## GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA FINANCE DEPARTMENT

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From

Saswat Mishra, I.A.S Principal Secretary to Government

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Additional Chief Secretaries/ Principal Secretaries/ Commissioner-cum-Secretaries/ Secretaries to Government/ All Departments

## Sub: Electric Motor Vehicle Advance for State Government Employees - Clarification

Madam/Sir,

In inviting a reference to the subject cited above, I am directed to say that State Government have already issued guidelines on interest free electric vehicle advance in respect of State Government employees vide Finance Department O.M No.8524/F dt.05.04.2022, O.M No.8481/F dt.17.03.2023 and letter No.19601/F dt.11.07.2023.

Clarifications have been sought for from different Departments regarding eligibility/admissibility of interest free electric vehicle advance in respect of newly joined Government employees.

After careful consideration, it is now clarified as follows:-

- I. In case of electric vehicle (four-wheeler) advance, Government employees of Group-A & B category who have completed minimum five years of regular and continuous service shall be eligible for availing electric vehicle (four-wheeler) advance.
- II. However, in case of electric vehicle (two-wheeler) advance, there shall be no such condition as mentioned in the preceding paragraph.
- III. The Government employee who has already drawn an advance for purchase of electric vehicle (two-wheeler or four-wheeler) and unable to furnish no dues certificate (N.D.C) from Principal Accountant General (A&E), Odisha in respect of said advance shall not be eligible for availing subsequent advances for purchase of electric or non-electric two-wheeler / four-wheeler.
- IV. Heads of Department (HoDs) are competent to sanction only electric vehicle (two-wheeler) advances whereas Administrative Departments are competent to sanction electric vehicle (four-wheeler and two-wheeler) advances.

**Note:** For availing aforesaid advance, surety bond from two regular Government employees and PRAN allotment (Government employees coming under NPS) are mandatory.

Yours faithfully, Principal Secretary to C

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