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Ministry of Railways/Rail Mantralaya
(Railway Board)

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New Delhi, dt. 26 -6-1998

The General Managers/CSDs/CAOs
All Indian Railways
(As per Standard Mailing List)

Sub: Bad Climate Allowance to Railway
employees posted in unhealthy
localities.

Consequent upon the decision taken by the Government on the recommendations of the Vth Pay Commission relating to the grant of Special Compensatory (Bad Climate) Allowance vide Ministry of Finance (Deptt. of Expenditure) Office Memorandum No. 5(1)/97-E.II(B) dt. 1.4.98, the President is pleased to decide that, in modification of Railway Board's letters No. FC-III/74/CCA/3 dt. 16.4.1974 and No. FC-IV/86/Imp./AL-20 dt. 14.10.86 and dt. 2.6.87 as amended from time to time, the existing rates of Bad Climate Allowance to the Railway employees shall be revised as follows:-

<u>Pay Range(Basic Pay)</u>	<u>Rate per month (Rs.)</u>
Below Rs.3000/- p.m.	40
Rs.3000/- p.m. to Rs.4499/- p.m.	80
Rs.4500/- p.m. to Rs.5999/- p.m.	120
Rs.6000/- p.m. to Rs.8999/- p.m.	160
Rs.9000/- p.m. and above	200

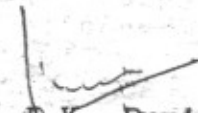
2. 'Pay' for the purpose of these orders will be the pay drawn in the prescribed scale of pay, including stagnation increment(s) and non-practising allowance, but shall not include any other type(s) of pay like Special Pay on pre-revised pay etc. In the case of those who opt to retain the existing scale of pay, it will include, in addition to pay in the pre-revised scale, dearness allowance and interim relief appropriate to that pay admissible under orders in existence on 1.1.1996.

3. All other terms and conditions governing the grant of Bad Climate/Unhealthy Locality Allowance shall continue to be applicable. These orders shall take effect from 1-8-1997.

4. In case there are any other Special Compensatory Allowance(s) admissible at a particular place, the Railway employee working there will have the option to choose the allowance which benefits him the most. Persons drawing Special Compensatory Allowance shall not be eligible for any City Compensatory Allowance.

5. Please acknowledge receipt.

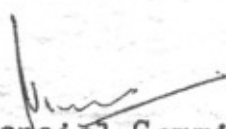
6. Hindi version is attached.


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For Financial Commissioner,
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