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Transport Commissionerate, Keralam
Trans Towers, Thiruvananthapuram
Dated: 03-10-2012

From
The Transport Commissioner

To
All Deputy Transport Commissioners
All Regional Transport Officers
All Joint Regional Transport Officers
The Motor Vehicles Inspectors of all Check Posts

Sir,
Sub: Motor Vehicles Department-Carriage of hazardous goods-
Unnecessary harassment in Motor Vehicles Check Posts-Reg

Ref: Nil

Attention is invited to the above reference. In the meeting held by Hon'ble Chief Minister and Hon'ble Minister for Transport, Food and Civil Supplies, the representatives of transport contractors raised some complaints that the vehicle carrying hazardous goods are detained unnecessarily in the Motor Vehicles Check Posts en route and are being harassed by Motor Vehicles Department officials. According to them, due to this unnecessary detention, the truck drivers/ operators are not in a position to carry the loads and reach the destination in time. The delay of Liquefied Petroleum Gas Tankers to their respective destinations causes shortage of Liquefied Petroleum Gas and unseen damages to the economy of our country.

In this circumstance you are directed to avoid unnecessary delay in check posts while checking vehicles carrying hazardous or dangerous goods. These vehicles should be permitted to pass as and when they come to the check post subject to verification of mandatory stipulations and without any undue harassment and delay.

Yours faithfully
Sd/-

Transport Commissioner
For Transport Commissioner

Approved for issue

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24/10/12
Senior Superintendent

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24/10/12