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GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY CHIEF SECRETARIAT (TRANSPORT)

(G.O. Ms. No. 3/Tr. Sectt./2012, dated 4th January 2012)

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (i) of sub-section (1) of section 67 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (Central Act No. 59 of 1988), and in supersession of the notification issued in G.O. Ms. No. 29/2008-TD, dated the 8th November 2008 and published in Part – I, Extraordinary Gazette No. 92, dated 8th November 2008, save as respects things done or omitted to be done before such supersession, the Lieutenant-Governor, Puducherry, having regard to all the matters mentioned in sub-section (1) of section 67 of the said Act, hereby issues the following directions regarding the fixing of fares for the Stage Carriages plying under the permits issued by the State Transport Authority, Puducherry, namely:—

The fares fixed by the State Transport Authority, Puducherry, for Stage Carriages shall not exceed the fares calculated at the rates given below for different Stage Carriages plying in different areas, namely:—

I. Express Stage Carriages :

While plying within the limits of the Union territory of Puducherry, fifty paise (50 paise) per kilometre on roads in plains:

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Provided that for a distance up to 30 kilometres, a fare not exceeding ₹ 15 (Rupees fifteen only) shall be charged.

II. Stage Carriages other than Express Stage Carriages :

(a) While plying within the limits of the Union territory of Puducherry, ₹ 0.40 (forty paise only) per kilometre on roads in plains:

Provided that for a distance up to 10 kilometres, a fare not exceeding ₹ 4.50 (Rupees four and paise fifty only) shall be charged :

Provided further that nothing in this clause shall apply to Town Services.

(b) While plying as Town Services within the limits of the Union territory of Puducherry at the rates given below, namely :----

Stage	Fares ₹	
First	3.00	
Second	3.50	
Third	4.00	
Fourth	4.50	
Fifth	5.00	
Sixth	5.50	
Seventh	6.00	
Eighth	6.50	
Ninth	7.00	

TABLE

Explanation .- In this clause :--

- (a) "Town Service", means, Stage Carriage Services within the limits of the area specified under the Explanation to sub-rule (4) of rule 122 of the Puducherry Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989;
- (b) "Stage", means a distance specified by the State Transport Authority, not exceeding 2 kilometres:

Provided that the Inter-State Stage Carriages shall collect such fares as fixed from time to time by the concerned reciprocating States while plying in their limits.

2. The fare determined in accordance with the rates specified above shall be rounded off to the nearest multiple of fifty paise.

3. This notification shall come into force on and from the date of its publication in the official gazette.

(By order of the Lieutenant-Governor)

T. KARIKALAN, Transport Commissioner-cum-Additional Secretary to Government.

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