

School Children's Road Safety is prominent objective of Hyderabad Traffic Police. Several road safety measures were demised to ensure children's road safety at school zones to avert untoward incidents. The ground level staff every day regulates traffic in school zone for safe travel of children and the conveyance employed by parents and school management.

Today i.e., on 01.08.2023 Hyderabad Traffic Police conducted a meeting with representatives of school managements to discuss the congestion of traffic during starting and end timings, personal safety of children fitness of vehicles, staggeration of timings etc., in traffic conference hall, Traffic headquarters, Nampally, Hyderabad.

Sri G. Sudheer Babu, IPS., Addl. Commissioner of Police, Traffic, Hyderabad attended and delivered a PPT presentation in his inaugural address, highlighted the issues concern with traffic congestion in School Zones and requested the cooperation of school managements to circumvent issues by deploying traffic volunteers/security guards to regulate traffic and organize parking of vehicles carrying school children. Addl. CP Traffic insisted school management to inform parents about the traffic congestion issues and provide parking facility for their vehicles. Addl. CP Traffic urged managements of schools in particular area/zone to fix staggered timings for schools schedule/timings and come up with proposals before next date of meeting. Addl. CP traffic pressed about the safety of school buses and standards to be maintained according to Hon'ble Supreme Court of India guidelines in Writ Petition (Civil) 13029/1985 and further mandated the presence of attendant in school bus. Addl. CP Traffic informed that the Hyderabad Traffic will provide necessary training for traffic volunteers and provide safety equipment upon the requirement.

In this meeting Sri Rahul Hegde B.K., IPS., DCP Traffic-I, requested managements to form traffic clubs in school and encourage parents to follow advise of traffic Cops. Sri N. Ashok Kumar, DCP Traffic-II explained Supreme Court guidelines regarding school buses. Sri D. Srinivas, DCP Traffic-III requested school managements to ensure proper fitness and maintenance of school buses.

Representatives of school management requested Hyderabad Traffic to impart traffic training to their security guards, teachers and volunteers and assured cooperation in regulation of traffic in school zones and decongestion of Roads.

In conclusion, Addl. CP Traffic, thanked all representatives of school managements and assured all possible cooperation from traffic police side to ensure school children safety and proper traffic regulation in school zones.

In this meeting Sri Rahul Hedge BK, IPS., DCP Traffic- I, Sri. N. Ashok Kumar, DCP Traffic -II and Sri D. Srinivas, DCP Traffic -III, ACsP and Inspectors of Traffic along with representatives of school managements have participated.

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