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Provincial Councils Notifications

CENTRAL PROVINCIAL TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT

Registration of Recognized Motor Garages for the issuance of Fitness Certificates - Year 2026

APPLICATIONS are invited from the Garage owners who can produce evidences that they are registered their businesses and pay business turn over tax, and from the depots of Sri Lanka Transport Board, to issue fitness certificates for all the commercial motor vehicles registered within the Central Province. Applications are invited only from the garages located within the Central Province.

The garages and the depots of Sri Lanka Transport Board registered for the issuance of fitness for the year 2025 will have to re-register for the year 2026 as the authority granted to issue fitness certificates will expire on **31.12.2025**.

1. Applicants shall have fulfilled following requirements :

1. Facilities :

- 1.1 20 feet long, 2 1/2 feet wide and 4 1/2 feet deep vehicle inspection pit or an inspection platform or a lift providing similar facilities.
- 1.2 Brake testing equipment
- 1.3 Headlamp testing equipment
- 1.4 Mechanical tools such as wrenches, spanners, hammers etc. are used to check the undercarriage of the vehicle, steering joints, brakes, cables *etc.*, and worn parts.

II. Staff :

Persons with the following qualifications should be employed in the garage as Certifying officers to inspect vehicles and certify the fitness certificate.

- (a) Shall have possessed a National Technological Diploma in Motor Mechanical Engineering or Junior Technical Officers' Certificate in Mechanical Engineering with five (05) years of experience in the field of motor vehicle engineering.

or

- (b) Shall have passed the four (04) year course in motor mechanics at Moratuwa Ceylon German Technical Training Institute or any other equivalent qualifications with eight (08) years of experience in the field of motor vehicle engineering.

- (c) Those applying as certifying officers must have a valid driving license for heavy vehicles.

2. Following documents must be furnished with the applications (Original copies of relevant documents must be submitted during eligibility verification.)

- (a) Certified copies of the certificates confirming the qualifications of the persons who have been appointed as certifying officers.
- (b) A bank receipt for a sum of Rs. 2,000 credited to the Bank of Ceylon, account No. 33965 in the name of "Commissioner of Transport, Central Province", as a non-refundable deposit.

- (c) A rough sketch showing the exact location of the garage and the road access from the center of the city as accessible to the inspecting officer (Brief details on road map)
 - (d) Certified copy of the valid driving license for heavy vehicles of the persons who have been appointed as certifying officers.
 - (e) Copies of business registration and turnover tax payment certificates.
3. Having a smart phone is necessary as details and photos of the tests to be uploaded in application software as to issue vehicle revenue licenses under eRL. 2.0 program launched to issue vehicle revenue licenses. Therefore, having a smart phone will be considered a mandatory part of a garage for registration of motor garage to issue fitness certificates in the year 2026.
4. The applications are available at this office on working days. (Applications prepared and submitted by you will be rejected.)
5. Duly perfected applications should be posted under registered cover, to reach “the Commissioner of Transport, Department of Transport, No. 104, Yatinuwara Street, Kandy” on or before, **7th October, 2025**. The caption “Registration of Garages for the issuance of Fitness Certificates - Year 2026” should be indicated on the top left hand corner of the envelope enclosing the application. Applications received after due date will not be considered for any course.

I. S. RATHNAYAKE,
Commissioner of Transport,
Department of Transport,
Central Province.

Central Province Transport Department,
P. B. 104,
Yatinuwara Road, Kandy,
04th September, 2025.

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PROVINCIAL COUNCIL OF SABARAGAMUWA PROVINCE

Announcement by the Hon. Governor of Sabaragamuwa Provincial Council

I do hereby announce that the following decision confirmed by Kahawaththa Pradeshiya Sabha by virtue of the powers conferred by Sub-section (I) of Section 2 of the Entertainment Tax Ordinance (Chapter 267) read with Section 2 of the Provincial Councils (Consequential Provisions) Act, No. 12 of 1989, has been approved by me, Champa Janaki Rajarathna, Governor of Sabaragamuwa Province, in exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-Section (2) of the said Section.

CHAMPA JANAKI RAJARATHNA,
Governor of Sabaragamuwa Province.

At Sabaragamuwa Provincial Council,
On 22nd of August, 2025.

Decision

In accordance with the Section 9(3) of the Pradeshiya Sabha Act, No. 15 of 1987 read with Sub-section I of Section 2 as per the Entertainment Tax Ordinance No. 12 of 1946 (Chapter 267), in exercise of the powers conferred by me the Secretary of the Kahawaththa Pradeshiya Sabha, I the Secretary and the executive Officer decide that entertainment tax should be as follows within the jurisdiction of the Kahawaththa Pradeshiya Sabha under the Secretary decision No. 03 and dated 26.03.2025.

In accordance with the Section 9(3) of the Pradeshiya Sabha Act, No. 15 of 1987 read with Sub section I of Section 2 as per the Entertainment Tax Ordinance No. 12 of 1946 (Chapter 267), in exercise of the powers conferred by me the Secretary of the Kahawaththa Pradeshiya Sabha, I decide to levy an Entertainment tax of 15% (Fifteen percent) upon the payment made to entertainment activity described in the said Act, held in the premises within the jurisdiction of Kahawaththa Pradeshiya Sabha, and this resolution shall come into force on the first day of the month following the month in which it is published in the *Gazette*.

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PROVINCIAL COUNCIL OF SABARAGAMUWA PROVINCE

Announcement by the Hon. Governor of Sabaragamuwa Provincial Council

I do hereby announce that the following decision of the Secretary of the Kolonna Pradeshiya Sabha by virtue of the powers conferred by Sub-section (1) of Section 2 of the Entertainment Tax Ordinance (Chapter 267) read with Section 2 of the Provincial Councils (Consequential Provisions) Act, No. 12 of 1989, has been approved by me, A. A. C. J. Rajarathna, Governor of Sabaragamuwa Province, In exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-section (2) of the said Section.

A. A. C. J. RAJARATHNA,
Governor of Sabaragamuwa Province.

At Sabaragamuwa Provincial Council,
On 22nd of August, 2025.

Decision

The decision of the Secretary of the Kolonna Pradeshiya Sabha No. 21 dated 2025.02.24 approved by the Police and Decision Making Committee dated 2025.02.24.

In accordance with the powers vested in the Kolonna Pradeshiya Sabha by the Pradeshiya Sabha Act, No. 15 of 1987 under the Entertainment Tax Ordinance No. 12 of 1946 (Chapter 267) as amended by the Entertainment Tax (Amendment) Act, No. 37 of 1984, I hereby decide as the Secretary and Executive Officer of the Kolonna Pradeshiya Sabha to levy an Entertainment tax of 10% of the value of the tickets sold for a film, magic, circus, musical or any show held in any premises within the jurisdiction of the Kolonna Pradeshiya Sabha in accordance with Section 9(3) of the Pradeshiya Sabha Act, No. 15 of 1987.”

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