

**UT Administration of Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu
Office of the Secretary (Transport)
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CIRCULAR

**Sub- Setting up of Automated Testing Stations (ATS) in UT of Dadra
Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu.**

Read:- 1) Notification of Ministry of Roads and Transport, Government of India vide G.S.R. 652(E) dated 23/09/2021

Introduction:

Automated Testing Stations (ATS) and Registered Vehicle Scrapping Facility (RVSF) are critical support infrastructure required to be set up across India for implementation of the Voluntary Vehicle-Fleet Modernization Program (V-VMP).

Automated Testing Stations will automate testing of vehicle fitness, improve robustness and transparency of vehicle testing ecosystem in India. The rules for recognition, regulation and control of Automated Testing Station have been notified by MoRTH in G.S.R. 652 (E) dated 23rd September 2021.

With a view to maintain the safety of passengers on the roads, to reduce pollution caused by old vehicles fitness testing has been made mandatory as per the provisions of Motor Vehicle Act, 1988. In order to revamp and to make transparent, technology friendly Vehicle Fitness Verification procedure, the Central Government has on 25th September, 2021 introduced Chapter XI in the Central Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989.

Taking into consideration, the Notification of Central Government extended to UTs, the UT Administration of Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu, is pleased adopt the procedure prescribed under Chapter XI of Central Motor Vehicles Rules and hereby issues the following directions-

- 1) The Director of Transport, DNH&DD, will be the registering authority and shall be empowered to issue Preliminary Registration Certificates, issue and renew Registration Certificates for the registration of the Automated Testing Stations. The fees to be charged shall be as per Rule 188 of Chapter XI of Central Motor Vehicle Rules 1989.
- 2) Any person aggrieved by an order of the registering authority under sub- Rule (9) of Rule 175 or Rule 185, may, within thirty days of the receipt of the order, appeal to Secretary of Transport Department, UT Administration of DNH&DD as per procedure prescribed under Rule 187.
- 3) The entire process from booking for the test to the result at the Automated Testing Station shall be done online as per the procedure prescribed from time to time by the Central Government and the report will have to be sent to the Transport Department by the management of the Automated Testing Station on a daily basis.
- 4) Motor Vehicle Inspector Daman shall be the Appellate Authority for the purpose of Rule 183, before whom appeal against test result for a vehicle given by an Automated Testing Station can be preferred.

All the terms and conditions contained in the final notification issued by Ministry of Road Transport and Highways vide G.S.R. 652 (E) dated 23rd September 2021, such as prescribed criteria, procedure and procedure for running the center shall be applicable.

This is issued with the approval of Hon'ble Administrator, Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu vide Diary Entry No. 1061671 dated 28/07/2023.



(Ashish Mohan)

Director-cum-Joint Secretary (Transport)

To,

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