



ANDHRA PRADESH STATE ROAD TRANSPORT CORPORATION

(Operations Department (Planning), RTC House, Vijayawada)

M1/535(1)/2022-OPD(P)

Date:23.09.2022.

Circular No: 23/2022-OPD(P), Dt: 23.09.2022

Sub: Fares: Introduction of Non-AC Sleeper (STAR LINER) buses - Fixation of fares
- Regarding.

I. INTRODUCTION:

APSRTC is introducing new models of buses from time to time for the convenience of passengers and to compete with private operators. As private travels are operating more number of Non-AC sleeper buses in majority of the routes, in order to capture the demand for sleeper buses, APSRTC is now introducing Non-AC sleeper buses with the brand name "STAR LINER" (Sleep, Travel And Relax). The fare structure for the new Non-AC sleeper product is furnished hereunder.

II. Fare for Non A/c Sleeper (including fuel cess) :

S No	Berth	Basic Fare	Minimum Fare
1	Lower Berth	230 ps/km	Minimum chargeable fare is Rs 50/-
2	Upper Berth	210 ps/km	

III. Computation of fares for Non A/C Sleeper:

The fares shall be 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, etc.), and rounding off to next higher multiple of Rs.10/- to get the final fare.

IV. Child fare:

The child fare shall be 75% of the adult base fare duly rounded off to the next higher rupee, then add all applicable levies (Toll plaza user fee, Passenger Cess, amenities, Safety Cess, PIS, etc.,) and rounding off to the next higher multiple of Rs.10/- to get the final fare.

V. Value added services to passengers:

Amenities like water bottle, face freshener, bed linen and blanket shall be provided to the passengers by collecting Rs 15/- towards passenger amenities charges.

VI. 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.

VII. 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 counterparts 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 sectors of the routes operated by different depots.

VIII. General :

- a) Toll Plaza user fee @Rs 9/- shall be collected per toll plaza wherever applicable.
- b) Collection of Passenger Cess @ Rs. 5/- in all services (except city services) as applicable, as communicated vide Circular No.05/2022-OPD(P), Dt.13.04.2022 shall continue.
- 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) Passenger amenities charges @ Rs.15/- shall be collected.
- f) For all e-transactions the actual fare (without rounding off) shall be charged.
- g) In case of cancellation of ticket and at the time of arranging refund, rounding off to the lower multiple of Rs.5/- shall be adopted.
- h) Passengers shall be allowed to avail only one type of concession in all types of services.

IX. Conclusion:

All the Unit officers are hereby directed to take action to prepare MTD-141 Cards and Fare Tables for each service in accordance with these instructions and update in TIMs/OPRS/UTS and all the Unit officers are hereby advised to follow the above instructions scrupulously and report compliance.


MANAGING DIRECTOR.

To

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

The Transport Commissioner for favour of information.

All Executive Directors, FA & CAO for information

OSD (C&L) for information

All Heads of the Departments/ District Public Transport Officers,

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

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

Depot Managers/ Accounts Officers for information & necessary action.

Managing Directors of all State Transport Undertakings.

The Principal, Transport Academy, and all Principals of ZSTCs.

RAO, AG RTC, RTC House, Vijayawada.

The Director, CIRT, Pune for information.

The Director, ASRTU, New Delhi for information.

PO (Training) for inclusion in Index of Circulars.

ATM (Operations), In-charge of all Squads.