

CAUTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that APSRTC (ANDHRA PRADESH STATE ROAD TRANSPORT CORPORATION), an Indian corporation having its Corporate office at Bus Bhavan, Musheerabad, Hyderabad - 500020, A.P. state, are the registered proprietors of the trademark "APSRTC®" with no. 2324236 and 2324237 for "Transport, Booking of seats for Travel, Transport, Transportation Information, Travel Reservations, Transport Brokerage, Arrange of tours, Tourism, Passengers Transport, Travel Arrangements, Travel Information, Rental of car, Rental of Vehicle, Logistic; Advertising, Marketing, Online Advertising, Compilation of computer Information into computer Data bases, Data search in computer files for others, Computerized file Management, Layout services for Advertising purpose, publicity" under class 39 and 35 of the Trade mark rules respectively.

Over the years, the mark "APSRTC[®]" has built immense reputation in Road Transportation in A.P. based on the quality and reliability of it's services. Unscrupulous persons have been fraudulently "Cyber squatting" the domain names of their Websites with the "APSRTC[®]" name and brand. The public are cautioned against such spurious Websites and such persons.

The use of the name "APSRTC" or any other words containing the combination of word "APSRTC" as a Trade mark or Trade name or Trading style by any person or Firm in relation to the aforesaid services or any other like services would amount to infringement of our Trade mark and passing off their Business.

Such persons or Firms are hereby warned of stringent legal action for "passing off" under the Trade Marks Act, 1999, and also for "passing off", involving cheating and fraud, among others, under Indian Penal Code, 1860. In the interests of the public as well as fair trade practice, Firms or public at large are cautioned and advised to desist from such practices. Further, such persons or Firms are hereby cautioned to cease and desist forthwith from using the said word as a Trade Mark or Trading style.

Any person affected by the "passing off" of spurious services under "APSRTC®" trademark may file a complaint with the nearest police station. They may also inform APSRTC in Hyderabad at the following address

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