

## **ANNOUNCEMENT**

Reference to the Cabinet decisions of 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2020, with regards to resumption of inter-province public transport and moto taxi services effective from 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2020; Rwanda Utilities Regulatory Authority (RURA) would like to inform the general public, the following:

### **1. FOR THE RESUMPTION OF INTER-PROVINCE PUBLIC TRANSPORT SERVICES:**

- a) Public transport between provinces is allowed **EXCEPT movements to and from Rusizi and Rubavu districts;**
- b) Public transport within Rusizi and Rubavu districts is **NOT PERMITTED;**
- c) All COVID-19 preventive measures previously announced for public transport services remain in place;
- d) The routes connecting different provinces as well as City of Kigali have been added on the existing list (inter-city transport) with their tariffs as indicated in the annex to this announcement;
- e) **All inter-province buses have to arrive at their final destinations by 8:00 pm**, to ensure that curfew time is respected. Passengers are advised to plan their trips accordingly;
- f) Public transport companies and passengers must respect all COVID-19 prevention measures issued by the Government.

### **2. FOR MOTO TAXI SERVICES:**

- a) **Moto taxi services are NOT allowed in Rusizi and Rubavu districts;**
- b) All COVID-19 preventive measures previously announced for moto taxi services remain in place;

- c) Motorcyclists are hereby reminded to **remove the helmet glass that covers the passenger's face;**
- d) **One-month period has been granted to moto taxi drivers** in the City of Kigali, **to install meters**, get sufficient training, as well to allow passengers and moto taxi drivers to become familiar with the new service (usage of smart meters).

**Done at Kigali, 3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2020**

