Chennai Metro ops extended till 11 pm from Monday to Saturday

CHENNAI: To cater to the increased demand by passengers for extending train services during night hours, Chennai Metro Rail Ltd (CMRL) has decided to extend its train operation by one hour till 11 pm from Monday.

An official release from the CMRL said that the Metro services would be available between 5.30 am and 11 pm from Monday to Saturday. The peak hour services will be from 8 am to 11 am and 5 pm to 8 pm with existing 5-minute headway during peak hours and 10-minute headway during non-peak hours.

It added that the services will be available on Sundays and gov-

ernment holidays from 7 am to 10 pm with 10 minutes headway throughout the day, the release added that a penalty of Rs 200 is being imposed if masks are not worn in the trains and stations, "So far a total

of 176 passengers have been levied penalty since June 21 for non-adherence and a sum of Rs 35,200 has been collected as penalty," he said.