

**erala State Human Rights Commission**

**Sitting at Wayanad**

Present : Shri. K.E. Gangadharan  
Hon'ble Member

Dated this the 20<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2010

HRMP No: 5032/08, 571/09 & 1832/09

Petitioner : Shri.Bharathan.T,  
Adattummal(h),  
Thrikkarippur,  
Kasargode.

Respondents : Managing Director,  
Kerala State Road Transport  
Corporatopion.

**Petitioner present.**

**The compliant of the petitioner is that he had applied for a free bus pass in KSRTC buses on his physical incapacity and his application was rejected by the respondent Corporation. The petitioner further states that along with the application for issuing bus pass he had produced a Medical Certificate in which it is stated that he is suffering from permanent Disability, that multiple Exostosis with deformity left shoulder (50% fifty percentage).**

**On the basis of the petition a report was called from the Managing Director, Kerala State Road Transport Corporation, Thiruvananthapuram. In the report it is stated the deformity caused to him is due to cerebral palsy and the Government has already issued an**

**order stating that free bus pass can be given to persons who has physically handicapped due to the deformity in the bones.**

**It is to be noted that in the certificate issued to the petitioner by the District Medical Board on 10/02/99 is specifically stated that the petitioner is orthopedically handicapped due to the multiple Exostosis with deformity of left shoulder and he is having 50% disability.**

**On verification of the report of the Medical Board Commission feels that the petitioner is disabled due to the deformity in his bones. So the stand taken by the respondent is not acceptable.**

**Hence I direct the Managing Director, Kerala State Road Transport Corporation, Thiruvananthapuram to issue free bus pass to the petitioner with in 30 days from the date of the order.**

**Copy may be 1) Send to the petitioner  
2) DTO Kasargode**

**Sd/-  
K.E. Gangadharan  
Member**

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