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**Providing Official Vehicles for Government Agencies**

It has been decided that the existing vehicle facilities of line ministries and agencies be used to the maximum extent to provide transport facilities to the dignitaries who will be attending the forthcoming Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting (CHOGM) scheduled to be held in November 2013, and purchase only those specific vehicles required as per the standards stipulated by the Commonwealth Secretariat, which cannot be met out of the existing government vehicle fleet. Arrangements are also being made to purchase all other vehicles in terms of the Budget Circular No. 150 and to assign them soon after the conference is over, to relevant agencies.

Accordingly, Secretaries to the Ministries and Heads of all government agencies are kindly requested to provide details of vehicles available in their agencies to the Director General of Department of National Budget on or before 30<sup>th</sup> June 2013 along with the details of vehicle/s including vehicles assigned at present, such as the year of manufacture, registration number and running condition. It is advised that details of any new vehicles that are being ordered by ministries, agencies, corporations, projects etc. are also provided to the Treasury so that those requirements could also be met out of this arrangement.

Since, the purchase of vehicles for this year and next year needs to be well coordinated in view of the requirements of CHOGM, vehicle purchase and distribution will be temporarily suspended until the end of November 2013. New purchases of vehicles for development projects under various foreign assistance are also suspended as such requirements could also be provided accordingly. This arrangement will enable the Treasury to ensure cost neutral financing arrangement for vehicles for this important international event.



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