CIRCULAR NO. 04 /2011

Sub: Motor Vehicles Department-Temporary Registration of vehicles-Period of validity extended-orders issued-reg

Ref: 1. Circular No.19/1998 dated 26-06-1998

2. Circular No.05/99

3. Letter No. C4/2630/TC/03 dated 22-12-2003

As per Section 43(2) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988, the period of validity of registration shall not exceed one month. As per Rule 5 of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Taxation Rules, 1975, the grace period for remitting tax in respect of Non-Transport Vehicle is 14 days. In view of the amendment in Rule 95 of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989 enabling an owner of a motor vehicle to reserve a registration mark during a period of one week and the day for consideration of an application is fixed as the first working day of the subsequent week it has become necessary to extend the validity. In these circumstances, the period of validity of temporary registration, which is limited to 7 days vide reference 3rd cited, is hereby extended to 14 days including holidays. If the 14th day is a holiday, the vehicle can be produced for registration on the next working day without any fine or additional fee'

This Circular shall come into effect from 01-03-2011. This time limit does not apply to chassis to which a body has not been attached. Receipt of this Circular may be acknowledged.

Sd/-Transport Commissioner

To

All Deputy Transport Commissioners All Regional Transport Officers All Joint Regional Transport Officers

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Approved for issue

Senior DTC (Taxation)

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