



ABSTRACT

Highways Department – State Highways – Core net work – Assignment of Unique numbers for the roads- Approved – Orders – Issued.

Highways and Minor Ports (HF1) Department

G.O.(Ms) No.117

Dated: 19-10-2011
Aipasi 2, Thiruvalluvarandu 2042

Read:-

From the Chief Engineer (Construction & Maintenance) Letter No.10599/Thittam-2/2010, dated 12-08-2010.

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ORDER:

In his letter read above, the Chief Engineer (Construction & Maintenance) has stated that in order to maintain the road networks, the Highways Department has launched three computerized web based programs namely Road Management System (RMS), Project & Finance Management System (P&FMS) and Geographic Information Systems (GIS). He has further state that these three systems are interlinked only through the unique road numbers and hence, there is an urgent need to provide a unique (code) to all roads in the core network. The Chief Engineer has further stated that once unique numbers are assigned to the roads the same shall be used in proposals, estimate etc., He has sent a proposal with unique number for State Highways, State Highways Urban (Abandoned National Highways) and Major District Roads and requested the orders of the Government.

2. The Government after careful examination have decided to accept the proposal of the Chief Engineer (Construction & Maintenance). Accordingly unique identity code for State Highways, State Highways Urban (Abandoned National Highways) and Major District Roads are assigned as detailed in the annexure to this Order. All State Highways will be assigned the letters **SH** followed by the serial number of the road. Similarly the codes for State Highways in Urban stretches (abandoned by National Highways) will begin with the letters '**SU**' and Major District Roads with the letters '**MD**' by the respective serial numbers.

3. The Director General, (Highways) Chief Engineer (Construction & Maintenance) is also requested to adhere to the following in this regard:-

1. The unique number should be quoted in all proposals/ DFR/DPRS etc.,
2. All Estimate for works to be taken up should invariably quote the unique identity code SH.No/MDNo/SU.No. etc.,

3. The SH /SU/Major District Road codes should be permanently and prominently displayed along the road (as done in the case of the National Highways) using signage boards as per IRC standards.
 4. A booklet may be published every year with the details
 5. The details may also be published in the Gazette annually.
 6. Every year an addendum should be issued by incorporating newly upgraded / downgraded roads for which the Director General shall send proposals annually.
4. The Director General, (Highways) may be requested to issue instructions to the subordinate under his control to follow the above instructions scrupulously.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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To

The Director General, (Highways) Chennai – 5.

✓ The Chief Engineer (Construction & Maintenance) Chennai – 5.

All Officers/ All Sections in Highways Department, Chennai – 9.

PS to Secretary to Government , Highways and Minor Ports Department, Chennai – 9.

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//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

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SECTION OFFICER