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Letter No.60563/P1/68/W&P dated 8-6-68 from the Secretary, Water & Power Department (General & Planning) to the Secretary to the Government of Tamilnadu, Public Works department, Madras.

Sub:- Motor vehicles of Madras State Electricity Board Plying in Kerala Territory - free passage- regarding.  
Ref:- Shri Tirumalai's D.O.No.71598/1/-68-1. dated 19-9-68. 1 P19

I am directed to invite your attention to the letter cited and to inform you that suitable instructions have been issued by this Government to the officers concerned to permit the vehicles of the Tamilnadu Electricity Board to ply in Kerala territory in connection with inspection and work connected with the Periyar Hydro Electric Project subject to Road Traffic Rules.

Copy to the Chief Conservator of Forests.

Endt. on D2- 37764/68 dated 11-7-69.

Copy forwarded to the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle and Wild Life Preservation Officer for information and attention. A copy of this office D.O.letter on even No. dated 15-1-69 is also enclosed. There is no copy of agreement available in this office as required in his letter No. D.O.No. 608/68 dated 20-2-69. 1 P19

Sd/- for Chief Conservator of Forests.

Approved for issue,

*[Signature]*  
Head Draftsman.



D.O.No.D2- 37764/68 dated 16-1-69 from the Chief Conservator of Forests to the Assistant Secretary, Water and Power, (General & Planning Government Secretariat, Trivandrum.

Sub:- Motor vehicles of Madras State- Electricity Board Flying in Kerala Territory - free passage requested.

Ref:- Your D.O.60563/P1/62 W& P dated 11-12-68.

As the inter-State agreement between the Madras and Kerala States referred to in the letter of the Secretary is yet to be finalised, a decision in the matter may be taken at Government level. The draft of the agreement states as follows:-

"The Government of Kerala hereby convey and demise unto the government of Madras free way, leave and right and liberty of way and passage through and over the lands of the Kerala State for all officers, agents, servants and workmen and all vehicles as well as plant and machinery of the Government of Madras or of the contractor engaged by them for the survey, construction, alterations, maintenance, operation or repair of the works mentioned in clause 2 for all or any other purpose or purposes connected with the use and exercise of the rights, powers and liberties under this agreement by the Government of Madras."

*[Faint, mostly illegible text from a document on the left side of the page, possibly a letter or report.]*

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