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RE TRANSPORT FARE INCREASE OF 20% EFFECTIVE MONDAY 9TH MAY, 2022

The Ghana Road Transport Coordinating Council wish to inform the general public, commuters and drivers in particular to disregard the purported transport fare increase of 20%.

We wish state that, transport fares has always been negotiated for and on behalf of all operators by the Ghana Road Transport Coordinating Council and the Ghana Private Road Transport Union, no single union or group have the capacity to determined the quantum of increase except the two bodies mentioned above.

We therefore wish to inform the operators and the general public that the Transport Minister has indicated his readiness to meet with the leadership of the GRTCC and GPRTU on Wednesday 11th May 2022, to commence discussion on our proposal for fare increase.

We want reiterate that the GRTCC and the GPRTU have not divorced from standing protocols for fare increase, it is herefore unjustified for any group of persons to stampede the process to announce fare increase without reference to the standing protocols.

We wish to advice the public to disregard any increase and the drivers to desist from charging any new fare, as we continue with the discussion on the appropriate adjustment which will be signed by the representatives of the GRTCC and the GPRTU and communicate same to you.

Thank you

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General Secretary

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