

without actually receiving from the consignee a goods transport receipt, or, if the receipt is lost or misplaced, an indemnity bond covering the value of goods;

(h) the goods stored in the premises authorized under clause (a) of sub-rule (11) shall be insured by the licensee against fire, burglary, riot, flood, strike and malicious damage.

(i) The licensee shall not charge any commission, exceeding the rate prescribed by the Secretary to the Regional Transport Authority under sub-rule (9).

(j) The licensee shall furnish the operators with correct figures of the freight receivable by them from the consignor or the consignee.

(k) The licensee shall maintain proper accounts of commission charged by him and the accounts should be audited by qualified auditors annually if the gross income exceeds Rs.25,000.

(L) The licensee shall maintain in good condition a weighing device capable of weighing at a time not less than 226 kgs.

(m) The licensee shall attend to his customers in the order in which they approach him: Provided that customers in respect of such perishable goods that may be notified by the State Government in the Official Gazette shall be given priority over other customers and shall be attended to in the order in which they approach licensee.

(n) The licensee shall assign the available traffic amongst the operators in the order in which they have approached him and shall maintain a register chronologically recording particulars of the available traffic and the waiting operators.

(o) The licensee shall comply with the provisions of these rules and shall observe such other conditions as the licensing authority may specify in the license.

(p) The licensing authority may after giving notice of not less than one month in writing either vary the conditions of the license or attach to the license further conditions.

(q) The agent shall observe such other conditions as may be specified by the Secretary, Regional Transport Authority from time to time.

(8) All contracts entered into by the licensee for the purpose of collecting, forwarding and distributing goods or collecting goods or forwarding and distributing goods, as the case may be, shall contain the following particulars:—

(i) Names and address of the consignor and the consignee;

(ii) Description and weight of the consignment;

(iii) Destination and its distance in kilometers from the starting station.

(iv) Freight for tonne/kilometre and for the whole consignment;