

# SINGAPORE CIVIL DEFENCE FORCE

Our Ref. : SCDF/CED/LBr/Industry

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Date : 2 May 2012



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To All Petroleum & Flammable Material Transport Licensees

Dear Sir / Madam

## RESPONSIBILITIES OF PETROLEUM & FLAMMABLE MATERIAL TRANSPORT LICENSEES

This Direction is issued by the Commissioner, SCDF pursuant to Regulation 57 of the Fire Safety (Petroleum and Flammable Materials) Regulation 2005. All Petroleum and Flammable material transport licensees shall comply with the following:-

- a. No smoking or speeding is allowed during the transportation of Petroleum & Flammable Materials (P&FM).
- b. No transportation of P&FM beyond the permitted hours is allowed for such transportation.
- c. No parking of vehicle is allowed at any carpark located in a building.
- d. Overnight parking of vehicle loaded with drum or cylinder containing P&FM shall be parked at licensed premises.
- e. P&FM transport license shall be displayed prominently on the windscreen of the vehicle.
- f. For transportation of P&FM, driver is to carry with him a valid Hazardous Material Transport Driver Permit at all times and to produce it upon request for checking by Relevant Authorities.
- g. Vehicle carrying (or having the capacity to carry) P&FM in excess of 3 metric tonnes<sup>[1]</sup>(MT) and Hydrogen / Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) / Silane in tubes in any amount/quantity has to be installed with tracking devices, immobilizers and orange-coloured licence plates and other requirements as and when imposed by the authority.
- h. Vehicle engine shall not be kept running if vehicle is left unattended.
- i. Care should be taken to prevent vehicle theft or misuse.
- j. No supply of LPG cylinders to premises with unapproved LPG manifold system is allowed.

<sup>[1]</sup> 3 metric tonnes - 3000 kg or 3000 litres, in the nature physical state of the regulated substance (i.e. the litres for petroleum and liquid FM; and kg for LPG and gaseous FM)



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- k. No supply of LPG cylinders to premises in excess of the exempted quantity for such premises is allowed unless such premises have a valid storage licence.
- l. No direct dispensing of P&FM from tanker into motor vehicle.

2 A breach of any requirements of a direction issued by the Commissioner under Regulation 57 constitutes an offence and is punishable under Regulation 59 of the Fire Safety (Petroleum and Flammable Materials) Regulations.

3 For your strict compliance.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'S. Queh', is written on a light purple background.

CPT SUSAN QUEH  
Central Enforcement Department  
for Commissioner  
Singapore Civil Defence Force

