

## THE ADMINISTRATION OF UNION TERRITORY OF LADAKH

## **Transport Department**

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## **Notification**

## Ladakh, the 31st of October, 2022.

S.O.116. In exercise of provisions of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988, and the powers conferred under section 74 of the said Act, the Administration of the Union territory of Ladakh, on the recommendation of the State Transport Authority (STA), hereby notifies the area/route(s) for contract carriage permits for the purpose of the Act as:-

"The area for contract carriage permit for operating in the Union territory of Ladakh will be within the territory of the district in which the vehicle(s) are registered and the National Highways (NH-1D & NH-3) within Ladakh. The area will extend up to the tourist spots in the vicinity of the National Highway-1D."

For the purpose of effective implementation of section 74 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988, it is further notified that: -

- a. In the event of a demand for contract carriage vehicle(s) by any district for plying in the inner routes of that district, such demand will be raised through the district Assistant Regional Transport Officer (ARTO) by the requisitioning agency. The ARTO will make required number of vehicles available from other district(s) as per availability and issue them temporary permits for plying on inner routes of the requisitioning district for a specified duration.
- b. Only such contract carriage vehicles which if hired institutionally for official purposes of an institution, will be allowed to ply in the areas of official activity (irrespective of area defined above), on the basis of an application made by the hiring institution, clearly indicating the period for such usage. The Motor Vehicles Department (through the Regional Transport Officer, Ladakh) will examine such cases individually.

By order of the Lieutenant Governor.

Sd/-(Saugat Biswas) IAS Commissioner/Secretary

Dated: -03.11.2022

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- 1. All Administrative Secretaries, UT Ladakh.
- 2. Joint Secretary (JKL), Ministry of Home Affairs, GoI.
- 3. Additional Director General of Police, Ladakh.

- 4. Divisional Commissioner, Ladakh.
- 5. Secretary to Lieutenant Governor for information of the Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor.
- 6. Deputy Commissioner, Leh/Kargil.
- 7. Regional Transport Officer, Ladakh.
- 8. Superintendent of Police, Leh/Kargil
- 9. Superintendent of Police (Traffic), Ladakh.
- 10. Joint Director Information, Ladakh.
- 11. Technical Director, NIC, Leh for uploading the Notification on UT website and publication in the e-Gazette.
- 12. Assistant Regional Transport Officer, Leh/Kargil.
- 13. Pvt. Secretary to Advisor, Ladakh for information of the Advisor.
- 14. Pvt. Secretary to the Chairman/Chief Executive Councilor, LAHDC Leh/Kargil for information of the Hon'ble CECs.
- 15. Superintendent Archives, Archaeology & Museums, Leh.

16. S.O file (w.2.s.c).

(Manoj Kumar) JKAS 03.41.2022

**Deputy Secretary**