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GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY

TRANSPORT SECRETARIAT

(G.O. Ms. No. 4, dated 25th February 2015)

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred under section 99 read with section 100 (2) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (Central Act No. 59 of 1988), the Lieutenant-Governor, Puducherry is pleased to approve and formulate the Area Scheme for the operation, management and maintenance of city bus service by Special Purpose Vehicles (SPV) as per the guidelines of the Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India in the notified planning areas of the Union territory of Puducherry, the draft of the same which were issued vide G.O. Ms. No. 27, dated 1st July 2014 of the Transport Secretariat, Government of Puducherry and published in the Extraordinary Gazette of Puducherry Part II, No. 29, dated 22-7-2014 as required under section 99 read with section 100 (2) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (Central Act No. 59 of 1988). And after examining the objections and suggestions with regard to the draft notification received from the State Transport Undertakings and the parties likely to be affected, the Government of Puducherry declares the Area Scheme for the operation, management and maintenance of city bus service by Special Purpose Vehicles (SPV) as per the guidelines of the Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India in the notified planning areas of Union territory of Puducherry, as formulated and detailed in the Annexures, namely:—

ANNEXURE-I

THE SCHEME FOR PUDUCHERRY REGION

1. Route (Starting point and terminus with important intermediate stations and route length) or portion thereof with distance. : Not applicable
2. Area (specifying the municipal limits or the taluk or district limits of the area in relation to which the scheme is formulated). : The area comprising of entire "Planning area of Pondicherry."
3. Whether town service or mofussil service or both : Town/Mofussil
4. Maximum and minimum number of vehicles proposed to be operated in the area by the Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) to the exclusion, complete or partial, or otherwise, of other persons. :
 - (a) Maximum number : 400
 - (b) Minimum number : 50
 - (c) Type : Semi Saloon, Single deck.
 - (d) Seating capacity :

	Ordinary-Passenger	Mini-Bus
Maximum	80	25
Minimum	30	6

To the complete exclusion of other persons, other than Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV)/The State Transport Undertakings of Union territory of Puducherry and other States and the existing permits of small operators and also permits of Stage Carriage operators operating on Inter-State routes, whose permits are covered by Inter-State Agreement.

5. Maximum and minimum number of trips proposed to be performed on the area by the Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) to the exclusion, complete or partial, or otherwise, of other persons. :

Maximum trips . . 4000
Minimum trips . . 1000

To the complete exclusion of other persons, other than Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV)/The State Transport Undertakings of Union territory of Puducherry and other States and the existing permits of small operators and also permits of Stage Carriage operators operating on Inter-State routes, whose permits are covered by Inter-State Agreement.

6. Number of vehicles intended to be kept in reserve to maintain the service and to provide for special occasions. : One tenth of the total number of buses calculated on the total fleet strength operating on the area.
7. The arrangements to be made for the housing, maintenance and repair of the vehicles. : Arrangements proposed for the housing of the vehicles will be made at all the depots coming under the Special Purpose Vehicle. Daily maintenance will be done at the depots under the control of Special Purpose Vehicle. Major repairs will be carried out at all depots of the Special Purpose Vehicle.

8. The arrangements to be made for the comfort : Vehicles will be provided with rubber, coir, cushioned seats and convenience of the passengers. thereby offering comfort to the travelling public.
9. The arrangements to be made for the stands and : Waiting sheds and shelters will be provided at all important halts on the routes at which copies of timetables stands where copies of timetables will be exhibited. of the services are to be exhibited.
10. Whether it is proposed to permit the carriage : Newspaper parcels, postal mails, etc., will be carried of goods in addition to the passengers. in addition to the passengers and their luggages.

Definition :

Pondicherry Planning area means the whole of Pondicherry region in the Union territory of Pondicherry notified *vide* G.O. Ms. No. 68/89/F6, dated 26th July 1989.

Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) is an agency with the name and style Puducherry Urban Transport Agency to operate, manage and maintain City Bus Services in the Union territory of Puducherry as per the guidelines of the Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India created *vide* G.O. Ms. No. 20, dated 21-2-2014.

(Note: Without prejudice to the foregoing paras, the SPV shall be allowed all privileges as prescribed by the Government of India from time to time).

ANNEXURE-II

THE SCHEME FOR KARAIKAL REGION

1. Route (Starting point and terminus with important : Not applicable intermediate stations and route length) or portion thereof with distance.
2. Area (specifying the municipal limits or the : The area comprising of entire "Planning area of Taluk or district limits of the area in relation to Karaikal." which the scheme is formulated).
3. Whether town service mofussil service or both : Town/Mofussil
4. Maximum and minimum number of vehicles : (a) Maximum number : 100
proposed to be operated in the area by the Special (b) Minimum number : 20
Purpose Vehicle (SPV) to the exclusion, complete (c) Type : Semi Saloon, Single deck.
or partial, or otherwise, of other persons. (d) Seating capacity :

	Ordinary-Passenger	Mini-Bus
Maximum	80	25
Minimum	30	6

To the complete exclusion of other persons, other than Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV)/The State Transport Undertakings of Union territory of Puducherry and other States and the existing permits of small operators and also permits of Stage Carriage operators operating on Inter-State routes, whose permits are covered by Inter-State Agreement.

5. Maximum and minimum number of trips proposed : Maximum trips . . 500
to be performed on the area by the Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) to the exclusion, complete or partial, or otherwise, of other persons. Minimum trips . . 200
To the complete exclusion of other persons, other than Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV)/The State Transport Undertakings of Union territory of Puducherry and other States and the existing permits of small operators and also permits of Stage Carriage operators operating on Inter-State routes, whose permits are covered by Inter-State Agreement.
6. Number of vehicles intended to be kept in reserve : One-tenth of the total number of buses calculated on the to maintain the service and to provide for special occasions. total fleet strength operating on the area.
7. The arrangements to be made for the housing, : Arrangements proposed for the housing of the vehicles maintenance and repair of the vehicles. will be made at all the depots coming under the Special Purpose Vehicle. Daily maintenance will be done at the depots under the control of Special Purpose Vehicle. Major repairs will be carried out at all depots of the Special Purpose Vehicle.
8. The arrangements to be made for the comfort : Vehicles will be provided with rubber, coir, cushioned seats and convenience of the passengers. thereby offering comfort to the travelling public.
9. The arrangements to be made for the stands and : Waiting sheds and shelters will be provided at all important halts on the routes at which copies of timetables of the services are to be exhibited. stands where copies of timetables will be exhibited.
10. Whether it is proposed to permit the carriage : Newspaper parcels, postal mails, etc., will be carried in of goods in addition to the passengers. addition to the passengers and their luggages.

Definition :

Karaikal Planning area means the whole of Karaikal Region in the Union territory of Pondicherry *vide* G.O. Ms. No. 68/89/F6, dated 26th July 1989.

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(Note: Without prejudice to the foregoing paras, the SPV shall be allowed all privileges as prescribed by the Government of India from time to time).

(By order of the Lieutenant-Governor)

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