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From

Transport Commissioner, Motor Vehicles Department, GoK

To

All Deputy Transport Commissioners

All Regional Transport Officers

All Enforcement Regional Transport Officers

All Joint Regional Transport Officers

Sir,

Sub:- MVD - Judgement in WP(C) No. 7164 of 2019-Directions issued- Reg

Ref:- Judgement dated 09/04/2019 in WP(C) No.7164/2019

Vide reference cited, the Hon`ble High Court of Kerala instructed the Transport Commissioner to implement the following directions .

- 1. No motor vehicle including a Government vehicle is allowed to be used in any public place after tampering with the percentage of visual transmission of light of the safety glass of the windscreen, rear window and side windows either by pasting any material upon the safety glass or fixing sliding `cloth curtains` etc and that the safety glass of the wind screen and rear window of every motor vehicle is always maintained in such a condition that the visual transmission of light is not less than 70% and that of the safety glass used for side windows is not less than 50 % as per the mandate of sub rule (2) of Rule 100 of the CMV Rules.
- 2. Strict compliance of the provisions under Rules 102 to 111 of CMV Rules must be ensured .No motor vehicle shall be allowed to be used in any public place without maintaining the signalling devices, direction indicators , reflectors, reflective tapes, lamps, parking lights etc as specified thereunder in good working condition.
- 3. No motor vehicle shall be permitted to be used in public place putting any object in front of such lighting devices, reflectors etc or `tinting` such lighting devices or reflectors by fixing vinyl tint film sticker. No motor vehicle shall be permitted to be used in any public place which is fitted with any lights or lighting devices other than those specifically provided under the provisions of the CMV Rules . No motor vehicle shall be permitted to be used in a public place which is fitted with LED bar lights ,LED flexible strip lights ,after-market (Non-OEM) halogen driving lamps etc. No transport vehicle including the vehicles owned/operated by KSRTC and KURTC shall

be permitted to be used in any public place exhibiting advertisements ,figures , writings etc which are likely to distract the attention of other drivers, cyclists and pedestrians. Exhibition of no such advertisements, figures, writings etc shall be permitted on the body of the transport vehicle at places intended for exhibiting the name and address of the operator as per clause (g) of Section 84 of the MV Act, the particulars enumerated in clauses (a) to (g) of Rule 93 of the KMV Rules, the reflectors and reflective tapes as per Rule 104 of the CMV Rules and also on the safety glass of the wind screen ,rear window and side windows of a transport vehicle which has to be maintained as per the standards prescribed under sub rule (2) of Rule 100 of the CMV Rules.

 Urgent steps must be taken to implement the Provisions under the MV(Driving) regulation 2017 strictly.

In view of the above observations all concerned are hereby directed to take earnest effort to implement the directions issued by the Hon'ble High Court forthwith.

Yours faithfully

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