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General Administration - Allotting the subject, "Nodal Department for the implementation of National Urban Transport Policy (NUTP) and for setting up of Unified Mass Transit Authority (UMTA)" to Transport Department - Orders issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SS) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms) No.166/2009/GAD

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 13th July, 2009.

Read:- D.O.Letter No.K-14011/07/2007-Metro/UT Dated 29.08.2007 from the Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Urban Development, New Delhi.

ORDER

The nodal Ministry for the subject 'Urban Transport', in Government of India is the Ministry of Urban Development. In most of the States, this subject is segregated between different Ministries/Departments of Transport, Urban Development and Town & Country Planning etc. In order to integrate land use and transport plan, as envisaged in the National Urban Transport Policy, 2006 and to have a co-ordinated mechanism at the State Government level, the Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India has suggested designating one department as the Nodal Department for 'Urban Transport' so that this Nodal Department could co-ordinate with the Unified Mass Transit Authority (UMTA). The Ministry of Urban Development has also requested to make necessary amendments in the Rules of Business in this regard.

Government have examined the matter in detail. All permits related issues in the State are dealt with by the Transport Commissioner. Further, Government consider that the Inter Modal Integration is another aspect, which needs the intervention of the Transport Department.

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In the circumstances, Government are pleased to order that the subject, "Nodal Department for the implementation of National Urban Transport Policy (NUTP) and for setting up of Unified Mass Transit Authority (UMTA)" be allotted to Transport Department. Orders regarding the amendment to the Rules of Business of the Government of Kerala in the matter will be issued separately.

By Order of the Governor,

Dr. P. PRABAKARAN,
Additional Chief Secretary

To

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