

**65. TRAVEL CONCESSION TO THE DIFFERENTLY ABLED PERSONS IN
STATE OWNED
TRANSPORT CORPORATION BUSES**

1.	Gist of the Scheme	<p>i) All visually impaired persons are given travel concession to travel up to 100 Kms. to and fro without any condition and free of cost.</p> <p>ii) Free of cost travel concession is allowed to intellectually disabled persons to travel with one escort.</p> <p>iii) The speech and hearing impaired and locomotor differently abled persons are given travel concession free of cost up to 100 Kms to go to schools / colleges / hospitals / training centres / work spot from their residence and return.</p> <p>iv) Free travel concession is provided to children with disabilities to attend early intervention centres and pre schools along with one escort/parent.</p> <p>There is no income ceiling to avail concessions in (i) to (iv).</p>
2.	Eligibility Criteria	Differently abled person
3.	Whether the prescribed application form is available	Yes. Applications are available with concerned District Differently abled Welfare Officer.
4.	Certificates to be furnished	<p>i) National identity card for differently abled,</p> <p>ii) Certificate from educational institution, (except for Blind)</p> <p>iii) Bonafide certificate from concerned authority / employer.</p> <p>iv) For 75% concession every time Xerox copy of Identity card to be given to the conductor and original shall be shown if required.</p> <p>v) For availing 75% concession for the escort, certificate from Government Doctor should be submitted.</p>
5.	Officer to whom the application is to be submitted	District Differently Abled Welfare Officer
6	Grievances if any to be addressed to	<p>Assistant Director (DAW), O/o. The Commissionerate for Welfare of the Differently abled, No.5, Kamarajar salai, Chennai – 600 005. Ph: 044-28444940 District Collector / Managing Director of the Metropolitan / State Transport Corporation</p>