

# **Presentation on “Goods Vehicle”**

**By,**

**Tarun,  
8<sup>th</sup> Additional District &  
Sessions Judge,  
Dehradun**

# GOODS VEHICLE

- "Goods" includes live-stock, and anything (other than equipment ordinarily used with the vehicle) carried by a vehicle except living persons, but does not include luggage or personal effects carried in a motor car or in a trailer attached to a motor car or the personal luggage of passengers travelling in the vehicle.
- "Goods Carriage" means any motor vehicle constructed or adapted for use solely for the carriage of goods, or any motor vehicle not so constructed or adapted when used for the carriage of goods.

- "Gross vehicle weight" means in respect of any vehicle the total weight of the vehicle and load certified and registered by the registering authority as permissible for that vehicle.
- "Heavy goods vehicle" means any goods carriage the gross vehicle weight of which, or a tractor or a road-roller the unladen weight of either of which, exceeds 12,000 kilograms.

- "Motor vehicle" or "vehicle" means any mechanically propelled vehicle adapted for use upon roads whether the power of propulsion is transmitted thereto from an external or internal source and includes a chassis to which a body has not been attached and a trailer; but does not include a vehicle running upon fixed rails or a vehicle of a special type adapted for use only in a factory or in any other enclosed premises or a vehicle having less than four wheels fitted with engine capacity of not exceeding 9[twenty-five cubic centimetres].

- "Transport vehicle" means a public service vehicle, a goods carriage, an educational institution bus or a private service vehicle;
- "Unladen weight" means the weight of a vehicle or trailer including all equipment ordinarily used with the vehicle or trailer when working, but excluding the weight of a driver or attendant; and where alternative parts or bodies are used the unladen weight of the vehicle means the weight of the vehicle with the heaviest such alternative part or body.

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- "Property" includes roads, bridges, culverts, causeways, trees, posts, milestones and baggage of passengers and goods carried in any motor vehicle.
- New India Assurance Company limited vs. Roshanben Rahemansha Fakir and another.
- In this act describe about transport vehicle
- Goods vehicle are two type light and heavy and also transport non transport vehicle
- The uttaranchal motor vehicles taxation reform act 2003
- Vehicle entring in uttarakhand without permitted goods vehicle fine 3000 Rs



- Goods vehicles travelling in tractor- A tractor is not even a good carriage. the goods carriage is defined in sec 2(14) to mean “any motor vehicle not so constructed or adapted when used for carriage of goods whereas tractor has been defined in sec 2(44) to mean a motor vehicle which is not itself constructed to carry any load. The tractor was meant to use for agriculture purpose unless registered otherwise
- NIC Vs. CHINNAMMA 2004(3)TAC 577(SC)
- NIC Vs. ASHA RANI (2003) 2SCC 223(SC)

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