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AMC tells staff to carpool, cut fuel use

Urges employees to use AMTS, BRTS and Metro amid fuel-saving push

The Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation (AMC) has issued a circular directing its officers and employees to reduce petrol and diesel consumption by adopting carpooling and greater use of public transport. The circular, issued on Thursday, instructed all zonal offices and department heads to ensure minimum fuel usage in view of the current situation. The move follows Prime Minister Narendra Modi's appeal to conserve fuel amid rising en-

ergy concerns linked to the ongoing conflict in West Asia.

According to the instructions, employees working in the same municipal office compound or nearby offices and commuting by car have been asked to carpool with colleagues living in nearby areas.

AMC has also directed officers going for field visits to travel together



by sharing cars or two-wheelers with fellow staff members.

Employees using two-wheelers for daily commuting have similarly been advised to share rides with nearby colleagues. The civic

body has urged employees to use public transport services, including AMTS, BRTS and Metro, to help reduce fuel consumption. **AM**