipuram, Palakkad.

D2/85/2022-TC

Note

The Stage Carriage KL-09-T-4141 covered by Permit No.02/STA/1989 valid up to 23.11.2024 operating on the interstate route Peringottukurissi to Pollachi (via) Kottayi,Coyalmannam,Koduvayoor and Govindapuram on Single Point tax basis .

Transfer of permit of said vehicle has been granted by STA dated 07.06.2023.Endorsement was communicated to applicant to produce current records on 20.07.2023.But the same has been granted on 23.12.2023.

Hence STA may peruse the records and take a decision

ITEM NO. 10

Agenda : To consider the application for Renewal of Rent a Motor Cycle License No.2/MCY/STA/2017.

Applicant : The Managing Director, MATT AUTO SPORTS INDIA PVT.LTD., 105/B, Thekkummottil, Kuriannoor P.O., Pathanamthitta, Kerala. Mobile No.9844124368

D1/738/2022-TC

Note : The Deputy Transport Commissioner, South Zone, Thiruvananthapuram has submitted the enquiry report.

He has conducted an enquiry through the Regional Transport Officer, Pathanamthitta with regard to the genuineness of the application for renewal of Rent a Motor Cycle License No.2/MCY/STA/2017 under a Rent Motor Cycle Scheme 1997. The applicant have 6 Motor cycles. The operator has good moral character and has intimate Knowledge of Passenger Transport business. He has provided necessary facilities for the housing, maintenance and repair of his vehicles and having sanitary block and reception room. The applicant has facilitated Telephone which is accessible through out day and night. He has maintained registers in Form 3 and 4 and complaint book in form 5 and provided suggestion box.

The Deputy Transport Commissioner, South Zone, Thiruvananthapuram recommended for the renewal of Rent a Motor Cycle License No.2/MCY/STA/2017 under Rent a Motor Cycle Scheme 1997. Subject placed before the STA Meeting for Decision.

ITEM NO. 11

Agenda : To consider the request for providing permission to Autorickshaws for traveling at 30 Kms to the near by districts.

Applicant : Application of Sri. U V Ramachandran, Secretary, Auto Co ordination, CITU, Kannur District Committee, CITU Office, P O Payyannur, Kannur.

Note Sri. U V Ramachandran, Secretary, Auto Co ordination, CITU, Kannur District Committee, CITU Office, P O Payyannur, Kannur submitted an application in the Navakerala Sadas held at Kannur District, requesting to provide permission to the Autorickshaws for traveling at least 30 Kms to the near by districts.

This application placed before the STA meeting for discussion and decision.

ITEM NO. 12

- Agenda** : To consider the request for making changes in the permit system of Auto rickshaws. To introduce state permit system to Autorickshaws in the State.
- Applicant** : Sri. Gopalakrishnan, Secretary Autorickshaws drivers union, CITU Madai Area Committee, Reg. No.13/09/2007, T U Center, Pilathara P O, Pilathara, Kannur – 670501.

D1/1344/2023-TC

Note Sri. M. Gopalakrishnan, Secretary Autorickshaws drivers union, CITU Madai Area Committee has reported that at present the Autorickshaws have given district permit and permitted to travel only at a distance of 20 Kms in the nearby district. Hence drivers cannot pick up passengers for long trips. As the Autorickshaws are permitted to operate the service with in the districts, the Autorickshaw drivers faced some hardships and caused heavy economic

loss.

In order to avoid this the applicant appealed that a massive change has to be made in the permit system and take valuable measures to provide State wide permit to operate the service of Autorickshaws. He also argued that the newly built Autorickshaws are technically fit and suitable for long journey.

The request placed before the STA meeting for discussion and decision.

ITEM NO. 13

Agenda : To consider the Application for the Rent a Motor Cycle License.

Applicant : Sri. Shanavas P S, S/o Shareef P A, H. No. 10/1210, Near K S F E, Amaravathy, Fort Kochi. Mobile Nos. 9995784000, 9544819896.

D1/579/2022-TC

Note Enquiry report received from DTC, Ernakulam. DTC has reported that the Applicant complies with the requirements of Rent a Motor Cycle Scheme 1997. DTC recommended that the application for fresh License under Rent a Motor Cycle Scheme, 1997 can be considered.

