

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSIONER OF COMMERCIAL TAXES,
GOVERNMENT OF KERALA, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM.**

PRESENT: RABINDRAKUMAR AGARWAL, I. A. S.

Sub: - Right to Information Act 2005 - Designate Officer as **State Public Information Officer** - Reg:-

Read: - 1. GO (P) 367/2005/GAD dated 10/10/2005.
2. Circular No.77000/CDN-5/05/P&AR Dept. dtd.31/10/2006.
3. Order of the CCT on 20/12/08 in file No.K1-49515/08/CT.
4. Order No.K1-22601/08/CT dated 27/01/2009
5. Order No.A1-100/2012/CT dated 17/11/2012

Consequent on the publication of the Right to Information Act 2005, the Government of Kerala have decided to implement the said Act in the Kerala State also.

Presently Statistical Officer, Office of the Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Thiruvananthapuram is the State Public Information Officer of the Commissionerate. The concerned officer has pointed out certain difficulties regarding the lack of proper understanding of the working of the Department so as to effectively discharge his duties.

In the circumstances, the following orders are issued.

ORDER NO.A1-100/2012/CT dated 10/01/2013

The Assistant Commissioner – I, Office of the Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Thiruvananthapuram is nominated as the '**State Public Information Officer – I**' of this office with regard to establishment matters and the Assistant Commissioner (Legal Wing), Office of the Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Thiruvananthapuram as '**State Public Information Officer – II**' with regard to other matters. The 'K' Section will have to maintain a register and distribute the application relating to all sections to the SPIOs concerned. The State Public Information Officer will have to attend the duties envisaged in the Act in addition to his normal duties.

Sd/-
COMMISSIONER

To

The Individuals

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