

# Metro rail & stations free from betting ads: T to HC

**Hyderabad:** Advocate general A Sudarshan Reddy on Tuesday informed Telangana high court that they ensured that Hyderabad Metro Rail and its premises are free from any betting apps and their advertisements. Placing a memo before a bench on behalf of Metro Rail, the AG said that Metro Rail would, henceforth, carry no such advertisements, as the transporter has informed the same to L&T, the concessionaire.

As per the agreement, all commercial activities of Metro rail vest with L&T. After being informed by GHMC about the betting advertisements on Metro spaces, HMRL wrote to L&T to get all such advertisements removed, the AG said.

"This is a public private partnership project and L&T has rights over commercial space. Responding to our letter, L&T too responded positively and directed all its agencies to remove the ads. Accordingly, all such ads are now removed," the AG said. The bench posted the case to June. TNN