

No.L1/17924/TC/2006

Transport Commissionerate
Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram
Dated: 05.10.2006

From

The Transport Commissioner.
Thiruvananthapuram.

To

All Deputy Transport Commissioners
All Regional Transport Officers
All Joint Regional Transport Officers and
All Motor Vehicles Inspectors at Check Posts.

Sir,

Sub: - Motor Vehicles Dept. - Compliance of Judgment of Honorable High Court in OP No. 23961/2001-C Direction issued - reg.

- Ref: - 1) Judgment dated 25.05.2006 of Honorable High Court in OP No.23961/2001-C.
2) Letter No. RT/11011/15/99/MVL dated 14.03.2001 of Government of India.
3) Circular No.26/2004 dated 25.08.04 and Circular No.37/2004 dated 28.12.2004 issued from this office.
4) Circular No.13/2005 dated 08.10.2005 issued from this office.

Pursuant to the amendment of Section 52 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 by Act 27 of 2000 and the rules made there under, specific guidelines, as to the retro fitment of CNG and LPG kits in Motor Vehicles and the consequent endorsement in the Registration Certificate Book, issued by Government of India, vide reference 2nd cited, had been endorsed to all concerned. As a further clarification Circular mentioned vide reference 3rd cited had also been issued. Later in order to have foolproof retro fitment agencies and consequent endorsement in the Registration Certificate are to curb illicit retro fitment agencies detailed guidelines were issued vide reference 4th cited. As regard the retro fitment in 2 wheelers and 3 wheelers, now the Honorable High Court of Kerala in OP No.23961/2001 has issued the following direction.

".....that the Write Petition is disposed of directing that the respondents shall ensure that there is no action against the use of LPG/CNG in Motor Vehicles having 3 wheelers and two wheelers provided, the conversion kits used for the purpose are ones approved by the competent testing agencies as provided under Rule 126 of the Central Motor Vehicle Rules and if the fuel is used not that which is supplied for consumption for domestic purpose"

In the above circumstances, all Regional Transport Officers and Joint Regional Transport Officers are directed to give necessary direction to the enforcement staff under their jurisdiction for the strict compliance of the Court Order as stated above .

Yours faithfully,
s/d
Transport Commissioner.