Andhra Pradesh State Road Transport Corporation

Corporate Office,
Operations (Plg) Department,
Mushirabad, Hyderbad-20.

No.P5/160(4)/2005-OPD(P)

CIRCULAR NO.46/2007-OPD(P), DT.18.12.2007.

Sub: FARES – Charging of 1.30 times the normal fare for Express and Deluxe services and 1.50 times the normal fares for Super Luxury (Hi-tech) and above type of services to be operated on all the routes including inter-State routes to clear the addl. Traffic during holidays and festival days - Instructions issued – Reg.

Ref. 1) G.O.Ms.No.16, Tr.R&B (Tr.II) Dept., dt 03.02.2003.

- 2) This Office Circular No.09/2003-OPD(P), dt.03.02,2003.
- 3) This Office Circular No.27/2005-OPD(P), dt.26.09.2005.
- 4) This Office Circular No.39/2005-OPD(P), dt 16.12.2005.
- 5) This Office Circular No.35/2006-OPD(P), dt.27.12.2006.
- 6) This office letter even no dated 15.10.2007
- 7) This office letter even no dated 17.10.2007

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Vide this office letters 6th and 7th cited, Corporate Office has issued instructions to charge normal fares for all types of buses operated on intra-State routes and 1.5 times the normal fare for Super Luxury and above type services and 1.3 times the normal fare for Express and Deluxe services operated on inter-State routes during Dasara Festival 2007.

As there is long vacation to schools & colleges for forthcoming Christmas and Sankranthi festivals and continuous holidays to the Employees, Corporation has to operate additional services both on inter-State and intra-State routes to clear the additional traffic. Additional buses have to be pressed at traffic generating points for operating these extra services. The additional services to be operated during such special occasions will return with poor traffic since the demand will be uni-directional resulting in unproductive use of resources.

The matter has been examined in detail and VC & MD has accorded permission to implement the earlier instruction issued vide circular 5th cited, charging 1.3 times of the normal fare for Express & Deluxe type services and 1.5 times the normal fare for Super Luxury & above type additional services to be operated on intra-State and inter-State routes to clear the additional traffic demand arising due to holidays and festivals.

Therefore, all the Regional Managers are advised to operate additional services during Festivals, Holidays to charge 1.3 times the normal fare for Express and Deluxe services and 1.5 times the normal fare for Super Luxury and above type services as permitted by Govt of AP vide G.O.Ms.No.16, Tr.R&B (Tr.II) Dept., dt.03.02.2003. Normal fares should be charged for the scheduled services operating on those routes, though special services are to be run to clear the additional traffic. The regular/scheduled services on those routes where special services are operated should not be cancelled at all. Marked differentiation should be there by exhibiting a separate board as "SPECIAL SERVICE" near the destination board to make it clear to the traveling public and also to avoid criticism. The above instructions will come in to force with immediate effect.

Please take action accordingly and report compliance.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR (OPERATIONS&MIS)

To

All Regional Managers, A. P. S. R. T. C.

CC to: All EDs / HODs / FA / CAO for information.

CC to: CE (IT) for infmn. with a request to modify the software accordingly.

CC to: All DVMs / Dy.CTMs for infmn. & n/action.

CC to: All DMs / ATMs for infmn. & n/action

CC to: In-charges of all Squads for infmn. & n/action..