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Government of Kerala
Transport (B) Department

No:10793/B3/09/Tran

Thiruvananthapuram

Dated: 12/10/2009
02.03.2010

From

The Secretary to Government

To

1. The Transport Commissioner
Thiruvananthapuram
2. The Director
State Water Transport Department
Alappuzha

Sir,

Sub:- KLBf- Request for present address of the Tribunals/
Appellate Authorities- reg

Ref:- GO (P) No:89/07/Law dated 12.04.2007.

Attention is invited to the reference cited. Rule 11 of the Kerala Legal Benefit Fund Rules, 1991 envisages that the court fee levied and collected in respect of appeals or revisions by Tribunals or Appellate Authorities other than civil and criminal courts and fifty percent of the court fees levied and collected on Mukthiarnama/ Vakalathnama under Article 16 of Schedule II of Kerala Court Fees and Suits Valuation Act, 1959 shall be collected by means of court fee stamps over-printed or affixed with seal with the words "Legal Benefit Fund" in the required number of different denomination of court fee stamps.

As per GO (P) No: 116/02/Law dated 5-4-2002 the Government have issued orders authorizing the levy, by the Tribunals and Appellate Authorities constituted by or under any special or Local Law other than civil and criminal courts, of additional court fee in respect of each appeal or revision at the rate of 0.5 % of the amount involved in the dispute in

cases where it is capable of valuation and in other cases at the rate of Rupees fifty in each such case.

It has come to the notice of the Government that in spite of instructions issued by the Government in the references cited the Kerala Legal Benefit Fund Stamps are not affixing on the Vakalathnamas and Mutkthiarnamas filed before various Courts, Tribunals and Appellate Authorities in many cases and thereby causing considerable loss to the revenue generated in the Legal Benefit Fund.

In the circumstances I am to request you to comply strictly the instructions issued by the Government and to furnish present address and Telephone numbers of the Tribunals/Appellate Authorities if any under your control to Law (KLBF) Department in Government at the earliest to ensure the prompt receipt of the quarterly statement.

Yours faithfully

P. OMANA

UNDER SECRETARY

For Secretary to Government

Approved for Issue

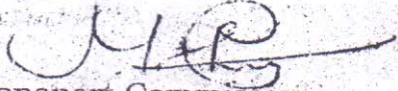
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Forwarded to the All Deputy Transport Commissioners/Regional Transport Officers / Joint Regional Transport Officers for information and necessary action.

Copy to:- Transport Commissioner, Deputy Transport Commissioner and Secretary, State Transport Authority, Senior Deputy Transport Commissioner (Tax) Senior Accounts Officer, Senior Finance Officer, Senior Law Officer, Accounts Officer, All Section Superintendent and Section Clerks of Head Office.


For Transport Commissioner