ANDHRA PRADESH STATE ROAD TRANSPORT CORPORATION

No. T1/535(18)/2024-OPD-T

O/o the VC & MD, RTC House, VJA, Dt. 14.02.2024.

To All District Public Transport Officers, APSRTC.

Sub: **Operations** – Display of certain slogans inside the buses regarding ticket less travel by passengers - reiteration of instructions – Reg. ooOOoo

APSRTC issued guidelines earlier for display of certain slogans inside the buses for creating awareness among the passengers on their responsibility with regard to safety, non-smoking, ticketless travel etc.

Nowadays, such slogans are not observed in many buses. For such reasons, unavoidable embarrassing situations and arguments are happening in the buses.

Therefore, all Depot Managers are advised to ensure availability of such slogans particularly the one relating to ticketless travel ('టిక్కెట్టు లేని ప్రయాణం నేరం అందుకు రూ.500/- వరకు జరిమానా')

As per section 178 of MV Act 1988, a penalty of up to Rs.500/- can be imposed on passengers travelling in the bus without valid ticket by the checking officials.

Therefore, all Depot Managers are advised to take necessary action for display of the above slogan inside the buses to create awareness among the passengers.

Executive Director (Operations)

Copy to ED(E), FA&CAO for information. Copy to all EDs (Zones) for necessary action. Copy to OSD to MD for information.