No.L1-13080/TC/96

Cifice of the Transport Commissioner, Thiruvananthapuram, Date: 27.1.1998.

## Circular No.1/98

Sub:- M. Vs. Dept. - Illegal and irregular issue of driving licences to adolescent persons - violation of M.V.Act and Rules - directions issued - reg -

- Ref: 1. Petition filed by Sri.Lucipher, Chackalackal House, poonthole, hrissur and judgement in O.P.No.15802/96/HC.
  - 2. Government letter No.38043/B1/96/Trans dated 25.11.1997.

It was pointed but in the petition received vide reference 1st cited from one Mr. Lucipher of Chackalackal House, Poonthole, Thrissur that certain persons of Thrissur District had obtained driving licences before attaining the age prescribed by the Laws. The Honourable High Court of Kerala has accepted the petition of Sri.Lucipher as a letter OP and disposed the case after hearing all the officers concerned, with directions to Motor Vehicles Inspectors and all other officers concerned to follow the Motor Vehicles Act and Rules strictly.

Government of Kerala have also considered the matter seriously and ordered this Department to issue suitable directions to all the officers concerned to follow the Act and Rules strictly.

In the circumstances mentioned above all Regional Transport Officers, Joint Regional Transport Officers, Motor Vehicles Inspectors, Assistant Motor Vehicles Inspectors and all other officers concerned are directed to see that the provisions of Motor Vehicles act and Rules are followed meticularly and strictly while handling applications for licence, permit, registration etc. Any failure noticed in this regard will be viewed very seriously and appropriate departmental action/Creminal action will be initiated against the concerned.

Receipt of this circular should be acknowledged by return post.

> Transport Commissioner, Thiruvananthapuram.

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