Transport Commissionerate, Keralam Trans Towers, Thiruvananthapuram Dated: 17.12.2014

From

The Transport Commissioner Thiruvananthapuram

To

All Deputy Transport Commissioners, All Regional Transport Officers, All Regional Transport Officers (Enforcement) All Joint Regional Transport Officers

Sir,

Sub: MotorVehicle Department- Observance of Road Safety Week 2015 from 1st to 7th January, 2015 - reg, Ref: - Letter No. RT-25029/01/2014-RS dated 09.12.2014 from the Ministry of Road Transport & Highways

The 26th National Road Safety Week will be observed from 11th January to 17th January 2015. The inaugural function of the road safety week will be at Kottayam to be inaugurated by the Hon. Chief Minister. During this week various activities regarding enforcement and awareness programmes are to be arranged throughout the state. All Deputy Transport Commissioners in their jurisdiction will supervise the observance week and make sure the same will be a success. Regional Transport Officers in the district/rural in consultation with Deputy Transport Commissioner and other departments concerned will arrange the programme for the week as listed below.

The theme of the Road Safety Week and the year 2015 is "Safety is not just a slogan, It's way of life". Involvement of all the concerned agencies like Police, Health, information & Publicly, Education, PWD), etc., and other agencies like District Authorities, Voluntary Organizations etc. may be ensured. In addition, a proactive enforcement drive during the Week would underscore the seriousness about safety on the roads.

The activities from second day to sixth day may be conducted as per the programme list. The activities in the first day and closing day shall be decided by

district level/ RTO level. They will make sure the participation of NGOs interested, school/college students, local self Government officials and as far as possible MLAs and Ministers. You are also directed to submit compliance report of the observance week by January 25th, 2014. An indicative list of road safety activities which may be undertaken during the week is given follows.

Day (1) Inauguration and awareness programme to be arranged by each office

Day (2) Enforcement of Helmet and seat belts (Enforcement with awareness programmes). Student Police Cadets may be used for this.

Day (3) Overspeed in stage carriages and goods carriages

Day (4) Overload, overspeed, drunken driving and night checking to be carried out

Day (5) Checking of speed governors in all types of vehicles, enforce pedestrian safety (Conducting of small meetings at different places)

Day (6) Conducting of seminars, issue of news paper/media release, media discussion, medical check up, Eye testing and holding of competitions.

Day (7) Closing day (programmes as arranged by RTO level)

It is requested that an 'Action Taken Report' in the matter may be sent to this Office for the onward transmission to Ministry of Road Transport & Highways by 31st January, 2014.

Yours faithfully

Joint Transport Commissioner For Transport Commissioner

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