O/o.the Managing Director, Operations (PLG) Department, Mushirabad, Hyderabad-20.

Case No.P9/92(22)/2001-OPD(P)

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Circular No.62/2001-OPD(P), dt.21.11.2001.

Sub: Pulse Polio Immunization – Implementation of the programme on 02.12.2001 and 22.01.2002 – Participation of APSRTC – Instructions issued – Reg.

Ref: Lr.No. 1275/IPPI/JDMCH/2001, dt 17.11.2001 from the Commissioner of Family Welfare.

Commissioner of Family Welfare, Government of Andhra Pradesh has convened a meeting and informed that the Government of India has decided to implement the National Pulse Polio Immunization programme through out the Country in order to eradicate polio by the year 2005.

Corporation has been actively helping the cause of successful conduct of this programme right from the year 1996. During the programme, all the children in the age group of 0 to 5 years will be administered oral polio vaccine on these two days.

As was done on earlier occasions, Corporation has decided to associate with this programme. Following instructions are issued to all the RMs/DVMs/DMs for strict compliance in this regard.

- 1. The Department of Family Welfare be permitted to display their posters in bus stations free of cost till 31.01.2002 to propagate Pulse Polio Immunization. Panels/Paintings/Posters will be prepared by the officials/staff of Department of Family Welfare, Government of Andhra Pradesh at their own cost.
- 2. Needed assistance for transportation of personnel to intensive PPI posts during evenings i.e., prior to each of the 2 rounds of PPI campaign should be extended on payment on usual terms.
- 3. The crew of buses, shall be instructed to give "priority" to the staff of Medical, Health and Family Welfare Department for their travel on payment of fare during 1st and 2nd December 2001 and again on 21st and 22nd January 2002 on display of identity cards or carrying vaccine along with them.
- 4. Parents together with child/children of less than 5 years of age proceeding to nearest PPI post for immunization shall be given priority to travel by the buses during the days of programme i.e., 2nd December 2001 and 22nd January 2002.

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- 5. RMs/DVMs/DMs shall extend necessary co-operation to the district administration as well as to Medical and Health Department authorities in organising PPI posts in important bus stations on crucial dates. RMs may seek the help of Asst. Medical Officers/Medical Officers of APSRTC working in the dispensaries in their jurisdiction to assist the Medical and Health Department authorities in organisation of Pulse Polio Immunization posts in all major bus stations.
- 6. RMs./DVMs/DMs are requested to make necessary arrangements to announce through public address system wherever available from 30.11.2001 to 02.12.2001 and again from 18.01.2002 to 20.01.2002 saying "REMEMBER PULSE POLIO DATES 02.12.2001 AND 20.01.2002 AND GET PULSE POLIO DROPS TO YOUR 0-5 YEARS CHILDREN" in frequent intervals.
- 7. All the RMs/DVMs/DMs are therefore advised to adhere to the above instructions scrupulously for successful conduct of the programme without giving scope for complaints.

Please acknowledge receipt.

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To

All the Regional Managers, All the Divisional Managers, All the Depot Managers, A. P. S. R. T. C.

cc: The Secretary to Government, Health, Medical and Family Welfare Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad for information.

cc: Commissioner of Family Welfare& Ex-Officio Secretary to Govt., H.M. & FW Dept., Govt. of A.P., for information

cc: All EDs in Zones for information.

cc: ED(Medical) with a request to organise PPI post at Tarnaka Hospital.

cc: CTM(O)/CTM (C)/PRO