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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Transport (B) Department

NOTIFICATION

G.O.(P) No. 32/2021/Trans.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 26th October 2021.

S. R. O. No. 766/2021

WHEREAS, the Government have, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 22 of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Taxation Act, 1976 (19 of 1976), allowed the registered owners or persons having possession or control of the Motor Cabs and Tourist Motor Cabs, registered on or after 1st April, 2014, for which tax has



been remitted for 5 years instead of one time tax of 15 years and have not remitted the balance tax so far, to remit the balance tax for the remaining period of 10 years, at the rate specified in Annexure I of the Schedule to the Kerala Motor Vehicles Taxation Act, 1976, along with additional tax and interest due as on 31st March, 2021 in ten equal bimonthly instalments, as per notification issued under G.O. (P) No. 13/2021/Trans dated 9th April, 2021 and published as S.R.O. No. 353/2021 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No.1408 dated 9th April, 2021;

AND WHEREAS, the time limit granted to remit the first three instalments of balance tax, availing the instalment facility, had expired on 10th September, 2021;

AND WHEREAS, in view of the situation prevailing in the State due to Covid-19 pandemic and since the registered owners or persons having possession or control of the Motor Cabs and Tourist Motor Cabs referred to in the first para were unable to remit the balance tax on the due dates specified, on account of the State wide lockdown imposed with effect from 8th May 2021, the Government have now decided to further extend the time limit for remitting the first three bimonthly instalments up to 10th November, 2021;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 22 of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Taxation Act, 1976 (19 of 1976), the Government of Kerala hereby extend the time limit for remitting the first three bimonthly instalments of the said balance tax till 10th November, 2021 and make the following consequential amendment to the said notification, namely:-

AMENDMENT

After the first proviso to the said notification, the following proviso shall be inserted, namely:-



“Provided further that notwithstanding anything contained in the above proviso, the registered owners or persons having possession or control of the Motor Cabs and Tourist Motor Cabs shall be allowed to remit the first three bimonthly instalments of the said balance tax before 10th November, 2021 and shall remit the remaining instalments as per the due dates specified above without fail.”.

By Order of the Governor,
BIJU PRABHAKAR,
Secretary to Government.

Explanatory Note

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

For the reasons stated in the notification, Government have decided to extend the time limit for remitting the first three bimonthly instalments of the balance tax referred to therein till 10th November, 2021, allowed as per notification issued under G.O. (P) No. 13/2021/Trans dated 9th April, 2021 and published as S.R.O. No. 353/2021 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No.1408 dated 9th April, 2021 and make consequential amendment to the said notification.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.