The Application placed before the STA Meeting for decision.

ITEM NO. 14

Agenda : To consider the Application for the Rent a Motor Cycle License.

Applicant : Sri. Prithvi Raj (Jaywar Bikes), S/o Mohan Singh, IX/1026, 26 Rooms Lane, Mattupetty Road, Munnar, Idukki – 685612.

D1/464/2022-TC

Note Enquiry report received from DTC, Ernakulam. DTC has reported that the Applicant complies with the requirements of Rent a Motor Cycle Scheme 1997. DTC recommended that the application for fresh License under Rent a Motor Cycle Scheme, 1997 can be considered.

The Application placed before the STA Meeting for decision.

ITEM NO. 15

Agenda : Proposal for changing the running time of Private Buses in Thiruvananthapuram City.

Applicant : Sri. P. Venugopalan Nair, Secretary, Kerala Bus Transport Association, District Committee, Thiruvananthapuram – 23.

D4/81/2024-TC

Note As per the decision of STA (Vide decision No. D3/875/STA/2005 Dated 08.11.2011) the running time for Ordinary/Town Services in city/town is fixed as 3 minutes. Hence the decision of STA is required for changing the running time from 3 minutes to 4 minutes.

The applicant filed application for changing the running time for private buses in Thiruvananthapuram city from 3 minutes to 4 minutes.

Hence STA may kindly peruse the proposal and take a decision on the matter.

ITEM NO. 16

Agenda : To consider the application for renewal of Counter Signature Permit No. 28/STA/2009 for stage carriage KA 51 AA 6118 plying on the Inter State Route Mysore to Calicut and back on single point tax basis – Reg.

Applicant : M/s Megha B R, Managing Director, S R S Travels & Logistics Pvt. Ltd. No.321, T S Road, Opp. BMC, Kalasipalayam, Bangalore – 560002.

D2/219/2021-TC

Note The Stage Carriage KA 51 AA 6118 having interstate permit No. 69/1998-1999 valid up to 29.02.2024 to operate on the interstate route Mysore to Calicut and back on single point tax basis. The Permit holder has applied for renewal of Counter Signature of permit. The vehicle has HP with India Infoline Finance Ltd., IIFL Tower, MGR Road, Chennai and check report pending with RTO

Electronic City. The vehicle model is 2017 and not attained the age of 15 years.

The route included in the interstate agreement in Serial No. 16, Appendix 1 of ISA 1976.

Hence STA may kindly peruse the records and take a decision regarding this route permit.

ITEM NO. 17

Agenda : To consider the application for renewal of Counter Signature Permit No. 10(A)/STA/1990 for stage carriage KA 51 AA 6112 plying on the Inter State Route Mercara to Kasargod and back on single point tax basis – Reg.

Applicant : M/s Megha B R, Managing Director, S R S Travels & Logistics Pvt. Ltd. No.321, T S Road, Opp. BMC, Kalasipalayam, Bangalore – 560002.

D2/221/2021-TC

Note The Stage Carriage KA 51 AA 6112 having interstate permit No. 74/1998-1999 valid up to 15.03.2024 to operate on the interstate route Mercara to Kasargod and back via Sampaje, Sullia, Jalsoor and Adur on single point tax basis. The Permit holder has applied for renewal of Counter Signature of permit. The vehicle has HP with India Infoline Finance Ltd., IIFL Tower, MGR Road, Chennai and check report pending with RTO Kasargod

and RTO Electronic City. The vehicle model is 2017 and not attained the age of 15 years.

The route included in the interstate agreement in Serial No. 4, Appendix 3 of ISA 1976.

Hence STA may kindly peruse the records and take a decision regarding this route permit.

ITEM NO. 18

Agenda : To consider the application for renewal of Counter Signature Permit No. 10/STA/1990 for stage carriage KA 51 AA 6119 plying on the Inter State Route Mercara to Kasargod and back on single point tax basis – Reg.

