GOVERNMENT OF KERALA Transport (B) Department NOTIFICATION

G.O(P)No.10/2018/Tran. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram 28 th March,2018 14 th Meenam,1193

S.R.O. No......... 2018. - In exercise of the powers conferred by section 22 of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Taxation Act, 1976 (19 of 1976), read with rule 5 of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Taxation Rules, 1975, the Government of Kerala being satisfied that it is necessary, in public interest to do so, hereby make the following amendments to the notification issued under G.O.(P) No.62/2016/Tran. dated 21st November, 2016 and published as SRO No.744/2016 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No.2136 dated 9th December, 2016, namely:-

AMENDMENT

In the said notification,-

- i. for the words and figures "31st March, 2017" wherever they occur, the words and figures "30th September 2017" shall be substituted;
- ii. for the words and figures "31st December, 2017", wherever they occur, the words and figures "30th June, 2018" shall be substituted

By order of the Governor,

K.R.JYOTHILAL

Principal Secretary to Government.

Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

As per the notification issued under G.O.(P) No.62/2016/Tran. dated 21st December, 2016 published as S.R.O.No.744/2016 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No.2136 dated 9th December, 2016, the Government had introduced one time settlement facility for realizing long pending tax arrear for all classes of motor vehicles. This facility was limited to the vehicles having arrears of tax for 5 years or more as on 31st March, 2017. Requests have been received from public to extend the facility for vehicles having arrears of tax for 5 years or more as on 30th September, 2017. The facility for remitting arrear tax through one time settlement scheme expired on 31st December, 2017. Requests have also been received from public to extend the period of validity of the order for a further period of 6 months. Considering this demand, Government have decided to extend the period of one time settlement scheme up to 30th June, 2018 and also to extend the facility for vehicles having arrear of tax for 5 years or more as on 30th September, 2017.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.