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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Public Works (H) Department

NOTIFICATION

No. 23296/H2/2014/PWD. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 24th September, 2014
8th Kanni, 1190.

S. R. O. No. 582/2014.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of section 8 of the Kerala Road Fund Act, 2001 (10 of 2001) regarding the levy and collection of user fee on motor vehicles using the transport facility, the Government of Kerala hereby notify that user fee on mechanical vehicles using the Road Over Bridges constructed by the Roads and Bridges Development Corporation of Kerala Ltd. as per Schedule I, shall be levied at the rates specified in Schedule II and hereby authorize the Managing Director, Roads and Bridges Development Corporation of Kerala Limited, Kochi or his authorized representative to collect and retain user fees at the rates specified in the schedule. The notification shall come into force on the date of its publication.

SCHEDULE I

DETAILS OF THE ROAD OVER BRIDGES WITH LOCATION

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Name of Road Over Bridges/ Level Cross No. and Railway Kilometer</i>	<i>Location</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)
1 ✓	Cheruvathoor LC No. 268, 801/9-10 (Kasaragod District)	Between Cheruvathoor and Neeleswaram Railway Stations
2	Mooledam LC No. 36, 63/920 (Kottayam District)	Between Kottayam and Chingavanam Railway Stations
3	Puliyanam LC No. 59, 74/12-13 (Ernakulam District)	Between Karukutty and Angamaly Railway Stations

SCHEDULE II

RATES OF USER FEE TO BE RECOVERED FROM
THE USERS OF THE BRIDGE

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Particulars of Vehicles</i>	<i>Rates of fees to be charged per trip (in ₹)</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	Motor Car, Taxi, Jeep and Pick up Vans	5.00
2	Light Commercial Vehicles	8.00
3	Bus, 2-axle Truck/Tanker, Multi-axle Truck/Tanker	15.00

The user fee in subsequent years shall be set/revised as per the following guidelines:

1. An increase of 5% by every two years;
2. The user fee shall be rounded off to the nearest rupees;

3. No user fee would be levied on the following types of vehicles:—

(a) VIP vehicles and other special categories of vehicles notified as exempted by the Government of Kerala;

(b) Two wheelers, three wheelers and non-motorized vehicles.

For frequent users of the transport facility, user fee shall be levied on the following basis:

(a) For a return journey at the rate equal to one and a half (1.5) times the user fee for a single journey.

(b) For two return trips or more in a single day at the rate equal to 3 times of the rate of a single journey.

(c) For a monthly pass an amount equal to the aggregate user fee for 30 single journeys.

The above mentioned rates shall be displayed conspicuously on notice boards erected at suitable places in the vicinity of the bridge/booth for collection of user fee legibly written or printed in English, Hindi and the regional language of the area in which the bridge is situated. Every driver, owner or person in charge of the mechanical vehicle shall, before crossing the permanent bridge or having crossed it, stop his vehicle at the cross bar and pay the fee leviable in respect of the vehicle at the fee collection booth. The person authorized by the Managing Director, Roads and Bridges Development Corporation of Kerala Ltd., Kochi to collect user fee in respect of any mechanical vehicle crossing the bridge shall in return, prepare a receipt in duplicate in the prescribed form and handover one copy of the said receipt to the driver or owner or person in charge of the vehicle.

By order of the Governor,

T. O. SOORAJ,

Secretary to Government.

Explanatory Note

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

The Road Over Bridges (ROBs) at Cheruvathoor LC No. 268, 801/9-10 (Kasaragod District) between Cheruvathoor and Neeleswaram Railway Stations, Mooledam LC No. 36, 63/920 (Kottayam District) between Kottayam and Chingavanam Railway Stations and Puliyanam LC No. 59, 74/12-13 (Ernakulam District) between Karukutty and Angamaly Railway Stations constructed by the Roads and Bridges Development Corporation of Kerala Ltd. will be opened to traffic shortly. User fee has to be levied on motor vehicles entering the bridge under the provisions of the Kerala Road Fund Act, 2001. It is, therefore, necessary to issue a notification declaring the rates of user fee fixed by the Kerala Road Fund Board to be levied on motor vehicles entering the above bridges under sub-section (2) of section 8 of the said Act.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.

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