

# ANDHRA PRADESH STATE ROAD TRANSPORT CORPORATION

No.P9/294(36)/2005-OPD(P)



Corporate Office,  
Operations (PLG) Department,  
Musheerabad, Hyderabad - 20.

## CIRCULAR NO.34/2005-OPD(P), DT.02.11.2005.

Sub : **BUS PASSES** – Disabled Welfare – Issue of free / concessional bus passes to the Mentally Retarded persons – Amendment to Circular No.30/98-OPD(P) dt 18.07.1998- Issued – Reg

Ref : This Office Circular No.30/98-OPD(P), Dated 18.07.1998.

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Attention is invited to this Office Circular cited, wherein guidelines were issued with regard to issue of free / concessional bus passes to the eligible Physically Disabled, Mentally Retarded, Blind, Deaf & Dumb persons etc. communicating the "Categorisations" of degree of Disability as defined in G.O Ms.No.109, dt 15.06.1992, issued by the Women's Development Child Welfare & Labour (W.H. Desk) Department, Govt. of A.P.

In case of Mentally Retarded persons, the definition communicated was as follows :

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|-------------|----|-----------------|
| a) Mild     | :: | IQ 50 - 70      |
| b) Moderate | :: | IQ 35 - 40      |
| c) Severe   | :: | IQ 20 - 34      |
| d) Profound | :: | IQ 20 and below |

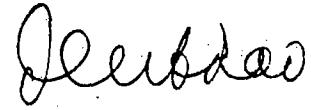
The Mentally Retarded person who is under the category of Moderate and below i.e. of IQ 40 and below are eligible for obtaining concessional bus passes.

Some of the members of the Parents Associations of Mentally Handicapped persons and also the Commissioner, Disabled Welfare Department, Govt. of A.P. have represented to extend the bus pass facility to those Mentally Retarded persons who are having IQ 49 and below, which comes under "Moderate" category, as against IQ 40 and below, now being followed, on the ground that all persons with IQ 35-49 fall under Moderate Category, as the existing level of IQ 40 and below was erroneously communicated.

The matter has been examined in detail, and it is decided to issue free / concessional bus passes to all those Mentally Retarded persons whose level of IQ is 49 and below, which falls under "Moderate" category.

All the RMs / DMs are therefore advised to take action in the matter accordingly, with immediate effect.

All other terms and conditions governing the issue of free / concessional bus passes to Physically Disabled persons remain unchanged.



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Copy to : Shri T.Bhaskara Sharma, Addl. P.S. to the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Secretariat, Hyderabad.

Copy to : Shri B.Rama Joga Rao, National Federation of Parent Associations (for Persons with Mental Handicap), C-49. A.G's Staff Quarters, Hyderabad-45.