



Department of Transportation & Communications  
**LAND TRANSPORTATION FRANCHISING & REGULATORY BOARD**  
 East Avenue, Quezon City  
 Tel. Nos. 922-9061 to 66

**MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR**  
**NUMBER** 98-021

**Subject : SPECIAL PERMIT FOR BUS OPERATION ON THE LINE MONUMENTO-BACLARAN via RIZAL and TAFT AVENUES**

In view of the expected critical need to address the problem of probable inadequate transportation on the subject route due to anticipated non-operation of several LRT coaches, in the event of an LRT employees' strike, operators of duly franchised and registered buses are hereby authorized to divert their units temporarily to the route Monumento-Baclaran via Rizal-Taft Avenues, without prejudice to their existing franchised routes. Likewise, buses covered by pending applications before the Board are allowed to operate on said route.

This Special Permit for Bus Operation shall entitle the operator to continue plying along the Monumento-Baclaran via Rizal and Taft Avenue route and vice versa for the duration of the said strike/emergency to address an urgent public need, until otherwise ordered by the Board or upon resumption of normal LRT operation.

This Memorandum Circular shall take effect immediately on the date the said strike actually takes place.

Quezon City, 21 April 1998.

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