

TGMDC/S&M/Sand/Circular/2025-26/ 1740

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CIRCULAR

Sub: Sand Operations - Mandatory fitment of High Security Registration Plates (HSRP) for all Sand Carrying Vehicles operating under TGMDC - Instructions Issued.

It has been observed that the identification and monitoring of sand-carrying vehicles operating from TGMDC Stockyards and Sand Bazaars is getting affected due to the absence of standardized registration plates on certain vehicles. This has resulted in difficulties in surveillance, enforcement, permit validation, and tracking of vehicles involved in sand transportation.

In order to ensure **transparent operations, effective monitoring, prevention of illegal transportation, and accurate vehicle identification**, it has been decided to mandate the **fitment of High Security Registration Plates (HSRP)** to all vehicles engaged in transportation of sand under TGMDC.

1. This mandate applies to all sand-carrying vehicles including lorries, tippers, dumping tippers, tractors, operating from TGMDC sand reaches, stockyards, and Sand Bazaars.
2. All such vehicles must be fitted with High-Security Registration Plates (HSRP) on both front and rear, as prescribed by the Transport Department.
3. The responsibility for HSRP fitment and maintenance lies solely with the vehicle owner/operator. Registration plates must remain clearly visible, intact, and free from tampering or damage.
4. HSRP details will be verified at sand permit issuance, entry to stockyards/Sand Bazaars, loading, and exit, using CCTV, ANPR, and other available monitoring systems.
5. Vehicles operating without HSRP or with damaged, tampered, or fake plates are liable to be blocked in the TGMDC online system. No further permits or dispatches will be allowed until full compliance.
6. In addition to blocking, TGMDC may impose penalties as decided from time to time. Repeat violations will attract higher penalties, including temporary or permanent blacklisting of the vehicle or operator.

7. The contents of this Circular must be prominently displayed at all TGMDC stockyards and Sand Bazaars, communicated to all transporters, vehicle owners, and lorry unions, and treated as a mandatory condition for sand permits.

Timeline: All sand-carrying vehicles including lorries, tippers, dumping tippers, tractors, operating from TGMDC sand reaches, stockyards, and Sand Bazaars should install High Security Registration Plate (HSRP) within 1 month time (10-02-2026)

It is therefore directed that strict instructions be issued to all field staff to ensure absolute compliance without any deviation. Any failure to adhere to these directions will attract stringent disciplinary action as per the relevant rules and guidelines issued from time to time.

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