

204) Permit — surrender and cancellation.— (1) (a) If the holder of a permit proposes to surrender the permit for cancellation he shall make an application in form "ACC" to the Secretary of the Transport Authority concerned for the acceptance of surrender of the permit and issue of a Clearance Certificate.

(B) Such application shall be accompanied by the permit and a fee as specified in the Table under rule 279.

(C) No application for the surrender of permit in respect of contract carriage (maxi cab and motor cab allotted under Taxi Trade Quota) shall be considered if such application is made within a period of three years from the date of first registration as maxi cab and motor cab:

Provided that such an application may be considered if the permit holder pays the difference of excise duty as applicable to private cars and produce the evidence for such payment obtained from the competent Central Excise Authorities along with the application.

(2) (a) On receipt of an application in form "ACC" the Secretary of the Transport Authority shall forthwith issue the Clearance Certificate in form "CC".

(b) A Clearance Certificate issued under clause (a) shall be valid for a period not exceeding 30 days from the date of its issue as mentioned therein.

(3) (a) In case where the holder of the permit has no liabilities outstanding or where there is sufficient documentary evidence to prove that the liabilities have been cleared by the permit holder concerned the secretary of the Transport Authority shall direct the permit holder to produce the certificate of registration of the vehicle.

(b) On receipt of the records referred to in clause (a) the Transport Authority or the Secretary of the Transport Authority if authorized in this behalf by the Transport Authority shall forthwith cancel the permit So surrendered, cancel the endorsement for payment of tax in the certificate of registration and send them together with an order mentioned in Part II of form "ACC" with copies of the said order marked to the Registering authority and countersigning authority/authorities if any.

(4) In case the holder of permit has liabilities outstanding and there are disciplinary proceedings pending against him or there are orders in force suspending or cancelling the permit, the Secretary of The Transport Authority concerned shall issue a notice simultaneously along with the certificate in Form "CC" to the holder of the permit that his application for surrender of permit shall be summarily rejected if further proof or intimation clearing the liabilities or of having undergone the disciplinary proceedings or if the permit has been ordered to be suspended and the suspension having been undergone or is otherwise modified on appeal or if the holder of the permit has agreed to or has been permitted to pay a certain sum of money in lieu of cancellation or suspension of the permit, and that the same has been fully paid, is not received from him within thirty days from the date of issue of notice. If even after the expiry of the aforesaid period of thirty days the aforesaid defects are not cleared, the Transport Authority, or the Secretary of the Transport Authority may refuse to accept the surrender of the permit, The order refusing the acceptance of surrender shall be in part II of Form "ACC".