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Battery operated vehicles are pollution free, & noise free in nature. Their speed limit is also 25 – 40 km per hour, and they also are better suited on roads from the road safety point of view. For these obvious advantages therefore and in order to ensure that the policy of the Government to encourage registration of battery operated vehicles is given a big push the Government of Tamil Nadu, (Home in GO MS No.1156 Home (Transport -1) Department, dated 11.9.2008) have issued orders for publishing the notifications and have made amendments in clause I of section 20 of the Tamil Nadu Motor Vehicles Taxation Act 1974 (Tamil Nadu Act 13 Of 1974) providing for levy of road tax at a concessional rate of 50% of the normal Life Time Tax as may be applicable to two wheelers and non transport four wheelers from time to time shall be applicable to the battery operated two wheelers and battery operated non transport four wheelers at all times.

This order is come into force with effect from 12.9.2008. A copy of the Government order is also enclosed.

Sd/-C.P.Singh,
Transport Commissioner

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