



ABSTRACT

Motor Vehicles –Stage carriages – Revision of fares in Tamil Nadu under section 67(1) (i) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 – Notified – Partial modification – Orders issued.

Home (Transport-VII) Department

G.O.(Ms).No. 48

Dated: 28.01.2018

Read:

1. G.O.(Ms) No. 34, Home (Tr.VII) Department, dated 19.01.2018.
2. G.O.(Ms) No. 38, Home (Tr.VII) Department, dated 23.01.2018.

ORDER:-

In the Government order first read above, revision of fares for stage carriages in Tamil Nadu was ordered. In view of the representations from the Public, the Government have reconsidered the matter in detail and have decided to partially modify the bus fare structure.

2. Accordingly, revised fare structures have been incorporated in the four notifications appended to this order. They will be published in an Extraordinary issue of Tamil Nadu Gazette dated 28.01.2018. The revised fares shall come into force with effect from 29.01.2018.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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To

The Works Manager,
Government Central Press, Chennai-79.
(for issue of the notification in Extraordinary
issue in T.N.G.G. and supply of 200 copies of notification).
The Transport Commissioner, Chennai-5.
All Regional Transport Authorities.
All Deputy Transport Commissioners.


p.t.o.,

All Joint Transport Commissioners,
through the Transport Commissioner, Chennai-5.
All Regional Transport Officers.
All Managing Directors of all State
Transport undertakings in Tamil Nadu.
The Commissioner of Police, Chennai/ Madurai/
Coimbatore/ Trichy/ Salem/ Tirunelveli.

Copy to:-

The Secretary to Government of India,
Ministry of Road Transport and Highways,
New Delhi - 110 011.
All Other State Governments.
The Information and Tourism Development Department,
Chennai-9.
The Federation of Bus Operators Association,
36, Whites Road, Chennai - 600 014.
All Transport Sections in Home Department,
Chennai - 9.
The Transport Department, Chennai - 9.
SF/SC.

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//


Section Officer
J. P. I.
28/11/18

NOTIFICATION – I

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (i) of sub-section (1) section 67 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (Central Act 59 of 1988) and in partial modification of the Home Department Notification No.II (2)HO/79 (d-1)/2018 published at pages 1-2 of Part II Section 2 of the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette Extraordinary No. 22, dated 19th January 2018, the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby issues the following direction to the State Transport Authority, Tamil Nadu and the Regional Transport Authorities regarding the fixation of fares for stage carriages plying as Metropolitan services in Chennai Metropolitan area in the State of Tamil Nadu.

2. The notification hereby issued shall come into force on the 29th January, 2018.

DIRECTION

The fares for the stage carriages plying as Metropolitan services in Chennai Metropolitan area on routes/ areas in the State of Tamil Nadu shall not exceed the fares calculated at rates given in the table below:-

TABLE

Stage (1)	Fares (2) Rs. Paise
First	4.00
Second	5.00
Third	6.00
Fourth	7.00
Fifth	8.00
Sixth	9.00
Seventh	10.00
Eighth	11.00
Ninth	12.00
Tenth	13.00
Eleventh	14.00
Twelfth	14.00
Thirteenth	15.00
Fourteenth	15.00
Fifteenth	16.00
Sixteenth	16.00
Seventeenth	17.00
Eighteenth	17.00
Nineteenth	18.00
Twentieth	18.00
Twenty-first	19.00
Twenty-second	19.00
Twenty-third	20.00
Twenty-fourth	20.00
Twenty-fifth	21.00
Twenty-sixth	21.00
Twenty-seventh	22.00
Twenty-eighth	22.00

(A Stage approximating as far as practicable to two kilometres).

2. In respect of limited stop services/ point to point services wherever they are operated, a flat charge of Rupees one per ticket shall be collected in addition to the fares fixed in the Table above.
3. If it is expedient to operate Express types of services for the benefit of travelling public, one and a half times of the ordinary fare for such operation shall be charged as is in vogue.
4. In respect of operation of night services two times of the ordinary fare shall be collected as is in vogue.
5. In respect of operation of deluxe services, two times of the limited stop service fare shall be collected as is in vogue.
6. In respect of special services operated on occasions like fairs, festivals, weekend etc., Special fare shall be charged not exceeding one and a half times of the normal fare of the type of services operated.
7. Applicable Goods and Services Tax on bus fare shall be collected as and when orders are passed by Central / State Government.
8. The fares shall be rounded off to the next higher multiple of one rupee.

