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MECHANICAL ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT: BUS BHAVAN
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Circular no. 14/2010-MED dt. 15-06-2010

SUBJECT : **VEHICLES** – Form and manner of display of Registration marks on vehicles – Re-iteration of instructions – Reg.

REFERENCE: Circular No: 35/2001-MED, dt.6.12.2001.

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The CMV Rule 50 and 51 and Rule 80A of APMV Rules specify the form and manner of display of Registration marks on all motor vehicles. It is statutory obligation on part of the Corporation to comply with the above regulation. The A.P. Information Commission while hearing a case on the petition filed in this regard directed the Corporation to effectively implement the display of Vehicle Registration Marks as per the Regulations.

Therefore the guidelines issued vide reference cited above, are reiterated once again for strict implementation by the depots.

As per the above Rules the form and manner of display of registration marks on the transport vehicles shall be as follows

1. The registration mark shall be displayed both at the front and at the rear on all motor vehicles clearly and legibly on a plain surface of a plate or part of the vehicle not inclined to vertical by more than thirty degrees, at the front facing direct to the front and at the rear facing direct to the rear.
2. Further, the registration mark exhibited at the rear of a transport vehicle shall be affixed to the vehicle on the right hand side at a distance not exceeding one meter from the ground as may be reasonably possible having regard to the type of the body of the vehicle.

3. The registration mark shall also be painted on the right and left side on the body of the vehicle in the case of a transport vehicle.
4. The registration mark shall also be painted and exhibited on the partition provided between the driver and the passengers, facing the passenger's seats or, where there is no such partition, on the front interior of the vehicle near the roof to the left side of the driver's seat facing the passenger's seats in the case of a stage carriage and in the case of a motor cab or a taxi cab it shall be sufficient if the registration mark is painted on the dashboard.
5. The registration mark shall be exhibited in two lines, the State Code and registering authority code forming the first line and the rest forming the second line, one below the other:

Provided that the registration mark in the front may be exhibited in one line.

Therefore it is directed to provide registration mark at front either in single or two lines and at rear only in two lines on the RH side of body at a height less than one meter from ground

6. **Size of Number Plates and Size of Alpha and Numerals of the registration mark:**

The dimensions of registration plate and sizes of alpha numerals of the registration mark and the space between different letters and numerals shall be as follows:

Provided that when the registration mark is exhibited in one horizontal line, there shall be a hyphen between the letters (including code number of Registering Authority) and the numerals. The length and thickness of the hyphen shall be not less than three-fourth and one-fourth of a centimeter respectively.

i. Size of Number Plates:

Class of Vehicle	Front	Rear
Two Wheelers	285x45 mm	200x100 mm
Three Wheelers	200x100 mm	200x100 mm
Four Wheelers (LMVs and Passenger cars)	500x120 mm/ 340x200 mm	500x120 mm/ 340x200 mm
Medium & Heavy Commercial vehicles	500x120 mm/ 340x200 mm	340x200 mm

ii. Size of Alpha Numerals:

Class of Vehicle	Front	Rear
Two Wheelers (Above 70cc engine)	Letters and Numerals 30 H X 5 TH X 5mm space	Letters: 35 H X 7 TH X 5mm space Numerals: 40 HX 7 TH X 5 mm space
Three Wheelers (Below 500cc engine)	35 HX 7 TH X 5mm space	35 HX 7 TH X 5mm space
Three Wheelers (above 500cc engine)	40 HX 7 TH X 5mm space	40 HX 7 TH X 5mm space
Four Wheelers	65 HX 10 TH X 10mm space	65 HX 10 TH X 10mm space

iii. Color of Registration Marks:

The letters of the registration mark shall be in English and the figures shall be in Arabic numerals as per the following color code:

- a. In case of transport vehicles in Black color on Yellow background
- b. In other cases in Black color on White back ground

Therefore, all the depot Managers are once again instructed to exhibit the vehicle registration marks as per the above guidelines on all vehicles with immediate effect to avoid any further statutory action. Any deviations in this regard will be viewed seriously.

All the Dy.CME's / RM's are advised to oversee the implementation of circular instructions.



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All the Depot Managers,

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