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**Dated, 07.10.2014**

From

The Transport Commissioner,  
Thiruvananthapuram.

To

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

Sir,

Sub:- **Motor Vehicles Department** – Sealing of fare metre – Direction issuing of –  
reg.

Ref:- 1. Circular No. 09/2014.  
2. U.O. Note No. F3/7603/TC/2012 dated 02.09.2014.

Attention is invited to the above references. Vide reference 1<sup>st</sup> cited, it was directed that the fare metres installed in autorickshaws shall be got tested by the officers concerned of the Legal Metrology Department and suitably sealed to avoid any manipulation. Vide Audit Report (Civil) for the year ended on 31.03.2011, the Comptroller and Auditor General has pointed out that test check of records for the period from 2007 to 2010 revealed that the number of autorickshaw metres subjected to verification and stamping by the Legal Metrology Department ranged from 4.84 percent to 29.08 percent of the total number of autorickshaw for which fitness certificates had been issued. This means that the circular direction issued in this regard is not complied sincerely all over the

State. Hence it is hereby ordered that the validity of certificate issued by Legal Metrology Department in terms of sealing of digital fare metre shall be ascertained while rendering any service to autorikshaws from this department. Any lapse in complying this direction will be viewed seriously.

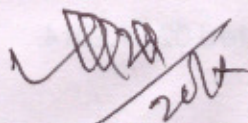
Yours faithfully,

Sd/-


Senior Deputy Transport commissioner  
(Taxation)

For Transport Commissioner

Approved for issue



Senior Superintendent

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MOTOR VEHICLES DEPARTMENT, KERALA