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NOTIFICATION - II

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (i) of sub-section (1) section 67 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (Central Act 59 of 1988) and in partial modification of the Home Department Notification No. II (2)/HO/79 (d-3)/2018 published at pages 4-5 of Part II Section 2 of the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette Extraordinary No.22, dated the 19th January 2018, the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby issues the following direction to the State Transport Authority, Tamil Nadu and the Regional Transport Authorities regarding the fixation of fares for stage carriages plying as City and Town services other than in the Chennai Metropolitan area in the State of Tamil Nadu.

2. The Notification hereby issued shall come into force on the 29th January, 2018.

DIRECTION

The fares for the stage carriages plying as "City and Town services" other than in the Chennai Metropolitan area on routes/ areas in the State of Tamil Nadu shall not exceed the fares calculated at rates given in the table below:-

TABLE

STAGE (1)	Plain (2) Rs. Paise
First	4.00
Second	5.00
Third	6.00
Fourth	7.00
Fifth	8.00
Sixth	9.00
Seventh	10.00
Eighth	11.00
Ninth	12.00
Tenth	13.00
Eleventh	14.00
Twelfth	14.00
Thirteenth	15.00
Fourteenth	15.00
Fifteenth	16.00
Sixteenth	16.00
Seventeenth	17.00
Eighteenth	17.00
Nineteenth	18.00
Twentieth	18.00

(A Stage approximating as far as practicable to two kilometres).

2. In respect of limited stop services/ point to point services wherever they are operated, a flat charge of one rupee per ticket shall be collected in addition to the fares fixed in the Table above.

3. If it is expedient to operate Express types of services for the benefit of travelling public, one and a half times of the ordinary fare for such operation shall be charged as is in vogue.

4. In respect of operation of night services two times of the ordinary fare shall be collected as is in vogue.

5. In respect of operation of deluxe services, two times of the limited stop service fare shall be collected as is in vogue.

6. In respect of special services operated on occasions like fairs, festivals, weekend etc., Special fare shall be charged not exceeding one and a half times of the normal fare of the type of services operated.

7. Applicable Goods and Services Tax on bus fare shall be collected as and when orders are passed by Central / State Government.

8. The fares shall be rounded off to the next higher multiple of one rupee.

Explanation-I: "Ghat Road" means a road notified in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette as such by the Government under the Tamil Nadu Traffic Rules, 1938 and indicated in a notice board erected at each end of such road.

Explanation-II: The fares fixed in the table above shall also apply to Rameswaram Island.

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NOTIFICATION - III

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (i) of sub-section (1) section 67 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (Central Act 59 of 1988) and in partial modification of the Home Department Notification No.II(2)/HO/79 (d-4)/2018 published at page 6 of Part II Section 2 of the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette Extraordinary No.22, dated the 19th January 2018, the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby issues the following direction to the State Transport Authority, Tamil Nadu and the Regional Transport Authorities regarding the fixation of fares for stage carriages plying as ordinary services in the State of Tamil Nadu.

2. The Notification hereby issued shall come into force on the 29th January, 2018.

DIRECTION

The fares for the stage carriages plying as "Ordinary Services" on routes/ areas in the State of Tamil Nadu shall not exceed the fares calculated at rates given below :-

(1) (i) 58 paise per kilometer on roads in the plains;
Provided that for a minimum distance of 10 kilometers a fare not exceeding Rs.6.00/- shall be charged.

(ii) Basic fare of plains + 20% shall be charged from passengers in the stage carriages plying in Ghats Roads.
Provided that for a minimum distance of 6 kilometers a fare not exceeding Rs.6./- shall be charged.

2. Applicable Goods and Services Tax on bus fare shall be collected as and when orders are passed by Central / State Government.

3. In respect of special services operated on occasions like fairs, festivals, weekend etc., Special fare shall be charged not exceeding one and a half times the normal fare of the type of services operated.

