

PRESS RELEASE

1. The collection of Annual tax for Non-transport vehicles such as Cars, Jeeps, Motorcycles etc., for the year 2008-2009 will be undertaken from 26th March 2008 to 10th April 2008 between 10.00 AM and 1.30 PM on all working days, including Saturdays except Sundays and other Government Holidays, in all the Regional Transport Offices and Unit Offices all over Tamil Nadu.

2. In order to enable the public to pay the tax without any difficulties, additional and special counters at the following places will be opened in addition to the regular counters at ten Regional Transport Offices (including Meenambakkam) and Unit offices Red Hills, Poonamallee and Tambaram.

3. All Non-Transport vehicles that have completed 15 years from the date of their registration have to pay "Green Tax" which is effective from 1.8.2003. Those who have not yet paid the Green Tax, shall have to pay the tax at the time of paying annual motor vehicles tax. The public are requested to make use of these additional facilities and pay the motor vehicles tax in time to avoid payment of penalty.

4. Two wheelers registered prior to 1.4.89 now paying annual tax have the option of paying the annual tax or life time tax, depending upon their age. We shall appeal to vehicle owners to make use of this options of paying the lift time

tax. However, this facility is available only at the Regular Counters of Regional Transport Offices and Unit Offices.

5. The annual motor vehicles tax and Green Tax shall be payable at the following counters:-

A. Regular & Special Counters.:-

I. Regional Transport Office, Chennai(Central)

Counters at Regional Transport Office, Ayanavaram, Chennai-23

Other Counters

1. Automobile Association of Southern India, Anna Salai, Chennai-2.

II. Regional Transport Office, Chennai(North-West)

Counters at Regional Transport Office, New Avadi Road, Anna Nagar, Chennai-40.

Other Counters:

1. Metropolitan Transport Corporation Bus Depot, Anna Nagar(West).
2. Metropolitan Transport Corporation Bus Depot, Anna Nagar(East).

III. Regional Transport Office, Chennai(North)

Counter at Regional Transport Office, 10.A/4 First Cross Road, Mahakavi Bharathi Nagar, Chennai-11.

Other Counters

1. Metropolitan Transport Corporation Bus Depot, Perambur, Chennai-11.

IV. Regional Transport Office, Chennai(West).

Counters at Regional Transport Office, K.K.Nagar, Chennai-78.

Other Counters

1. Jai Auto, Arya Gowda Road, West Mambalam, Chennai-33.

- 2.Vani Mahal, G.N.Chetty Road, T.Nagar, Chennai-17.
- 3.Scooters House, Nandanam, Chennai-35.
- 4.Race Course, Guindy, Chennai-32.

V.Regional Transport Office, Chennai(East)

Counters at Regional Transport Office, Basin Bridge, Chennai-12.

Other Counters

1. Secretariat Police Station, Fort.St.George, Chennai-9.
2. Fire Service Station at High Court Complex, Chennai.

VI.Regional Transport Office, Chennai(South)

Counters at Regional Transport Office, Chennai(South), Thiruvalluvar Nagar, Thiruvanmiyur, Chennai-41.

Other Counters

1. Avvai Home, Adayar, Chennai-20.
2. Office of the Transport Commissioner, Ezhilagam, Chepauk, Chennai-5.
3. P.S.Higher Secondary School, R.K.Mutt Road, Mylapore, Chennai-4.
4. Youngmens Christian Association, Royapettah, Chennai-14

VII. Regional Transport Office, Chennai(South West).

Counter at Regional Transport Office, Chennai(South West), Alwar Thiru Nagar, Valasaravakkam, Chennai-87.

VIII. Regional Transport Office, Meenambakkam.

Counter at Regional Transport Office, Meenambakkam at Alandur.

Office of the Motor Vehicles Inspector, Unit Office, 58, Old State Bank Colony Road, West Tambaram, Chennai - 600 045.

