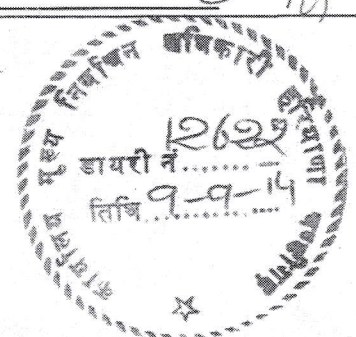




**TRANSPORT COMMISSIONER HARYANA, CHANDIGARH**

परिवहन आयुक्त हरियाणा, चंडीगढ़

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To

The Chief Electoral Officer,  
Haryana, Chandigarh.

No. 22984 /AT-3/DST

Dated: Chandigarh, the 05/09/14

**Subject: Payment of transportation charges for motor vehicles to be requisitioned during the General Election to Haryana Vidhan Sabha, 2014 – Fixation of rates of hiring of vehicles – regarding.**

Please refer to your office memo No.177(Req.Veh.)/VSElec-2014/2AE-8371 dated 29-08-2014 on the subject cited above.

In this regard, it is stated that as per the provisions of Section 67 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988, the State Government, having regard to:-

- a) the advantages offered to the public, trade and industry by the development of motor transport,
- b) the desirability of co-ordinating road and rail transport,
- c) the desirability of preventing the deterioration of the road system, and
- d) the desirability of preventing uneconomic competition among holders of permits,

may, by notification, issue directions, inter alia, regarding the fixing of fares and freights for stage carriages, contract carriages and goods carriages.

Thus, fixing of hiring charges for transport vehicles does not seem to be covered under these provisions. It is further stated that hiring charges of vehicles may vary from one area to another and are influenced by a number of variables including market forces of demand and supply. Therefore, fixing of uniform hiring charges throughout the State does not appear to be logical. The department may consider hiring the vehicles from the local market, by following the financial rules/instructions. In view of the above, this department has issued the letter No.7065/T-2/DST dated 21.03.2014 and No.21882/T-1/DST dated 28.08.2014 (copy enclosed for ready reference). It is, therefore, requested to take further necessary action at your end.

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for Transport Commissioner,  
Haryana, Chandigarh. &

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Dated

A copy of the above is forwarded to the Principal Secretary to Government Haryana, Transport Department for information please.

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for Transport Commissioner,  
Haryana, Chandigarh.