ANDHRA PRADESH STATE ROAD TRANSPORT CORPORATION

(Operations (Planning) Dept., RTC House, Vijayawada)

No.P9/291(1)/2022-OPD(P)

CIRCULAR NO. 09/2022-OPD(P), DT. 13.04.2022.

Sub:-**FARES** - Revision of fares of all types of services — Mofussil and City services — Regarding.

Ref: 1) G.O.Ms.No.18, TR&B (TR-1) Dept., dt.03.02.2006.

- 2) G.O.Ms.No.19, TR&B (TR-1) Dept., dt.04.02.2006.
- 3) Circular No. 20/2018-OPD(P), Dt.19.06.2018.
- 4) Circular No. 22/2018-OPD(P), Dt.21.06.2018.
- 5) Circular No. 20/2015-OPD(T), Dt.29.12.2015.
- 6) Lr. No: R2/543(02)/2017-OPD-BP, Dt: 31.07.2018.
- 7) Circular No. 26/2019-OPD(P), Dt.10.12.2019.
- 8) Circular No: 05/2022-OPD(P), Dt: 13.04.2022.
- 9) Circular No: 06/2022-OPD(P), Dt: 13.04.2022.
- 10)Circular No: 07/2022-OPD(P), Dt: 13.04.2022.
- 11)Circular No: 08/2022-OPD(M), Dt: 13.04.2022.

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I. INTRODUCTION:

The Government of A.P. issued Orders vide G.O. 1st & 2nd cited permitting the Corporation to fix fares in respect of all types of stage carriages with a condition that fare increase shall be done judiciously keeping in view passengers concerns and carefully analyzing the impact on Occupancy Ratio of the Organization.

Corporation revised the fares during 2019 in respect of all types of services of all the Moffussil, City buses vide Circular 7^{th} cited.

Vide reference 3^{rd} , 4^{th} & 6^{th} cited, the Corporation has rationalized fares of city (City Ordinary, Metro Express), pallevelugu and special type services.

During 2020-21, Corporation had realized Rs.2692 Crs against the expenditure of Rs.5674 Crs and sustained a loss of Rs. 2982 Crs. During 2021-22, Corporation realized Rs.4197 Crs against expenditure of Rs. 7118 Crs and thus sustained a loss of Rs. 2921 Crs due to slump in movement of travelling public in view of Covid 19 pandemic.

Further, the cost of operation has been increasing enormously due to price escalation of HSD oil, stores (materials), workshop, tyres and other inputs from the last fare revision (11.12.2019).

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Considering all the above factors, it is decided to revise the fares in respect of Stage Carriage buses i.e., Pallevelugu, Ultra Pallevelugu, Express, Ultra Deluze, Super Luxury, Super Luxury(A/c), Indra, Garuda, Amaravati, Dolphin Cruise, Night Rider, Vennela and all City buses operated by the Corporation as per the Government Orders vide 1st & 2nd cited.

Accordingly the existing basic fares and minimum fares for different services operated by Corporation are revised. The details of the revised fares are furnished hereunder:

II. DISTRICT SERVICES.

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SI. No	TYPE OF BUS	Existing fare (In Ps. Per Km)	Revised fare (In Ps. Per km)	Remarks
1	PALLEVELUGU	73	83	The minimum fare chargeable is Rs.10/ Fare structure enclosed.
	ULTRA	00	00	The minimum fare chargeable is Rs.10/
2	PALLEVELUGU	82	92	Fare structure enclosed.
3	EXPRESS	107	107	The minimum fare chargeable is Rs.15/
4	DELUXE	118	118	The minimum fare chargeable is Rs.20/-
5	ULTRA DELUXE	130	130	The minimum fare chargeable is Rs.20/-
6	SUP. LUXURY	136	136	The minimum fare chargeable is Rs.30/
7	SUP.LUXURY (A/c)	146	156	The minimum fare chargeable is Rs.40/-
8	INDRA	156	166	The minimum fare chargeable is Rs.40/-
9	GARUDA	181	191	The minimum fare chargeable is Rs.40/-
10	AMARAVATI	209	219	The minimum fare chargeable is Rs.40/-
11	DOLPHIN CRUISE	209	219	The minimum fare chargeable is Rs.40/-
12	NIGHT RIDER-SEAT	171	191	The minimum fare chargeable is Rs.40/-
13	NIGHT RIDER Berth	220	230	The minimum fare chargeable is Rs.70/
14	VENNELA -30	240	260	The minimum fare chargeable is Rs.70/
15	VENNELA -24	265	273	The minimum fare chargeable is Rs.70/
16	METRO LUXURY (A/C)	181	191	The minimum fare chargeable is Rs.40/-



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III. COMPUTATION OF FARES FOR SPECIAL TYPE SERVICES.

