

MINUTES OF THE 5TH MEETING OF THE U.M.T.A. HELD ON 6.4.2010 AT 3:15 P.M. IN THE CHAMBERS OF THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. & CHAIRMAN, UMTA.

1. The Chief Secretary to Government chaired the meeting. The list of the members and special invitees present in the meeting, is annexed.
2. The Metropolitan Commissioner, HMDA & Member Convener, UMTA welcomed the Chairman, and others present and initiated the discussions.
3. The minutes of the 4th UMTA meeting held on 18.9.2009 were read out by the Convener and were confirmed.
4. The **action taken report** on the minutes of the 4th UMTA meeting was reviewed and the following actions were recommended.
 - i) Regarding sharing of advertisement revenue between GHMC and APSRTC on Bus Shelters, the Chairman directed to circulate the file for obtaining orders of the Chief Minister, in view of the difference of opinion between the two agencies.

[Action: Prl. Secy., MA&UD, Commr., GHMC, M.D., APSRTC]

- ii) Item No. 3: JNNURM Buses procurement and related reforms issue concerning to urban transport.

Executive Director, APSRTC explained that, the issue of SPV was discussed in the recent meeting with the Hon'ble Union Minister of Urban Development and explained that APSRTC is already performing the functions of an SPV. Hence, no further action may be needed in the matter.

- iii) Item No. 4: SCR – Earmarking land for future passenger and freight terminals around Secunderabad and Hyderabad city region.

The SCR Officials have informed that they have pruned down their requirement plan to two locations i.e., proposed freight terminals at Timmapur (v) and Shankarpally (v), for their long term requirements. Commissioner, GHMC was asked to co-ordinate with Collectors concerned and the South Central Railway Officials to expedite the process of identification of land within next three (3) months.

[Action: Commr., GHMC, G.M., SCR]

- iv) Item No. 5: HMDA – Need for creation of a full fledged Transport and Communication Dept. in HMDA.

After detailed discussion, it was agreed to create a full fledged Traffic and Transportation Department in HMDA, with the required experts on contract / outsourcing basis for better coordination and implementation of various traffic management measures in the city. Transportation experts may also be engaged by the GHMC, Commissioner of Police, Hyderabad & Cyberabad to have a focused look on the subject. Meanwhile the existing Transportation Cell set up by HMDA will work on immediate action plans of traffic management, in coordination with GHMC, Police & APSRTC.

[Action: M.C., HMDA, Commr., GHMC, C.P., Hyd. & Cyb.]

- v) Item No. 6: GHMC – Improvement of National Highways and R&B roads.
Separate Agenda Item included.
- vi) Item No. 7: GHMC – MMTS – Split of the Project into MMTS II – A & B.
Separate Agenda Item included.
- vii) Item No. 8: Police Dept – Request for constitution of Sub-Committee.

The Transportation Cell constituted in HMDA was suggested to work on immediate action plans of traffic management.

viii) **Other Items :**

- a) Allowing private buses to ply from Gachibowli junction to Shamshabad junction:

Bus Stops are not planned on the Main ORR and these will be proposed on the service roads.

- b) To provide lighting on the road from Gachibowli to APPA junction:

The street lighting proposals have been sent to JICA for approval and work will be taken up on receipt of approval.

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Item No. 3: GHMC – Improvement of Road from Nizampet road junction to Erragadda junction:

The R&B Roads & NH Officials agreed to take up the improvement of road from Nizampet road junction to Erragadda junction and complete the same in 6 months.

The R&B Roads and NHA Officials have also agreed to take up improvement of other R&B Roads and NH Roads falling in the GHMC area.

[Action: EnC. – R&B (Roads) & NH]

Item No. 4: GHMC – Shifting of Electrical poles from footpaths and widened roads.

The Chairman asked the Commissioner GHMC to discuss with C.M.D., APCPDCL separately and come up with the necessary proposal, as APCPDCL is under the regulatory regime.

[Action: Commr., GHMC]

Item No. 5: South Central Railway – MMTS IInd Phase and other construction works.

- a) Regarding MMTS II, necessary proposals were circulated to the Government and the Principal Secretary, MA&UD stated that the G.O. will be issued shortly.
- b) For the construction of RUB at Rail nilayam, at Alugadda baavi & ROB at Lakdikapool, the GHMC was requested to take necessary action. For the construction of ROB at Aramgarh, the ENC (Roads) R&B was requested to take necessary action.
- c) The railway official informed that the appointment of Consultant for developing Secunderabad Station into world class station is in process and project will be implemented soon.

[Action: Prl.Secy., MA & UD, Commr., GHMC, EnC., R&B & G.M., SCR]

Item No. 6: HMDA – Comprehensive Transport Study for Hyderabad Metropolitan Region.

The Metropolitan Commissioner, HMDA presented to the members the salient features of Comprehensive Transportation Study proposals submitted to MoUD, Gol, for which the **formal approval** was conveyed recently under the scheme of Urban Transportation Planning. The total estimated cost of the study would be Rs.15.24 Crores out of which central financial assistance is capped at 50% of the total cost i.e., Rs.7.62 Crores. The Ministry suggested to have a Monitoring-cum-appraisal committee which will include a representative of the Ministry. The balance 50% amount of the study will have to be shared by HMDA, GHMC, HMRL, APSRTC, HMR, R&B etc.

