



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Transport Department – Motor Vehicles Department – Formation of Enforcement Wing with the creation of 56 additional post- Sanction accorded- Orders issued.

TRANSPORT (C) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (Ms) No. 70/2011/Trans

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 12.12.2011

Read:- Letter No. A1 10193/TC/2011 dated 23.07.2011 from the Transport Commissioner, Thiruvananthapuram.

ORDER

In his letter read above the Transport Commissioner has reported that the present staff strength of the Motor Vehicles Department is very meagre compared to the heavy increase in the Vehicle population and that there is hardship in enforcing the Motor Vehicles Act and Rules. He has therefore submitted a proposal for the formation of an Enforcement Wing in the Motor Vehicles Department. Presently Motor Vehicles Department has one mobile enforcement squad in each district. The Transport Commissioner has reported that the dearth of staff strength in the executive category has led to delay in conducting driving tests, issuance of fitness certificate, inspection of vehicles involved in accidents and the ineffective enforcement of various provisions in Motor Vehicles Act and Rules. In order to tide over the crisis the Transport Commissioner has proposed for the formation of 47 enforcement squads in the department with the creation of 304 posts.

Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to accord sanction for the formation of an Enforcement Wing in the Motor Vehicles Department with seventeen squads comprising the following 56 posts, in addition to the 14 squads existing in the Motor Vehicles Department.

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| Joint Transport Commissioner | -1 |
| Regional Transport Officer | -4 (one each in one zone) |
| Motor Vehicle Inspector | -17 |
| Assistant Motor Vehicle Inspectors- | <u>34</u> |
| Total - | 56 |

Each squad will have one Motor Vehicle Inspector and two Assistant Motor Vehicle Inspectors. Out of the new Seventeen squads in the Enforcement Wing there is one squad for each district except for Wayanad and Kasaragod, where accidents are comparatively low and one squad for each Corporation limits

The Regional Transport Officers in the newly created posts will supervise the functions of enforcement squad in the respective zone and the Joint Regional Transport Commissioner appointed against the newly created post in the Office of Transport Commissioner will supervise the functions of all the squads in the State. The Transport Commissioner shall deploy the seventeen squads one in each district and one additional squad in all the five corporation jurisdictions besides the existing 14 squads and ensure reduction of road accidents besides increasing the revenue of the State by effectively utilizing these squads

(By order of the Governor)
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To

The Transport Commissioner, Thiruvananthapuram.
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for effectively enforcing various provisions of Motor Vehicles Act and Rules and to achieve reduction in the number of road accidents and to increase the revenue, through close monitoring of cases of Tax evasion and levying of appropriate fines, and compounding fees: