Press note

Karnataka State Road Transport Corporation (KSRTC) bus had a narrow escape when the vehicle went out of control while negotiating a curve and the tried his best to control the bus KA 10- F-0067 crashed into the iron barricade at Himavada Gopalaswammy Betta (Hill) on 08.10.2017. KSRTC awarded the driver Sri.Chinnaswammy.M, B.No.1536, Gundalpet depot of the bus with a gold medal and cash prize of Rs.10,000/- for his selfless daring service and presence of mind that saved lives of 68 passengers.

Criteria for grant of Gold Medal: Gold Medal will be given by KSRTC for accident free drivers, those who are operated bus for 15years in rural areas and 7years in urban areas. But this case considered as very special and declared Gold Medal for the driver, though he served in the organisation only 5 years. KSRTC is the service department, our motto is to provide safe service to the passengers, and this will motivate other drivers to serve safely to the public.

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Managing Director