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## Transport (B) Department

### NOTIFICATION

G.O. (P) No. 8/99/Tran.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 31st March, 1999.

S. R. O. No. 316/99.— Whereas, the Government of Kerala vide Notification No. 7223/M3/93/PW&T dated 29th March, 1993 levied an annual tax of Rs. 1,500 on all goods vehicles covered by countersignature of permits in the reciprocal State and plying on single point tax under the bilateral agreement entered into between State Governments of Karnataka or Tamil Nadu with the State Government of Kerala plying on interstate routes between Kerala and Karnataka and Kerala and Tamil Nadu;

AND, WHEREAS, as per the decision in the conference of Southern State Transport Ministers, it has been proposed and agreed to enhance the annual tax from Rs. 1,500 (Rupees one thousand and five hundred only) to Rs. 3,000 (Rupees three thousand only) in respect of goods vehicles covered by countersignature of permit under the bilateral agreement with effect from 1-4-1999;

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Now, Therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (6) of section 3 of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Taxation Act, 1976 (19 of 1976) and in pursuance of the reciprocal supplementary agreement entered into between the Government of Kerala and Government of Karnataka and between Government of Kerala and Government of Tamil Nadu and in supersession of the Notification No. 7223/M3/93/PW&T dated 29th March, 1993, published in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No. 344 dated 30th March 1993 and as per the decision of the Southern Zone Transport Ministers conference, tax of Rs. 3,000 (Rupees three thousand only) per annum shall be levied with effect from the 1st day of April, 1999, on every goods carriages covered by the reciprocal agreement entered into between State Governments of Karnataka or Tamil Nadu with the State Government of Kerala plying on interstate routes between Kerala and Karnataka and Kerala and Tamil Nadu subject to the conditions specified below, namely:—

#### CONDITIONS

- (1) The tax amount of Rs. 3,000 (Rupees three thousand only) shall be paid in advance in lump sum on or before 15th April of every year failing which an additional sum of Rs. 100 (Rupees one hundred only) for each calendar month or part thereof shall be paid as penalty in addition to the aforesaid tax.
- (2) The amount shall be paid by a Crossed Demand Draft drawn in favour of "Secretary, Kerala State Transport Authority, Thiruvananthapuram".
- (3) No refund of tax paid in pursuance of condition (1) shall be allowed under any circumstances.
- (4) No separate tax shall be payable in respect of any vehicle replaced by another vehicle during a financial year for which tax is already paid under this notification.
- (5) The countersignature of permit shall be valid only for the period for which the tax is paid under this notification.

By order of the Governor,

Nalini Netto, Secretary to Government.