The fares of special type i.e Express, Deluxe, Ultra Deluxe services are computed based on the distance i.e, by multiplying the distance with basic fare duly rounding off to the next higher rupee, then add all applicable levies (Toll plaza user fee, Passenger Cess, amenities, safety Cess, PIS, Fuel Cess, GST (on A/c services) etc., and rounding off to next higher multiple of Rs.5/- to get the fare.

For Super luxury and all AC services, the rounding off shall be to the next higher multiple of Rs.10/-.

IV. CHILD FARE:

For all Non-A/c special type services, the child fare shall be half the adult base fare duly rounded off to next higher Rs.1-/, then add all applicable levies(Toll plaza user fee, Passenger Cess, amenities, safety Cess, Fuel Cess, PIS etc.,) and rounding off to next higher multiple of Rs.5/ and incase of Super Luxury rounding off to next higher multiple of Rs. 10/-.

For all A/c special type services, the child fare shall be 75% of the adult base fare duly rounded off to next higher Rs.1/, then add all applicable levies(Toll plaza user fee, Passenger Cess, amenities, safety Cess, Fuel Cess, PIS, GST (on A/c services) etc., and rounding off to the next higher multiple of Rs.10/-.

V.TIRUPATI- TIRUMALA GHAT ROAD SERVICES:

The revised fares of Tirupati-Tiruamala Ghat road operations for Saptagiri services and Return journey tickets are as follows. (including passenger Cess, fuel Cess, infrastructure, PIS and Safety Cess.)

a) Onward journey ticket

Doubo	Adult fare	(in Rs.)	Child fare (in Rs.)	
Route	Existing	Revised	Existing	Revised
Tirupati-Tirumala(Exp)	65	75	40	45

b) Return journey Tickets

Dauba	Adult far	e (Rs.)	Child fare (in Rs.)	
Route	Existing	Revised	Existing	Revised
Tirupati-Tirumala(Exp)	120	135	70	85

VI. SRISAILAM GHAT OPERATIONS.

Vide reference 5th cited, it was instructed to adopt double the normal basic fare for the Ghat road portion 56 kms between Dornala Check post to Srisailam for all special type services operated to Srisailam by various Depots. The same shall be continued.

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The fare shall computed based on the distance i.e, by multiplying the distance with basic fare duly rounding off to the next higher rupee, then add all applicable levies (Toll plaza user fee, Passenger Cess, amenities, safety Cess, PIS, Fuel Cess etc., and rounding off to next higher multiple of Rs.5/-; and next higher multiple of Rs. 10/- in case of Super luxury and AC services to get the fare.

VII. PALLEVELUGU & ULTRA PALLEVELUGU FARE STRUCTURE:

The existing stage structure of 5 kms will continue. The Minimum fare of Pallevelugu and Ultra Pallevelugu services is Rs. 10/-. The Stage wise fare structure of Pallevelugu & Ultra Pallevelugu services after adding Fuel Cess, Safety Cess & Passenger Cess and rounded off to the next multiple of Rs. 5/- is shown at **Annexures – A & B.** Final fare after adding Toll user fee, if any, shall be arrived at duly rounding off to next higher multiple of Rs.5/-.

VIII. CITY FARE STRUCTURE:

- The existing stage structure of 2 kms shall continue for city operations.
- The minimum fare for City Ordinary is fixed at Rs.10/-.
- The minimum fare for Metro Express is fixed at Rs.10/-
- Fare Structure after adding Fuel Cess & Safety Cess for City Ordinary & Metro Express is enclosed at Annexure-C&D.
- Final fare after adding Toll user fee, if any, shall be arrived at duly rounding off to next higher multiple of Rs.5/-.

