



# Bangalore Metropolitan Transport Corporation

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## **“PRESS RELEASE”**

The Checking staff of Bangalore Metropolitan Transport Corporation has intensified checking of buses operated in and around Bangalore City to detect ticketless travelling by the passengers. During the Month of February-2022 our staff had checked 27,503 trips and penalized 3325 ticketless passengers by collecting Rs. 4,91,141/- as penalty and booked 1942 cases against conductor's for their dereliction of duty.

During the aforesaid period, 228 male passengers were penalized for occupying seats exclusively reserved for lady passengers & imposed fine of 22,800/- in accordance with KMV Rules 94 r/w section 177 of MV Act 1988. Overall, an amount of Rs. 5,13,941/- was collected as penalty from 3553 penalized passengers

Passengers are advised to purchase tickets/pass and travel, which will not only avoid levy of penalty/embarrassment but will also help BMTC to give better services to commuters. Further, the male passengers are requested to allow the female passengers to occupy the seats exclusively reserved for them.

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With a request to Telecast/Publish/Broadcast the above Press release in your esteemed media for the benefit of the commuters.