

DIRECTORATE OF TOURISM KASHMIR

Sub- Safety measures in Shikaras and Houseboats
 Ref- Divisional Commissioner Kashmir's letter No.DIVCOM/DDMC/1791/06
 Dated 03.05.2007.

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As a safety measure for the Tourists and the Service Providers in water bodies, there are standing instructions from the Government to **carry on board, inflated tubes** in the Units, ferrying tourists in these areas. It is accordingly impressed upon all **Tourist Taxi Shikarawallas/Motorboat Owners/Bathing boat Owners/Houseboat Owners**, carrying tourist activities in the **Dal/Nagin/Manasbal Lakes and River Jehlum/Chinar Bagh/Tchuntikul** to immediately ensure proper stock of inflated tubes on board at all times. These tubes could also be purchased from State Motor Garages, Bemina Srinagar against concessional rates of Rs. 8/- per tube. The instructions shall also apply to the **Shikaras (domestic)** meant for ferrying the personal staff etc. by the Service Providers in these water bodies.

Sd/-
 Director Tourism
 Kashmir

NO:Reg/200-229/DT

Dated:10.5.2007

Copy to:-

1. Divisional Commissioner, Kashmir
2. Secretary to Govt, Tourism Department
3. Director General Fire & Emergency Services, Srinagar
4. Inspector General of Police, Kashmir
5. Inspector General of Police CRPF Srinagar.
6. Chief Engineer,I&FC /PDD/PHE,Kashmir.
7. Dy Commissioner,Srinagar/Ganderbal/Bandipora.
8. Vice Chairman,Lakes and Water Ways Dev Authority Srinagar
9. Managing Director, JKTDC, Srinagar
10. Director, State Motor Garages, Srinagar.
11. Superintendent of Police,East/South/North/Hazratbal/Ganderbal/Bandipora.
12. Pvt.Secretary to Chief Secretary for information of Chief Secretary.
13. Pvt.Secretary to Principal Secy to HCM, for information of Principal Secy.
14. Dy Director Tourism, Kashmir
15. Dy Director State Motor Garages, Srinagar with reference to his communication NO:RK/543/SMG dated 20.4.2007
16. Dy Director Tourism, M&W, to arrange proper display of the instructions on each registered Ghat in the concerned water bodies.
17. Dy Director Tourism, Enforcement, to supervise the implementation of the instructions by the concerned Service Providers and ensure strict action against the offenders.
18. Incharge Disaster Management Cell (Div Comm. Office, Kashmir)
19. Asstt Director Tourism, TRC, Srinagar.
20. Tourist Officer, Srinagar Airport /Manasbal.
21. President Houseboat Owners Association,Srinagar.
22. President Tourist Taxi Shikara Union Dalgate/Nehru Park/Nagin/Manasbal/Jehlum.
23. President Motorboat Owners Association, Nehru Park Srinagar.
24. President Bathingboat Owners Association, Nehru Park Srinagar.

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