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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Transport (B) Department

NOTIFICATION

G. O. (P) No. 76/2013/Tran.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 19th July, 2013.

S. R. O. No. 565/2013.—WHEREAS, Government of India have included Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission Scheme under the Economic Stimulus Package and allotted low floor air-conditioned and low floor non air-conditioned buses for conducting service in Thiruvananthapuram and Kochi Corporations;

AND WHEREAS, representations have been received by the Government of Kerala from the Kerala State Road Transport Corporation that, fares for low floor air-conditioned and low floor non air-conditioned buses under Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission Scheme be revised in view of the rise in the price of diesel, and other allied factors which affect the operational cost since the rate was last fixed on 13th November, 2009;

AND WHEREAS, the Government after examining the request, referred the issue to Justice Ramachandran Committee constituted vide G. O. (Ms.) No. 61/2010/Tran., dated 19th August 2010, for advising the Government on fare revision among other things;

AND WHEREAS, Justice Ramachandran Committee submitted its report dated 6th March, 2013 on revision of fare after considering the hike in the price of diesel and other operational costs;

AND WHEREAS, the Government of Kerala after considering the report of the said Committee, are satisfied that it is necessary to decide on the revision of fare of low floor air-conditioned and low floor non air-conditioned buses under Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission Scheme;

NOW, THEREFORE, 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 supersession of the directions issued in the notification issued under G. O. (P) No. 62/2009/Tran. dated 13th November, 2009 published as SRO No. 947/2009 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No. 2087 dated 16th November, 2009, the Government of Kerala hereby direct the State Transport Authority and the Regional Transport Authorities in the State as follows:—

DIRECTIONS

The State Transport Authority or the Regional Transport Authorities, as the case may be, shall fix the rates of fares of low floor air-conditioned buses and low floor non air-conditioned buses under Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission Scheme in the State as follows, with immediate effect. The fare for each stage of low floor air-conditioned buses will be rounded to multiple of two rupees and of non air-conditioned low floor buses to next one rupee.

<i>Type of Buses</i>	<i>Minimum Fare (₹)</i>	<i>Maximum kms. for Minimum fare</i>	<i>Fare per kms. (After minimum fare)</i>	<i>Distance of fare stages after the minimum charge</i>
Low Floor Air-conditioned	15.00	5 kms.	1.50	2.5 kms.
Low floor Non-Air-conditioned	8.00	5 kms.	0.70	2.5 kms.

By order of the Governor,

DR. V. M. GOPALA MENON, IAS,
Secretary to Government.

Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

The fare of the air-conditioned and non air-conditioned low floor stage carriages under Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission Scheme operated by K.S.R.T.C. was fixed as per G. O. (P) 62/2009/Tran. dated 13th November, 2009. The Managing Director, K.S.R.T.C. forwarded a proposal for the revision of fares for low floor air-conditioned buses and low floor non air-conditioned buses under Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission Scheme in view of the rise in hike of diesel and other allied factors which affect the operational cost.

Government have examined the matter in detail and decided to enhance the rates of the low floor air-conditioned buses and low floor non air-conditioned buses under Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission Scheme in the State taking into account of the report submitted by the Justice Ramachandran Committee constituted vide G. O. (Ms.) No. 61/2010/Tran., dated 19th August, 2010, for advising the Government on fixation of fare and other allied matters.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.