IX. Regional Transport Office, Chennai (North East), Tondiarpet

X Regional Transport Office, Triplicane

Besides the above centers, the tax will also be accepted by the Authorised Branches of the following Nationalised Banks as in the past.-
1. Indian Bank
2. Corporation Bank
3. Vijaya Bank
4. UCO Bank
5. IOB
6. Central Bank of India
7. Syndicate Bank
8. Canara Bank
At the banks and at the counter manned by voluntary agencies viz., Avvai Home, Chennai, a service charge of Rs.1/- (Rupees One only) will be collected per vehicle. However the Banks in Chennai City will collect Rs.2/- as service charges as permitted by the Government in G.O.Ms.No.502 Home (Transport-I) Department dated. 31.3.97 The banks will accept the M.V.Tax & Green Tax on their working days during the working hours.

B.Special Counters at Selected Bank Branches.:-

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6. RATE OF ANNUAL TAX PAYABLE.

a)

MOTOR CYCLE	Amount of Annual tax
1. Exceeding 50 CC to 75 CC	Rs.135/-
2. Exceeding 75 CC to 170 CC	Rs.200/-
3. Exceeding 175 CC	Rs.240/-

b)

MOTOR CAR / JEEP Weight of the Vehicle (in Kgs) Unladen Weight	AMOUNT OF ANNUAL TAX		
	Imported Vehicles	Owned by Individuals	Others
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Weighing not more than 700 Kgs Unladen	1,800	600	1,200
701Kgs to 1500Kgs unladen	2,350	800	1,600
1501Kgs to 2000Kgs unladen	2,700	1,000	2,000
2001Kgs to 3000Kgs unladen	2,900	1,100	2,200
Above 3000 Kgs unladen	3,300	1,250	2,500

Explanation: For the purpose of this class, the word ‘ Individual’ means a person known by his proper name.

c)

<u>GREEN TAX (Effective from 1.8.2003)</u>		
Motor vehicles other than transport vehicle which has completed 15 years from the date of its registration.		
i. Motor Cycle	--	500.00 (for five years)
ii. Other Motor vehicles	--	1000.00 (for five years)
After 10.4.2005 payment with penalty will be accepted only at Regional Transport Offices and Unit Offices concerned		

d)

LIFE TIME TAX (TWO WHEELERS)

Two wheelers registered prior to 1-4-1989, and paying Annual Tax now has the option of paying tax either annually or for Life Time. The Life Time Tax payable is as follows:-

LIFE TIME TAX
(See Sec. 4 (I-A)

Sl. No	Item	Whether or not drawing a trailer or side car			
		Motor Cycles Not Exceeding 50 cc wef 22-2-02	Motor Cycles Exceeding 50 cc but not exceeding 75 cc.	Motor Cycle Exceeding 75 cc but not exceeding 170 cc	Motor Cycles exceeding 170 and Tricycles
(B.) If the vehicle is already registered and its age from the month registration is					
1.	Not more than 1 year	945/-	1260/-	1870/-	2240
2.	More than 1 year but not more than 2 years	880/-	1210/-	1790/-	2150/-
3.	More than 2 years but not more than 3 years	815/-	1150/-	1700/-	2040/-
4.	More than 3 years but not more than 4 years	750/-	1080/-	1600/-	1920/-
5.	More than 4 years but not more than 5 years	675/-	1010/-	1500/-	1800/-
6.	More than 5 years but not more than 6 years	595/-	940/-	1390/-	1670/-

7	More than 6 years but not more than 7 years	510/-	860/-	1280/-	1530/-
8	More than 7 years but not more than 8 years	420/-	780/-	1150/-	1380/-
9	More than 8 years but not more than 9 years	325/-	690/-	1020/-	1220/-
10	More than 9 years but not more than 10 years	225/-	590/-	880/-	1050/-
11	More than 10 years	115/-	490/-	720/-	870/-

(However, the Life Time Tax can be paid only at the Regional Transport Offices and Unit Offices and not at Treasuries or Authorised Banks.)

Transport Commissioner