GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Transport (B) Department

NOTIFICATION

G.O. (P) No.03/2012/Tran.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 30th January, 2012.

SRO No./2012:- In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (1) of rule 118 of the Central Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989, the Government of Kerala hereby notify that all transport vehicles carrying school children except three wheeler vehicles shall be fitted by the operators of such vehicles with a speed governor (speed controlling device) conforming to the Standard AIS:018, as amended from time to time in such a manner that the speed governor can be sealed with an official seal of the State Transport Authority or a Regional Transport Authority in such a way that it cannot be removed or tampered with, without the seal being broken.

By order of the Governor,

K.R.JYOTHILAL Secretary to Government.

Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport)

Sub-rule (1) of rule 118 of the Central Motor Vehicle Rules, 1989 empowers the State Government to notify in the Official Gazette of such transport vehicles which shall be fitted with speed governors. It has come to notice of the Government that accidents involving vehicles carrying school children are increasing in the State. It is learnt that one of the causes of such accidents is over speed. In order to tackle this danger the Government have decided to strictly insist fitment of Speed Governors on all vehicles carrying school children except three wheeler vehicles.

This notification is intended to achieve the above object.