Applicant : M/s Megha B R, Managing Director, S R S Travels & Logistics Pvt. Ltd. No.321, T S Road, Opp. BMC, Kalasipalayam, Bangalore – 560002.

D2/211/2021-TC

Note The Stage Carriage KA 51 AA 6119 having interstate permit No. 73/1998-1999 valid up to 15.03.2024 to operate on the interstate route Mercara to Kasargod and back via Sampaje, Sullia, Jalsoor and Adur on single point tax basis. The Permit holder has applied for renewal of Counter Signature of permit. The vehicle has HP with India Infoline Finance Ltd., IIFL Tower, MGR Road, Chennai and check report pending with RTO Electronic City. The vehicle model is 2017 and not attained the age

of 15 years.

The route included in the interstate agreement in Serial No. 4, Appendix 3 of ISA 1976.

Hence STA may kindly peruse the records and take a decision regarding this route permit.

ITEM NO. 19

- Agenda** : To consider the application for renewal of Counter Signature of primary permit No. 12/STA/94 in respect of vehicle KL 14 L 7779. The existing permit is valid up to 10.04.2024. The route operated was Kasargod to sullia and back (six single trips per day by one vehicle) on single point tax basis – reg.
- Applicant** : Smt. Baby S Naik, W/o Sri. Shankara Naik, H. No. 9/326, Kallampady, Kasargod-671121.

D2/73/2024-TC

Note Stage Carriage KL 14 L 7779 covered by permit No. 12/STA/94 is valid up to 10.04.2024 is operating on the inter state route Kasargod to Sullia on single point tax basis.

The route finds a place in the inter state agreement vide sl. No. 12, Appendix II dated 26.06.1976.

The vehicle has not attained the age of 15 years. The registration date of vehicle is 17.04.2012. The permit

holder filed application dated 13.03.2024 for renewal of counter signature permit for a further period of five years from 11.04.2024 to 10.04.2029. But as per vahan records this vehicle does not hold a permit. No pending check report found and tax remitted up to 31.03.2024. STA may peruse the records, hear the applicant and objectors and take a decision.

ITEM NO. 20

Agenda : To consider the Request for relaxation of retrofitted CNG Autorickshaw Colour change – Reg.

Applicant : M/S Eastern Auto Fuel Technologies, Near G H S Manacaud, Trivandrum – 695009.

C1/88/2024-TC

Note M/S Eastern Auto Fuel Technologies has requested to provide relaxation for changing the colour of an Autorickshaw, retrofitted with CNG kitt till its fitness period. A large number of Diesel/ Petrol Autorickshaws in the state are being retrofitted with CNG but the color of such autorickshaws have to be painted in green & yellow combinations, which makes financial burden to the Registered Owners.

The Application placed before the STA Meeting for decision.

ITEM NO. 21

Agenda : To consider the application for Rent a Motor Cycle License

Applicant The Managing Partner Sri. Anand George, AJN 205, Mundadan, MC Road, Angamaly – 683572. M/S Expedour Experiences LLP, XV/164,XV/641, Airport-Mattoor Road, Near Fuel Pump, Nayathode, Angamaly – 683572.

D1/1238/2023-TC

Note The Applicant Sri. Anand George applied for obtaining Rent a Motor Cycle License. Inquiry report from DTC Ernakulam received. DTC, Ernakulam has reported that the firm complies with the requirements of paragraph 5 of Rent a Motor Cycle Scheme 1997. There are places of tourist importance nearby to the locality of the firm. The firm has 5 vehicles with Contract Carriage permit. DTC Ernakulam recommended to consider the application of Sri. Anand George for obtaining new license under Rent a Motor Cycle Scheme 1997.

The Application placed before the STA Meeting for discussion and decision.

ITEM NO. 22

Agenda : To consider the application for renewal of Counter Signature of primary permit No. 46/STA/1986 in respect of vehicle KL 70 A 4599. The existing permit is valid up to 05.09.2024. The route operated was Kallangode to

Coimbatore (via) Chittur and Velanthavalam on single permit tax basis.

Applicant Sri. Thiagarajan, S/o Sri. Subramaniam, 8/477, Pollachi Road, Nedumani, Kollengode, Palakkad – 678506.

