

ANDHRA PRADESH STATE ROAD TRANSPORT CORPORATION

No.C4/2(3)/2009-OPD(C)

Office of the VC & MD,
Mushirabad, Hyderabad.

CIRCULAR NO. 1712009, DATED 26.5.2009

Sub:- ACCIDENTS – Compensation claims – Production of eye-witnesses and other witnesses before the Court in compensation claims – Enhancement of daily allowance from Rs.50/- to Rs.300/- to be paid to eye-witnesses – Reg.

Ref:-This Office Circular No.15/1992, dt.24.11.1992

1. Instructions were issued vide circular cited on the need to produce eye-witnesses before MACT in accident compensation claim cases to support APSRTC and avoid / reduce liability of payment of compensation.
2. The DMs were instructed to ensure production of eye-witnesses in accident cases before the Tribunals for giving evidence as and when called by Standing Counsels. They have to be given with Emergency Duty Pass and also Rs.50/- per head towards daily allowance.
3. It is felt that payment of Rs.50/- per head towards daily allowance to the eye witnesses and others is not commensurate with the present daily cost of living.
4. In order to encourage and motivate the eye-witnesses, the daily allowance to be paid to the eye-witnesses summoned to the courts to adduce the evidence in accident compensation cases is enhanced from Rs.50/- to Rs.300/- per head.
5. The DMs shall ensure presence of eye-witnesses in the courts as and when called in accident compensation cases. They can arrange Rs.300/- per head as daily allowance to the eye-witnesses, besides arranging an Emergency Duty Pass if the witnesses have to come from far off places.
6. EDs of Zones, Regional Managers and Dy. Chief Traffic Managers / Divisional Managers shall ensure implementation of above instructions.

7. The revised instructions will come into force w.e.f. 1.6.2009

8. This has the approval of Hon'ble Chairman and concurrence of Financial Advisor.

Please acknowledge.

Adarsh
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR 25/5/09
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To
All DMs/Dy.CTMs/Dy.CMEs/DVMs.

Copy to: Director (V&S), FA, CAO for infn.

Copy to ED (T&C)/HO He is requested to include the above item in
Delegation of Powers

Copy to: All EDs of HO/EDs of Zones for infn.

Copy to: All RMs for infn.& n/a

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