Transport Commissionerate, Keralam Trans Towers, Thiruvananthapuram Dated: 07-10-2016

From

The Transport Commissioner

To

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

Sir,

Sub: Motor Vehicles Department-Exhibition of name of board of the company on vehicle- Judgement dated 29-06-2016 of the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala in W.P. (C) No. 35755/2015(T)-Reg

Ref: 1. Petition dated 19-07-2016 from M/s Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited

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Attention is invited to the above references. In the judgement vide reference 2nd cited, the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala has ordered that mere writing of name of a company on vehicles owned by the company does not attract Rule 191 of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989. But the Hon'ble High Court has also clarified that if any inscriptions or writings are made on such transport vehicles inviting public attention for the products of the company, Rule 191 will come into play. This is for information and further necessary action.

Yours faithfully
Sd/Senior Deputy Transport Commissioner
(Taxation)
For Transport Commissioner

Approved for issue

Senior Superintendent