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HOUSING & URBAN DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 9th November 2009

No. 27065—Government have been pleased to set up a Unified Metropolitan Transport Authority (U.M.T.A.) under the Chairmanship of Chief Secretary, Government of Orissa along with the following members to co-ordinate all policy and planning matters relating to urban transport in Bhubaneswar City and Puri Town—

1. Chief Secretary, Orissa . . . Chairman
2. Development Commissioner-*cum*-Addl. Chief Secretary . . . Member
3. Secretary, Finance Department . . . Member
4. Secretary, Housing & Urban Development Department . . . Member
5. Secretary, Commerce & Transport Department . . . Member
6. Engineer-in-Chief (EiC)-*cum*-Secretary, Works Department . . . Member
7. District Collector, Khurda . . . Member
8. Vice-Chairman, Bhubaneswar Development Authority . . . Member
9. Municipal Commissioner,
Bhubaneswar Municipal Corporation. . . Member
10. Managing Director, Orissa State Road Transport Corporation . . . Member
11. Vice-Chairman, Puri-Konark Development Authority . . . Member
12. Executive Officer, Puri Municipality . . . Member
13. Representative of D.G.P. (dealing with traffic matters) . . . Member
14. Superintendent of Police, Bhubaneswar . . . Member
15. Superintendent of Police, Puri . . . Member
16. Chief Executive Officer, City Transport Services Limited
(to be set up). . . Member

The Housing & Urban Development Department would provide the secretarial support to the U.M.T.A., whereas the CityTransport. Services Limited (proposed S.P.V. for C.B.S. operation) would provide the technical support.

The U.M.T.A. will perform the following functions—

1. To oversee and formulate policies and plans for improvement of transport in Bhubaneswar and Puri and its surrounding areas.
2. To identify and approve investment needs for transport in Bhubaneswar and Puri.
3. To identify financing opportunities for investments in urban transport for Bhubaneswar and Puri.
4. To resolve differences between State agencies connected with transport within Bhubaneswar and Puri.
5. To take decisions on the utilization of funds available under Urban Transport Fund that would require to be set up.

By order of the Governor

Dr. A. K. PANDA

Commissioner-*cum*-Secretary to Government