4. The fares shall be rounded off to the next higher multiple of one rupee.

Explanation-I: "Ghat Road" means a road notified in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette as such by the Government under the Tamil Nadu Traffic Rules, 1938 and indicated in a notice board erected at each end of such road.

Explanation-II: The fares determined in accordance with the rates specified in paragraph 1(i) and (ii) above shall be rounded off to the next higher multiple of one rupee.

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NOTIFICATION – IV

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (i) of sub-section (1) of section 67 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (Central Act 59 of 1988) and in partial modification of the Home Department Notification No. II (2)/HO/79 (d-5)/2018, published at pages 6-7 of Part II Section 2 of the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette Extraordinary No.22, dated 19th January 2018 the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby issues the following direction to the State Transport Authority, Tamil Nadu and the Regional Transport Authorities regarding the fixation of fares for stage carriages plying as Express Services in the State of Tamil Nadu.

2. The notification hereby issued shall come into force on the 29th day of January 2018.

DIRECTION

The fares for the stage carriages plying as "Express Services" on routes / areas in the State of Tamil Nadu shall not exceed the fares calculated at the rates given below :-

1. Express – Semi deluxe

(a) 75 paise per kilometre on roads in the plain; Provided that for a minimum distance of 30 kilometres a fare not exceeding Rs.23/- shall be charged.

(b) Basic fare of plain + 20% shall be charged from passengers in the stage carriages plying as semi deluxe on ghat roads; Provided that for a minimum distance of 30 kilometres a fare not exceeding Rs.28/- (Basic fare of plain + 20%) shall be charged.

2. Express Super deluxe

(a) 85 paise per kilometre shall be charged if provision is made for a superior class of accommodation for passengers in the stage carriages plying as super deluxe on plain roads; Provided that for a minimum distance of 30 kilometres a fare not exceeding Rs.26/- shall be charged.

(b) Basic fare of plain + 20% shall be charged from passengers in the stage carriages plying as super deluxe on ghat roads; Provided that for a minimum distance of 30 kilometres a fare not exceeding Rs.32 (Basic fare of plain + 20% on ghat roads) shall be charged.

3. Air Suspension Coaches (Ultra Deluxe)

(a) 100 paise per kilometre shall be charged if provision is made for a superior class of accommodation for passengers in the stage carriages plying as Air suspension Coaches (Ultra Deluxe) on plain roads. Provided that for a minimum distance of 30 kilometers a fare not exceeding Rs.30 shall be charged.

(b) Basic fare of plain + 20% shall be charged from passengers in the stage carriages plying as Ultra deluxe on ghat roads;
Provided that for a minimum distance of 30 kilometres a fare not exceeding Rs.36 (Basic fare of plain + 20% on ghat roads) shall be charged.

4.. Air-conditioned Coaches

130 paise per kilometre shall be charged if provision is made for a superior class of accommodation for passengers in the stage carriages plying as A/C Coaches on plain roads.

Provided that for a minimum distance of 30 kilometers a fare not exceeding Rs.39/- shall be charged.

5. Air-conditioned Volvo Coaches

170 paise per kilometre shall be charged if provision is made for a superior class of accommodation for passengers in the stage carriages plying as Volvo type Coaches on plain roads.

Provided that for a minimum distance of 30 kilometers a fare not exceeding Rs.51/- shall be charged.

Explanation : "Ghat Road" means a road notified in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette as such by the Government under the Tamil Nadu Traffic Rules, 1938 and indicated in a notice board erected at each end of such road.

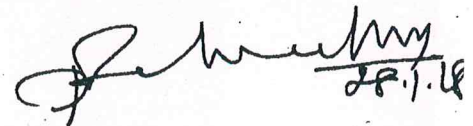
6. In respect of special services operated on occasions like fairs, festivals, weekend etc., Special fare shall be charged not exceeding one and a half times of the normal fare of the type of services operated.

7. The fare determined in accordance with the rates specified in paragraph 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 above shall be rounded off to the next higher multiple of one rupee.

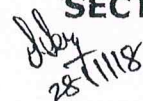
8. The reservation charges of Rs.5/- shall be charged for operation of Express Services of all categories as is in vogue.

9. Applicable Goods and Services Tax on bus fare shall be collected as and when orders are passed by Central / State Government.

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