[TO BE PUBLISHED IN THE GAZETTE OF INDIA, EXTRAORDINARY, PART II, SECTION 3, SUB-SECTION (i)] MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the ... 2.4 th December, 2015.

G.S.R.....(E) --- The following draft rules further to amend the Central Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989, which the Central Government proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 27 and 88 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (59 of 1988) is hereby published as required by sub-section (1) of section 212 of the said Act for information of all persons likely to be affected thereby and notice is hereby given that the said draft will be taken into consideration after expiry of a period of 30 days from the date on which the copies of this notification as published in the Gazette of India are made available to the public;

Any objections or suggestions which may be received from any person with respect to the said draft rules within the expiry of the period so specified will be considered by the Central Government;

Objections or suggestions, if any, may be sent to the Joint Secretary (Transport), Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, Transport Bhawan, 1, Parliament Street, New Delhi-110001, within the period, specified above.

DRAFT RULES

- 1. (1) These rules may be called the Central Motor Vehicles (---- Amendment) Rules, 2015.
 - (2) They shall come into force on the date of their final publication in the Official Gazette.

2. In the Central Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989 (hereinafter referred as the principal rules), in rule 8, the existing proviso shall be substituted by the following proviso, namely:-

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"PROVIDED that the minimum educational qualification specified in this rule shall not apply in case of —

- (a) (i) renewal of a licence to drive a transport vehicle; or
 - (ii) addition of another class of transport vehicle to the driving licence, already held before the commencement of the Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Rules, 2007; and
- (b) an applicant qualifying the test specified in clause (y) of sub-rule (3) of rule 15."
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 3. In the principal rules, in rule 15, in sub-rule 3, after the clause (x), the following clause shall be inserted, namely:-
 - "(y) read any of the languages specified in the eighth schedule to the Constitution of India."
 - 4. In the principal rules, in rule 90, in sub-rule (4), the words "The vehicle shall have a minimum of two drivers and" shall be substituted by the following, namely:-

"The permit holder shall ensure compliance with the provisions of section 91 and, for this purpose, ensure that the vehicle has a minimum of two drivers, if necessary, and the vehicle".

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(Abhay Damle)

Joint Secretary to the Government of India

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