## OFFICE OF THE TRANSPORT COMMISSIONER-CUM-CHAIRMAN, STATE TRANSPORT AUTHORITY, ODISHA, CUTTACK.

No.LX-168/2019(Tech.) 7058 /TC

Dated: 26-05-2022

## ORDER

Sub: Affixation of High Security Registration Plates (HSRP) with third registration mark on old vehicles registered prior to 01.04.2019.

Rule 50 of CMV Rules, 1989 prescribes for fixation of High Security Registration Plates (HSRP) and third registration mark on motor vehicles. In this connection and with reference to the Central Government amended Rule 50 of CMVR and Notifications/Statutory Orders from Ministry of Road Transport & Highways dated 4.12.2018 and 6.12.2018 and 11.02.2020 with respect to affixing HSRP for old vehicles registered prior to the 01.04.2019, it has been decided by the State Govt. that :

- To control and check the substandard material, only OEMs / Authorized dealers of OEM will be allowed to fix the HSRP on the old vehicles.
- The OEM/ Authorized dealers of OEM shall ensure that only authorized and type approved HSRPs as mandated by the Government of India are affixed on the old vehicles, which shall be verified by the Transport officials, time to time.
- All OEMs/Authorized dealers of OEMs will be allowed to fix HSRP on old vehicles of any make.
- Vehicle owners will be given at least 3 months' time from the date of issue of this order to fix the HSRP on old vehicles before enforcement is undertaken by the Transport Department officials/Police officials.

Following guidelines are to be 'adhered regarding affixation of HSRP on old vehicles.

1. HSRP would be affixed by the vehicle manufacturers (OEMs) and their Authorized dealers only. Only the HSRP vendor authorized by the vehicle

manufacturers (OEMs) shall supply the HSRPs only to their authorized dealers. Affixation of HSRP on old vehicles shall be carried by authorized dealers of OEMs.

2. The vehicle owner shall book for fitment of HSRP and make payment for the purpose through online portal authorized by the OEM to maintain the transparency and to prevent excess chargingfrom the vehicle owners. The portal authorized by the OEMs shall offer the facility to the vehicle owner for selection of any dealer, location and date for affixing of HSRP as per his convenience.

3. The portal authorized by the OEM shall have the capability to inform the vehicle owner status of the order placed for fitment of HSRP through SMS.

4. The OEMs or its authorized dealers shall display board at a conspicuous place at their showroom indicating charges to be paid by the vehicle owner for affixation of HSRP and alsoon the HSRP portal to maintain transparency at all times.

5. The OEMs or its authorizedvendor/dealer may offer the services to the vehicle owners for fitment of the HSRP where the owner resides or has his place of business on payment of extra charges subject to willingness of the vehicle owner.

6. The OEMs or its authorized dealers after affixing the HSRP on the vehicle shall ensure that the laser code is updated in VAHAN portal.

7. The vehicle not having valid Registration Certificate and Fitness Certificate (for Transport Vehicle) and the vehicles having arrear tax due shall not be allowed to affix HSRP by OEMs or its authorised dealers. The OEMs shall customize their portal accordingly.

Timeline for affixing HSRP:

A. For all class of vehicles registered prior to 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2019, the vehicle owners shall have to take necessary steps to get the HSRP affixed on their vehicle as per timeline given below.

SI. No.	All vehicles	Dateline by which HSRP shall be fitted.
1.	Vehicles carrying Odisha Registration mark and registration number ending with 1 and 2	31 <sup>st</sup> August, 2022
2.	Vehicles carrying Odisha Registration mark and registration number ending with 3 and 4	30 <sup>th</sup> Sept., 2022
`3.	Vehicles carrying Odisha Registration mark and registration number ending with 5 and 6	31 <sup>st</sup> Oct., 2022
4.	Vehicles carrying Odisha Registration mark and registration number ending with 7 and 8	30 <sup>th</sup> Nov., 2022
5.	Vehicles carrying Odisha Registration mark and registration number ending with 9 and 0	31 <sup>st</sup> Dec., 2022

B. No e-challan shall be issued and no fine shall be collected or no penal action shall be taken against any old vehicle registered prior to 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2019 for plying vehicles without HSRP till 31.08.2022. After that challans will be issued in accordance with the last date given in the para A above for various series of vehicle nos. e,g. vehicles carrying Odisha Registration mark and registration number ending with 1 and 2 will be liable for challan from 01.09.2022 if they are fail to affix HSRP.

However, to avoid last minute rush, vehicle owners should be encouraged / sensitized to affix HSRP on their vehicles as soon as possible but not later than the above schedule. In case the vehicle is not affixed with HSRP within the scheduled date mentioned above, e-challan shall be issued against the offending vehicleand attract fine of Rs. 5000/- or Rs.10,000/- under Section 192 of M.V. Act, 1988 as the case may be.

C. Legal action shall be initiated against Dealers / any other person found to be selling and supplying HSRPs in the State without being authorized by the OEMs.

All Regional Transport Officers are instructed to comply with the above order to ensure that HSRP are fitted on all motor vehicles registered prior to 01.04.2019 in a seamless manner. They are directed to convene meeting with the all dealers functioning under their jurisdiction to sensitize them about the modalities for fitment of HSRP on old vehicles within the scheduled date.

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Memo No. 7059 dated 26-05-2022 Copy to the Principal Secretary to Government, Commerce and Transport Department for favor of information.

Transport Commissioner Odisha.

Memo No. 7060 dated 26-05-2022. Copy to the D.G. & I.G. of Police, Odisha, Cuttack for favor of information.

Transport Commissioner Odisha.

Memo No. 7061

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Transport Commissioner Odisha.

Memo No. 7062

dated 26-05-2022

Copy to all Senior Officers of STA / Standing Counsel (Transport) / Addl. Standing Counsel (Transport) for information and necessary action.

Copy to Computer Cell, STA / Communication Cell, STA for information and necessary action and to host in the website/ twitter/ face book.

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