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Ministry of Railways/Rail Mantalya
(Railway Board)

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FC-V No. 136

No.F(E)I/98/AL-28/17

New Delhi, dt. 27-11-1998

The General Managers/OSDs/CAOs
All Indian Railways, etc.
(as per Standard Mailing List).


Sub: Travelling Allowance Rules - Amendment
to Rules contained in chapter 16 of
Indian Railway Establishment Code Vol.II
(First Reprint), 1990.

Ref: Board's letter No.(i) F(E)I/98/AL-28/9 dt.24.4.98
(ii) F(E)I/98/AL-28/10(A) dt. 1.5.98,-

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso
to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, the President
is pleased to direct that Rules 1602, 1607, Govt. of India's
decision No. 1 below Rule 1608, 1611 and Rule 1636,
contained in chapter 16 - Travelling Allowance Rules of
Indian Railway Establishment Code, Vol.II (First Reprint),
1990, may be amended, as per Advance Correction Slips
No. 30 to 34 enclosed as Annexure.

2. Please acknowledge receipt.


DA: As above.


(P.K. Puri)
Joint Director Finance (Estt.)
Railway Board.

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For Financial Commissioner,
Railways.

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Advance Correction Slip to Indian Railway
Establishment Code, Volume-II, (First Re-print),
1990

Advance Correction Slip No. 30

Chapter 16 - Travelling Allowance Rules

Section No. 1 General

Rule 1602 (I) - Grades of Railway Servants

Please substitute the following in lieu of existing rule.

Rule 1602 (1) - Grades of Railway Servants. For the purpose of admissibility to Travelling Allowance, Railway servants are divided into five pay ranges as follows:-

- (i) Rs.16,400 and above.
- (ii) Rs.8,000 and above but less than Rs.16,400
- (iii) Rs.6,500 and above but less than Rs.8,000
- (iv) Rs.4,100 and above but less than Rs.6,500
- (v) Below Rs.4,100

(Authority: Railway Board's letter No. F(E)I/98/AL-28/9 dt. 24.4.98).

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Advance Correction Slip No. 31

Chapter 16 - Travelling Allowance Rules

Section V - Mileage Allowance

Rule 1607 - Sub-Rule (5)

Please substitute the following in lieu of
existing Rule-1607 (5), Notes (1) & (2), thereunder.

The entitlements for the journeys by road, on
tour, are as follows:-

<u>Pay Range</u>	<u>Entitlement</u>
(i) Rs.18,400 and above	Actual fare by any type of public bus, including air-conditioned bus; OR At prescribed rates for AC taxi when the journey is actually performed by AC taxi; OR At prescribed rates for autorickshaw for journeys by autorickshaw, own scooter/motor cycle, moped etc.
(ii) Rs.8,000 and above but less than Rs.18,400	Same as at (i) above with the exception that journeys by AC Taxi will not be permissible
(iii) Rs.6,500 and above but less than Rs.8,000	Same as at (ii) above with the exception that journeys by air-conditioned bus will not be permissible.
(iv) Rs.4,100 and above but less than Rs.6,500	Actual fare by any type of public bus other than air-conditioned bus; OR At prescribed rates for autorickshaw for journeys by autorickshaw, own scooter/motor cycle, moped etc.
(v) Below Rs.4,100	Actual fare by ordinary public bus only; OR

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Pay Range

Entitlements

At prescribed rates for
autorickshaw, own scooter/
motor cycle, moped etc.

Mileage Allowance for road journeys shall be regulated at the following rates in places where no specific rates have been prescribed either by the Director of Transport of the concerned State or of the neighbouring States:

- (i) For journeys performed in own car/taxi.....Rs.8 per Km.
- (ii) For journeys performed by autorickshaw.....Rs.4 per Km.
own scooter etc.

NOTE-1 : Employees in receipt of pay less than Rs.6500/- are not entitled to travel by taxi or taking a single seat in a taxi. If they travel by taxi/own car, for whatever reason, they will be reimbursed only the actual charge limited to the rates prescribed by the Dte. of Transport for autorickshaw.

NOTE-2 : Journeys performed by autorickshaw/tonga/cycle-rickshaw/man-driven rickshaw may be equated to those performed by scooter/motor cycle and road mileage may be allowed accordingly. For journeys on bicycle/foot, the road mileage will be at the rate of 60 paise per kilometre.

NOTE-3 As actual bus fare is admissible under these orders, there will be no increase in the above rates of road mileage in the case of journeys performed in hill tracks.

(Authority: Railway Board's letter No. F(E)I/98/AL-28/9 dated 24.4.1998)

Advance Correction Slip to Indian Railway Establishment
Code, Volume - II (First Re-Print) 1990.

Advance Correction Slip No. 32

Chapter 16 - Travelling Allowance Rules

Section-V Mileage Allowance

Please substitute the Government of India's
Decision No. (1) below Rule 1608, with the following
Decision:

(1) A Railway servant who resides away from his headquarters, will, on transfer, be eligible for transportation charges for personal effects at prescribed rates from his residence to the nearest Railway Station at the old headquarters and from the Railway Station to the actual residence at the new headquarters.

(Authority: Railway Board's letter
No. F(E)I/98/AL-28/10(A)
dated 01.5.98).

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Advance Correction Slip No. 33

Chapter 16 - Travelling Allowance Rules

Please substitute the following in lieu of existing rule 1611 - R.II

1611.- Rates of Daily Allowance - Daily Allowance is admissible for journeys on tour at the following rates, when a Railway servant stays in Government/Public Sector Guest Houses or makes his own arrangements.

Pay Range	Localities other than those mentioned in column (3) (4) & (5)	B-1 Class cities and expensive localities	A Class cities and specially expensive** localities	A-1 class cities
₹10	₹20	₹30	₹40	₹50
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Rs.16,400 and above	135	170	210	26
Rs.8,000 and above, but less than 16,400	120	150	185	23
Rs.6,500 and above, but less than Rs.8,000	105	130	160	20
Rs.4,100 and above, but less than Rs.6,500	90	110	135	17
Below Rs.4,100	55	70	85	10

* as specified by Govt. from time to time.

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(Authority: Railway Board's letter No. F(E)I/98/AL-28/9 dt. 24.4.98)

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Advance Correction Slip No. 34

Chapter 16 - Travelling Allowance Rules

Section VII - Travelling Allowance for Journeys
on tour.

Please substitute the following in lieu of Sub-rule(7) below rule 1636 - R.II., and add Sub-rule (8) as under:-

Rule 1636 (7)

"Railway Officers in pay scale of Rs.22,400 - 24,500 or above may also travel at their discretion in the executive class by air within the country on tour. Other officers and non-officials who are authorised to travel by air within India at Government expenses shall be entitled to travel by standard class only where two classes of accommodation i.e. Standard Class and Executive Class are available on the air-lines.

(8). In the case of International travel, officers of and above the level of Secretaries to the Government of India and equivalent status, shall be entitled to travel by first class, officers of the level of Additional Secretaries and Joint Secretaries and of equivalent status by Business/Club Class, and all other officers by Economy Class.

(Authority: Railway Board's letter No.
F(E)I/98/AL-28/9 dated 24.4.98).