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Press Release

Additional Metro Rail Services during Monsoon Season to cater to passenger demand

In response to the anticipated **Cyclone alert for October 15**th, **16**th **and 17**th **in Chennai** by Indian Meteorological Department. Chennai Metro Rail Services will be operated with increased frequency of services to support Chennai public at times of heavy rain.

Service hours: 05:00hrs to 23:00hrs (First train departs at 05:00hrs from all terminal and last train departs at 23:00 hrs from all terminals)

Between **08:00hrs to 11:00hrs and 17:00hrs to 20:00hrs**, Metro Trains will be available;

- Green Line: (Puratchi Thalaivar Dr. M.G.Ramachandran Central Metro to St. Thomas Mount Metro) - Every 5 minutes
- Blue Line: (Airport to Wimco Nagar Depot) Every 6 minutes
 - Between Washermenpet Metro & Arignar Alandur Metro Every 3 minutes

From 05:00hrs to 08:00hrs; 11:00hrs to 17:00hrs and 20:00hrs to 22:00hrs, Metro Trains will be available every 7 minutes in both Blue Line and Green Line.

From 2200hrs and 2300hrs, trains will be available every 15 minutes.

In order to facilitate more frequency of trains in Green Line, direct train from Puratchi Thalaivar Dr.M.G.Ramachandran Central Metro to Airport Metro via Koyambedu, Vadapalani in Green Line will be suspended temporarily on the above said days and passengers from Green Line to Airport shall interchange at Arignar Alandur Metro for Airport.

All the above schedules shall be revised to normal service depending upon the weather condition.

As per the previous experience, passengers are advised not to halt their vehicles at metro station parking lots (St.Thomas Mount and Arumbakkam) prone to water stagnation from 15-10-2024 to 17-10-2024 (Dates will be further updated based on the weather condition).

Passengers are encouraged to utilize these services and plan their travel accordingly.

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