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Office of the Transport Commissioner,
Thiruvananthapuram, 2.11.92.

CIRCULAR No.10/92.

Sub:- M.Vs-Dept - Issue of permit to 'Maxi Cab' - clarification
and instructions issued.

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Certain Regional Transport Officers have sought clarification regarding the grant of permits to 'Maxi Cab' and also the levy of tax on them.

The matter is clarified as follows.

There is no provision in the M.V.Act 1988 or Rules framed thereunder for the issue of Maxi Cab permits as distinct from contract carriage permit. Therefore Maxi Cab permits shall be issued with Contract Carriage permits. The Regional Transport Authority granting Contract Carriage permit to Motor Vehicle carrying more than six passengers but not more than 12 passengers excluding the driver shall classify such vehicles as Maxi Cab, but the permit to be granted should be the contract carriage permit. The fee for such a permit has been prescribed in Rule 164(a)(iii) of the KMV Rules. Rates of tax levied for a maxi cab should be the same as that of a contract carriage as prescribed in item 4(i)(a) of the schedule to KMVT Act 1976. Since Maxi Cab is essentially a contract carriage carrying more than 6 passengers but not more than 12 passengers, the application form prescribed vide rule 143(b) of KMV Rules, 1989 may be used for maxi cab also for the issue of contract carriage permit.

Please acknowledge the receipt of the Circular.

For Transport Commissioner.

To

- All Deputy Transport Commissioners.
- All Regional Transport Officers.
- All Joint Regional Transport Officers in the
Sub Regional Transport Officers.

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