After detailed discussions, it was resolved that, the state share of 50% for study i.e., Rs. 7.62 Crores, shall be apportioned, as follows: 30% by HMDA, 30% by GHMC, 20% by APSRTC, 20% by HMR / R&B. The HMDA was directed to constitute the Evaluation committee and take necessary follow up action to commence the study expeditiously.

In this connection, Metropolitan Commissioner, HMDA invited attention of the Chairman & Members to the provisions under HMDA Act, which stipulates earmarking of 0.25% of development charges by HMDA, GHMC & all other urban local bodies, as well as, earmarking of 0.25% estimated cost of all projects undertaken by other line departments / agencies in their respective allocations for road works / railway works in HMDA limits. This amount will be utilized for research, studies and training in the field of traffic and transportation, apart from meeting administrative expenses of UMTA.

It was decided to initiate action for creating the fund, by pooling up the stipulated amount from development charges of HMDA & GHMC to begin with. Similarly action may be taken by line departments / agencies such as R&B, NH and APIIC to provide 0.25% in their estimates for works within HMDA area, as is being done for funding National Academy of Construction (NAC), Hyderabad.

[Action: M.C., HMDA, Commr., GHMC, M.D. APIIC, M.D. HMRL, EnC., R&B]

Other Items :

- a) **Intelligent Traffic System for ORR** : Project Director, ORR made a detailed presentation on HTMS & TMS proposed for ORR, as per the advice of JICA consultant. It was decided to adopt English, Hindi & Telugu for the variable message signs (VMS) under ITS for ORR. Project Director, ORR was also requested to co-ordinate with Police, Fire Safety & Health officials for smooth implementation of ITS and Security concerns.

[Action: PD, ORR]

- b) Commissioner of Police, Hyderabad draw the attention of the Chairman & Members about the need for providing suitable parking space for private busses in Kukatpally & other locations. Similarly, it was decided to develop logistic hubs and Truck Terminals etc. at suitable locations to decongest the traffic.

[Action: M.C., HMDA, Commr., GHMC, C.P., Hyd. & Cyb.]

- c) Prof. S.Raghava Chari, Transportation Expert, stated that traffic lights in the city should be installed and maintained by one Nodal Agency. It was decided that GHMC will be the Nodal Agency for the purpose and Commissioner, GHMC was asked to install traffic lights at new junctions, wherever required and also to repair non-functioning traffic signals, immediately.

[Action:Commr., GHMC]

- d) **Bhagyanagar Gas Pipeline** : Regarding the issue of gas line & distribution centres the Chairman directed the R&B Officials to expedite the clearances required for Bhagyanagar gas pipeline works, along the NH. It was suggested that the officials of APSRTC, R&B & Bhagyanagar Gas to prepare an action plan and circulate a note to the Chief Secretary for conducting a separate meeting with the concerned.

[Action: M.D., BGL, EnC, R&B (NH), M.D., APSRTC, Commr., GHMC]

Sd/-

(S.V. Prasad, I.A.S)

**Chief Secretary to the Government
& Chairman, UMTA.**

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To
All concerned.

Metropolitan Commissioner, HMDA &
Member Convener, UMTA

List of the Members present during the 5th UMTA Meeting held on 06-04-2010

Sl. No.	Name & Designation
1.	Sri T.S. Appa Rao, I.A.S., Principal Secretary to the Government M.A. & U.D. Department Government of Andhra Pradesh
2.	Sri B.P. Acharya, I.A.S., Metropolitan Commissioner, Hyderabad Metropolitan Development Authority, (Member – Convener)
3.	Dr. Sameer Sharma, I.A.S., Commissioner Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation Hyderabad
4.	Sri B. Prasada Rao, I.P.S., Vice Chairman & Managing Director A.P.State Road Transport Corporation Hyderabad
5.	Sri A.K. Khan, I.P.S., Commissioner of Police, Hyderabad
6.	Sri S.Prabhakar Reddy, I.P.S., Commissioner of Police, Cyberabad
7.	Sri J.Raymond Peter, I.A.S., Transport Commissioner Government of Andhra Pradesh
8.	Sri Arun Bhagra, I.R.S.M.E., Addl. General Manager representing The General Manager, South Central Railway
9.	Smt. R.Sobha, I.F.S., Special Secretary, (A.P.P.C.B.) Representing the Member Secretary, A.P. Pollution Control Board.

SPECIAL INVITEES

- | Sl. No. | Name & Designation |
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| 1. | Prof. S.Raghava Chari,
Transportation Expert |
| 2. | Sri Siddharth Jain,
Project Director,
Outer Ring Road |
| 3. | Sri N.Rama Rao
Engineer-in-Chief
State Roads,
Roads & Buildings. |
| 4. | Sri G. Jagannath Rao,
Chief General Manager,
Outer Ring Road |
| 5. | Sri G.Ravinder Rao
Project Director
National Highways Authority of India
(Project Implementation Unit)
<u>Hyderabad</u> |
| 6. | Sri P.Ravinder Rao,
P.D. representing the Chief General Manager
National Highway Authority of India
<u>Hyderabad.</u> |
| 7. | Sri P.Narayana Swamy,
Executive Director, A.P.S.R.T.C. |
| 8. | Sri Kondo,
Member of T.A.T, JICA |
| 9. | Sri P.R.K. Shastri,
M/s. Bhagyanagar Gas Ltd.,
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