



F.No. RT-11021/47/2014-MVL  
Government of India  
Ministry of Road Transport and Highways  
(MVL Section)

Transport Bhawan, 1, Parliament Street, New Delhi-110001

September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2019

To

The Principal Secretaries/ Secretaries, Departments of Transport,  
Transport Commissioners of All States/UTs.

**Subject: Compliance of Hon'ble Supreme Court's directions regarding linking of PUC data (emission related data) with the VAHAN database**

Sir/Madam,

Please refer to the Hon'ble Supreme Court order dated 10.08.2017 passed in the matter of W.P (C) No. 13029 of 1985, M.C. Mehta V/s Union of India wherein the Hon'ble Supreme Court has directed this Ministry to link the PUC centres with VAHAN database and advisory letter No. RT-11021/47/2014-MVL dated 1st October 2018 regarding the implementation of the same issued by this Ministry (copy enclosed).

2. As per the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court, this Ministry had issued a notification for amendment in the rule 115 of central Motor Vehicle Rules, 1989 vide GSR 527 (E) dated 06.06.2018, for linkage of PUC certificate with VAHAN database. The following schedule of the implementation for linking of the emission data with VAHAN database was notified: -

Sr.No.	List of States	Date of implementation
1	National Capital Territory of Delhi	1 <sup>st</sup> June, 2018
2	Haryana, Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh 1	1 <sup>st</sup> October, 2018
3	All other states except those mentioned in Sl. No. (1)and (2)	1 <sup>st</sup> April, 2019

3. Further this Ministry through memo dated 21<sup>st</sup> November, 2018, 10<sup>th</sup> December, 2018 and 11<sup>th</sup> April, 2019 requested for the progress made in this regard. The progress as per VAHAN by States is also enclosed for information. Many States / UT's have still not initiated the process.

4. It is further highlighted that after the operation of certain provisions of the Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Act, 2019 and especially the revised provisions for penalties for driving vehicle violating air pollution standards etc. It is important that the information should be available to citizens in "electronic form" also in m-Parivahan and e-Challan platform to avoid harassment and inconvenience to citizens. It is only possible when Pollution Checking Centres are updating 'VAHAN' information.

5. In view of the above, it is again requested that all the PUC centres be directed to comply with the guidelines to facilitate electronic uploading of emissions test data to VAHAN database for compliance of the directions of Hon'ble Supreme Court and to provide better services to citizens.

Yours faithfully

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