To,
As per list attached.

विषयः Amendment to Clause 64(3)(a)(i) of the General Conditions of Contract - raising the limit for Sole Arbitrator from Rs. 10,00,000 (Rupees ten lakh) to Rs. 25,00,000 (Rupees twenty five lakh).

लेखकः Railway Board’s letters no. 96/CE-I/CT/29, dated 06.08.97, no. 2003/CE-I/CT/4, dated 09.10.03 & no. 96/CE.I/CT/29 (Vol.I), dated 05.01.05.

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The question of raising the limit for Sole Arbitrator from Rs. 10,00,000 has been under consideration of the Board and it has now been decided, in supersession to earlier letters to raise this limit to Rs. 25,00,000. Accordingly, Clause 64(3)(a)(i) of the General Conditions of Contract is hereby modified as under:

Clause 64(3)(a)(i) -

"In cases where the total value of all claims in question added together does not exceed Rs.25,00,000 (Rupees twenty five lakh only), the Arbitral Tribunal shall consist of a Sole Arbitrator who shall be a gazetted officer of Railway not below JA grade, nominated by the General Manager. The Sole Arbitrator shall be appointed within 60 days from the day when a written and valid demand for arbitration is received by GM."

2. This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.
3. Please acknowledge receipt.

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2. The Deputy Comptroller & Audit General of India (Railways), Room No. 224, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.

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