IX. SPECIAL OPERATIONS:

For special services operated on occasions like Fairs & Festivals , weekends etc, Special Fares Shall be charged not exceeding 1.5 (One and Half) times the normal fare of the type of service operated as per GO MS No.70 T R &B (TR-III), Dt: 26.12.2015.

X. INTER STATE SERVICES

The above revised fares are applicable to all services on inter-State routes for the portion of the route lying in Andhra Pradesh.

The basic fares of other states shall be adopted for the portion of the journey lying in the respective State. The Depot Managers operating services on inter-State routes on reciprocal basis with other STUs, are advised to send the copies of the revised fare table to their counter parts and ensure collection of uniform fares on those services.

Further, care should be taken to ensure that there is no variation in fares on the common sector of the routes operated by different Depots.

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XI. BUS PASS TARIFF TO GENERAL COMMUTERS & NGOs:

The revised Bus pass tariff for different types of services for general commuters and NGOs is enclosed at Annexure-E.

XII. GENERAL

- Toll Plaza user fee communicated Vide Circular at reference no. 11 cited shall be collected.
- Collection of Passenger Cess in all services (except city services) as applicable, as communicated vide circular No.05/2022-OPD(P), Dt.13.04.2022.
- c. Collection of Passenger Information Cess @ Rs.1/- for all special type services as communicated vide Circular No.16/2015-OPD(M) Dt.11.12.2015 shall continue.
- d. Collection of Safety Cess @ Rs.1/- for all services as communicated vide Circular No. 07/2022-OPD(P), Dt.13.04.2022 shall continue.
- e. Collection of Passenger amenities charges @ Rs.15/- for all A/c services communicated vide Circular No.03-R&D(OPD)/2015, Dt.08-04-2015 shall continue.
- f. Collection of Fuel Cess for all services as communicated vide Circular No. 06/2022-OPD(P), Dt.13.04.2022 shall be collected.
- g. Applicable GST @ 5% on total fare of all AC services (including all levies & cesses).
- h. The Tickets stock of Rs.1/-, Rs.5/- & Rs.10/- denominations shall be continued to meet the exigency in case of failure of TIMs.
- i. For all e-transactions the actual fare (without rounding off) shall be charged.
- j. In case of cancellation of ticket and at the time of arranging refund, rounding off to the next lower multiple of Rs.5/- shall be adopted.
- k. Passengers shall be allowed to avail only one type of concession in all type of services.
- All the DMs are advised to stop the payment of spot incentive amount temporarily on service earnings to the crew and the spot incentive payments to drivers operating services with TIM on both earning parameters and on sale of tickets from the day of fare hike is effective, until further orders from the Corporate office.



The proposed fares will be effective from the first departure of all types of services on 4.04.2022. It means the services which depart from any depot on 13/14.2022 (i.e., from 00.00 hrs) are to be departed with revised fares as shown above.

All the Unit officers are here by directed to take immediate action to prepare MTD-141 Cards and Fare Tables for each service in accordance with these instructions and update in TIMs/OPRS.

The Night-out & long distance services which start before 00.00 hrs of .04.2022/14.04.2022 and continuing without break shall allow passengers on the old fares only, including the passengers boarding at intermediate stations.

In case of advance reservations, the crew shall be advised not to collect the difference of fare amount from the passengers who reserved their seats prior to revision of fares w.e.f. $\frac{1}{4}$.04.2022.

Hence, all the Unit officers are hereby advised to follow the above instructions scrupulously and report compliance.

VICE-CHAIRMAN & MANAGING DIRECTOR

To

The Principal Secretary to Govt., T, R&B Dept. for favour of information.

The Transport Commissioner for favour of information.

All Executive Directors, FA & CAO,

Regional Managers / Heads of the Departments,

CE(IT) for information with an advice to carry out necessary Software modifications.

Dy.CTMs, DVMs & Dy.CAOs, OSD to Chairman, APSRTC.

Depot Managers / Accounts Officers for infmn. & n/action.

CC to: Managing Directors of all State Transport Undertakings.

CC to: The Principal, Transport Academy, and all Principals of ZSTCs.

CC to: RAO, AG RTC, RTC House, Vijayawada.

CC to: The Director, CIRT, Pune for infmn.

