Transport Commissionerate, Keralam Trans Towers, Thiruvananthapuram Dated: 21-02-2012

From

The Transport Commissioner

To

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

Sir,

Sub: Motor Vehicles Department-Qualification for issuing vision certificate-Reg

Ref: 1. Circular No.09/2006 dated 08-06-2011

2. Letter No.M1-1093/11/RIO dated 03-02-2012 from the Director, Regional Institute of Ophthalmology, Thiruvananthapuram

Your attention is invited to the above references. Vide reference 1st cited it was directed that an ophthalmologist with a registered Post Graduate qualification in Ophthalmology can issue vision certificate for the purpose of issuing/renewal of Driving licence. Vide reference 2nd cited, the Director, Regional Institute of Ophthalmology has clarified that any Ophthalmologist with Diploma in Ophthalmology (DO) or D.N.B.( Ophthalmology) or M.S.( Ophthalmology) after MBBS Degree can issue a certificate for visual standards for driving licence. It is also clarified that the above qualifications are registered post graduate qualifications in Ophthalmology as per guidelines issued by TC Medical Council & MCI. You are requested to ascertain whether the medical practitioner who has issued vision certificate for the purpose of issuing/renewal of driving licence has got any of the above mentioned qualifications.

Yours faithfully
Sd/Senior Deputy Transport Commissioner
For Transport Commissioner

Approved for issue

Senior Superintendent

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