D2/38/2020-TC

Note Stage Carriage KL 70 A 4599 covered by permit No. 46/STA/1986 is valid up to 05.09.2024 is operating on the inter state route Kollangode to Coimbatore on single point tax basis.

The route finds a place in the inter state agreement vide Sl. No. 12, Appendix II dated 26.06.1976.

The vehicle has not attained the age of 15 years. The Registration date of vehicle is 09.03.2015. The permit holder filed application dated 24.04.2024 for renewal of Counter Signature of Permit for a further period of five years from 06.09.2024 to 05.09.2029. No pending check report found and tax remitted up to 31.03.2024. STA may peruse the records, hear the applicant and objectors and take a decision.

ITEM NO. 23

Agenda : To consider the application for Rent a Motor Cycle License

Applicant Sri. Ivan P J, S/o P M Joseph, Palliparambil, 1/1062, Kottavalappu, Fort Kochi, Kerala – 682001.

D1/1259/2023-TC

Note The Applicant Sri. Ivan P J, S/o P M Joseph, Palliparambil, 1/1062, Kottavalappu, Fort Kochi, Kerala – 682001 applied for obtaining Rent a Motor Cycle License. Inquiry report from DTC Ernakulam received. DTC, Ernakulam has reported that the firm complies with the requirements of paragraph 5 of Rent a Motor Cycle Scheme 1997. There are places of tourist importance nearby to the locality of the firm like Dutch Palace, Synagogue, Fort Kochi Beach etc. The firm has 9 vehicles with Contract Carriage permit. DTC Ernakulam recommended to consider the application of Sri. Ivan P J for obtaining new license under Rent a Motor Cycle Scheme 1997.

The Application placed before the STA Meeting for discussion and decision.

DEPARTMENTAL ITEM- 1

Agenda : To make Decision regarding implementing Uniform Colour Code for driving School Vehicles.

C1/248/2023-TC

Note In the meeting held on 12.09.2023 chaired by Additional Transport Commissioner, it was informed that a Colour

Code may be implemented for Driving School Vehicles for their easy identification, as discussed in the meeting with Hon'ble minister for Transport.

As there is no separate colour code for Driving School Vehicles now a Colour Code – “Yellow painting on the front and rear of the vehicles” can be implemented.

The State Transport Authority may consider the matter and take a decision.

DEPARTMENTAL ITEM-2

Agenda : To take decision regarding re considering of white colour implemented for Contract Carriages.

C1/170/2020-TC

Note As per decision of State Transport Authority dated 11.08.2021 it was decided to implement white colour for Contract Carriages. But many representations have been received requesting to withdraw this decision. Hence the decision to implement white colour to Contract Carriages except LMVs has to be reconsidered. A decision can be taken in the matter with a condition that gigantic figures, photos of film stars etc which distract the attention of road users shall not be painted or pasted on the vehicles.

DEPARTMENTAL ITEM-3

Agenda : To take decision regarding retaining the Bonnet Numbers (TC) of outgoing Petrol/Diesel Auto rickshaws to incoming Electric Auto rickshaws while replacement.

D1/198/2024-TC

Note : State Transport Authority in the meeting held on 31.08.2022, it was instructed all Regional Transport Authorities to allot bonnet numbers to certain number of Electric Auto rickshaws in Corporations and towns where permits of Petrol/ Diesel Auto rickshaws were restricted. The Authority have received certain complaints that the existing bonnet numbers allotted to Petrol/ Diesel Auto rickshaws were not retained to them while replacing such vehicles with Electric Auto rickshaws. A direction may be issued to all Regional Transport Authorities to retain the existing bonnet numbers (TC No. etc) allotted to Petrol/ Diesel/ CNG/ LPG Auto rickshaws while replacing such vehicles with Electric Auto rickshaws though the Electric Auto rickshaws does not require any permit. Hence this matter may be placed in the next STA Meeting as a departmental agenda item..

Signed by

Manojkumar K

Date: 11-06-2024 11:22:31

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JOINT TRANSPORT COMMISSIONER & SECRETARY STA*

MOTOR VEHICLES DEPARTMENT, KERALA

