



GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

MOTOR VEHICLES – Fitment of Taxi Meter of Digital Type Approved by State Transport Authority – Amendment to Rule 371 of Andhra Pradesh Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989 – Final Notification – Orders – Issued.

TRANSPORT, ROADS & BUILDINGS (TRI) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.213

Dated: 31-10-2006
Read the following:-

- 1) G.O.Ms.No.216, TR&B (Tr.II) Department, dt.7-8-1989
- 2) From the TC Lr.No.16856/R1/2002, dt.01-01-2003
- 3) From the T.C. Lr.No.16856/R1/2002, dt.21-4-2006.
- 4) G.O.Rt.No.601, TR&B(Tr.I) Department, dt.2-6-2006.
- 5) From the T.C., Hyd.,Lr.No.16856/R1/2002, dt 13-9-2006.

ORDER:

The following notification will be published in the Extra-ordinary issue of Andhra Pradesh Gazette, **dated:31-10-2006**

A copy of the order is available in Internet and can be accessed at the address <http://www.aponline.gov.in>

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) read with clause (xx) of sub-section (2) of section 96 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (Central Act 59 of 1988) the Government of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following amendment to the Andhra Pradesh Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989, issued in G.O.Ms.No.216, Transport, Roads & Buildings (Tr.II) Department, dt.7-8-1989 and published at pages 1-135 of the Rules Supplement to part-I Extra-ordinary issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette dated 15-08-1989 as subsequently amended and the same having been published as required under sub section (1) of section 212 of the said Act vide G.O.Rt.No.601, TR&B Department, dated the 2nd June, 2006.

AMENDMENT

For rule 371 of the Andhra Pradesh Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989, the following rule shall be substituted, namely:-

Rule 371 – FARE METER:-

- (1) Every new Auto-rickshaw / Motor Cab plying in Municipal Corporations and Municipalities unless exempted in this regard by the Regional Transport Authority, shall be fitted with a fare meter of digital type approved by the State Transport Authority from the date as may be notified by the Transport Commissioner.
- (2) No new permit shall be granted or renewed unless the Auto-rickshaw / Motor Cab is fitted with the digital meter referred to above.

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- (3) No permit of the Auto-rickshaw / Motor Cab shall be transferred unless it is fitted with the digital meter referred above.
- (4) No fitness certificate of the auto-rickshaw / Motor Cab shall be issued or renewed unless it is fitted with the digital meter referred above.
- (5) The digital meter referred to above shall be sealed at three points namely at the meter, at the junction box and at the adopter.
- (6) The vehicle shall not ply for hire unless the fare meter bears the seal of the Legal Metrology Department to indicate that the fare meter has been tested and is in working order. The seal shall be kept intact.
- (7) The owner, driver, attendant of the vehicle or other person who breaks or tampers in any way with the seal or marks placed on a meter, or who with an intent to deceive, tampers with the fare meter or the driving mechanism thereof, shall be deemed to have committed a breach of this rule;
- (8) No meter shall be altered without the written permission of the Secretary, Regional Transport Authority.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

A.K.TIGIDI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

The Commissioner of Printing, Stationery & Stores Purchases (GNS), Chenchelguda, Hyderabad

(He is requested to publish the notification in the EO issue of A.P.Gazette dt.31-10-2006 and send 550 copies to Government)

The Transport Commissioner, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Vice Chairman & Managing Director, APSRTC, Hyderabad

The Director General & Inspector General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad

The Commissioner of Police, Hyderabad

The District Collector, Hyderabad

The Regional Transport Authority, Hyderabad- through Transport Commissioner, A.P.Hyderabad

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Road Transport & Highways, (Tr.wing), New Delhi.

The Director of Information & Publications, A.P, Hyderabad

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SECTION OFFICER