CC to: The Director, ASRTU, New Delhi for infmn.

CC to: P.O. (Trg.) for inclusion in Index of Circulars.

CC to: ATM (Enforcement), In-charge of all Squads.

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Annexure-A

Revised fare structure of Pallevelugu (Rs.)

			F. deties a	,	Revised fare	e
Stage	KIMs	Existing Fare	Adult	Adult Child		
1	5	5	10	10	10	
2	10	10	15	10	15	
3	15	15	20	10	15	
4	20	20	25	15	20	
5	25	20	30	15	25	
6	30	25	30	15	25	
7	35	30	35	20	30	
8	40	30	40	20	30	
9	45	35	45	25	35	
10	50	35	50	25	40	
11	55	40	55	30	45	
12	60	45	55	30	45	
13	65	45	60	30	45	
14	70	50	65	35	50	
15	75	55	65	35	50	
16	80	60	70	35	55	
17	85	65	75	40	60	
18	90	70	80	40	65	
19	95	70	85	45	65	
20	100	75	85	45	70	
21	105	75	90	45	70	
22	110	80	95	50	75	
23	115	85	100	50	80	
24	120	90	105	55	80	



Annexure-B

Revised fare structure of Ultra Pallevelugu (Rs.)

		Existing	Revised fare		
Stage KMs		Fare	Adult	Child	Senior Citizen
1	5	10	10	10	10
2	10	10	15	10	15
3	15	15	25	15	20
4	20	20	25	15	20
5	25	20	35	20	30
6	30	25	35	20	30
7	35	30	40	25	30
8	40	35	45	25	35
9	45	40	50	25	40
10	50	40	55	30	45
11	55	45	60	30	45
12	60	50	60	35	50
13	65	55	65	35	50
14	70	60	70	40	55
15	75	65	75	40	60
16	80	70	80	45	60
17	85	75	85	45	65
18	90	75	90	50	70
19	95	80	95	50	75
20	100	85	100	50	75
21	105	90	105	55	80
22	110	95	110	55	85
23	115	100	110	60	85
24	120	105	115	60	90

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Annexure-C

Revised fare structure of City Ordinary (Rs.)

		Existing		Revised fare		
Stage	KMs	Fare	Adult	Child	Senior Citizen	
1	2	5	10	10	10	
2	4	10	15	10	10	
3	6	10	20	10	15	
4	8	10	20	10	15	
5	10	10	20	10	15	
6	12	15	25	15	20	
7	14	15	25	15	20	
8	16	15	30	15	25	
9	18	15	30	15	25	
10	20	20	30	15	25	
11	22	20	30	20	25	
12	24	25	30	20	25	
13	26	25	35	20	30	
14	28	25	35	20	30	
15	30	30	35	25	30	
16	32	30	35	25	30	
17	34	30	35	25	30	
18	36	30	40	25	30	
19	38	35	40	25	30	
20	40	35	40	30	30	

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Revised fare structure of Metro Express (Rs.)

				Revised fare		
Stage	KMs	KMs Existing Fare Ac		Child	Senior Citizen	
1	2	10	10	10	10	
2	4	10	20	10	15	
3	6	15	25	15	20	
4	8	20	30	15	25	
5	10	20	30	15	25	
6	12	20	30	15	25	
7	14	25	30	15	25	
8	16	25	35	20	30	
9	18	25	35	20	30	
10	20	25	35	20	30	
11	22	25	35	20	30	
12	24	30	35	20	30	
13	26	30	40	25	30	
14	28	30	40	25	30	
15	30	30	40	25	35	
16	32	35	40	25	35	
17	34	35	40	25	35	
18	36	35	45	30	40	
19	38	35	45	30	40	
20	40	35	45	30	40	



Annexure-E

REVISED BUS PASS TARIFF FOR GENERAL COMMUTERS

SNO	GENERAL COMMUTERS	EXISTING (Rs.)	REVISED (Rs.)
1	MONTHLY GBT- ORDINARY	870	1010
2	MONTHLY GBT- M.EXP	990	1140
3	TAYL	85	100
4	TML TAYL	90	100
	NGO PASSES	_	
5	NGO-ORD	290	340
6	NGO-M.EXP	410	480
7	SECRETARIAT PASS	530	610

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