Transport Commissionerate, Kerala, Trans Towers, Thiruvananthapuram. Date: 16.08.2011

From

The Transport Commissioner, Thiruvananthapuram.

To .

All Deputy Transport Commissioners, All Regional Transport Officers, All Joint Regional Transport Officers.

Sir,

Sub:- Motor Vehicles Department.- Filing of G-Form - Judgment in WP(C) No.19193/04 - reg

Ref:- Copy of the judgment furnished vide Letter No.C/1139/SZ/11 dated 12.07.2011 from Deputy Transport Commissioner, South Zone, Thiruvananthapuram.

I am to invite your attention to the subject matter. The Hon'ble High Court, vide judgment dated 4th October 2010 in WP(C)No.19193/04 has pointed out that a dereliction or delay in allowing or rejecting a G-Form filed by a Registered owner amounts to a mal administration.

The Hon'ble High Court asserted that the authority cannot demand tax or refuse refund without passing orders on the G-Form. The verdict in this case has resulted in the refund of tax collected from the Registered owner since the authority concerned has failed to comply the above provision.

In the above circumstances, I am to direct all taxation authorities to strictly comply the provisions while entertaining the Form-G intimation to avoid the recurrence of such instances. The field officers and the sections concerned may be entrusted to follow the same.

Yours faithfully,

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Senior Deputy Transport Commissioner, (Taxation)

For Transport Commissioner

Approved for issue

Senior Superintendent