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Head Office, Motor Vehicles Department
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Ref : Note from the Secretary, STA, Thiruvananthapuram dated 19.12.2003.

It has come to the notice of the Department that a large number of applications for assignment of fresh registration marks are pending in the various offices of the Motor Vehicles Department for very long period and that the vehicles are being used without paying the tax due to the State. It is also noted that the owners have to pay additional tax when the vehicles are assigned with fresh registration marks long after the due dates. Therefore it is decided to introduce a common procedure for accepting tax at the time of submission of application so that the State will get the revenue on due dates, and the owners need not pay additional tax when they get the assignment. Therefore the tax will be collected at the time of application for assignment, which will be from the due date. If the application is found not genuine, the balance tax for the period for which the vehicle has not been used in the State will be refunded.

Please acknowledge the receipt.

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Transport Commissioner