No. RT-11028/15/2017-MVL भारत सरकार Government of India सडक परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्रालय Ministry of Road Transport and Highways (MVL Section) ransport Bhawan, 1, Parliament Street, New Delhi-110001 Dated the, 19th November, 2018 (i). The Director General of Police, (ii). The Principal Secretaries / The Secretaries, Department of Transport, (iii). The Transport Commissioners, of all the States/UTs. Subject: Vehicle carrying goods to be covered-reg. Madam/Sir, Your attention is drawn to the recent amendment and a newly inserted rule i.e. 138 B in the Central Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989 through the Notification G.S.R. 1081(E) dated 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 2018.(copy attached) Accordingly, it is informed that all the goods carriage vehicles shall carry goods in a closed body of the vehicle or container and that if it is necessary to carry goods in open bodies, goods shall be covered by using appropriate cover like tarpaulin or any other suitable material. It has been observed that the goods especially material which flows from such vehicles causes nuisance to citizens moving on roads especially behind such vehicles and is also a cause of accidents. In view of the above, it is requested to ensure compliance of the rule 138 B of the Central Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989 and ensure safety of the citizens. Encls: As above. Yours faithfully, (Dharkat R. Luikang) Under Secretary to the Govt. of India Email: dharkat@nic.in First NO! CI-C-79416-18-TC dated 22.11. 18 Tel: 011-23357125

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