

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA/BHARAT SARKAR
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS/RAIL MANTRALAYA
(RAILWAY BOARD)

No.TC-I/2013/108/3

New Delhi, dt. 06/09.2013

Chief Commercial Manager
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Belapur Bhavan, Sector-11
P.O.Box No.9, CBD Belapur,
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Sub: Levy of Detention Charge for detention of wagons for load adjustment

Please refer to KRCL's letter No.CO/C-A/21-01/01-2011 dt.16.08.2013 regarding levy of Detention Charge for detention of wagons for load adjustment.

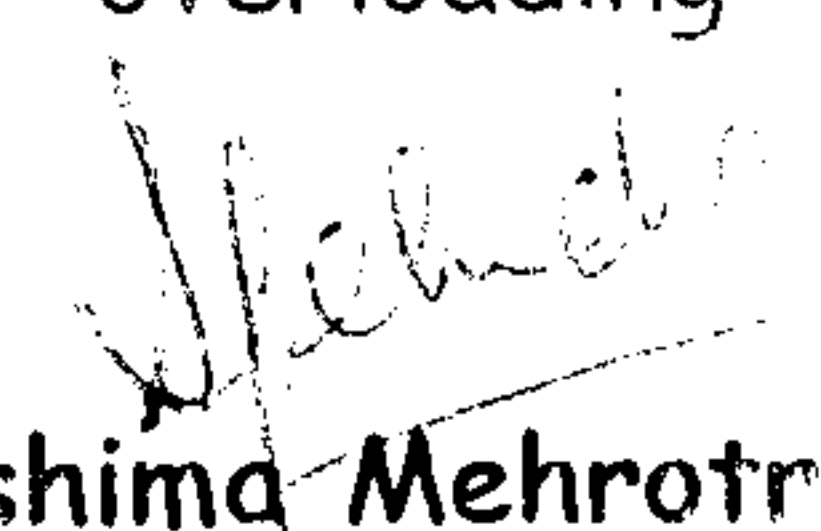
The matter has been examined and it is seen that clear guidelines are stipulated vide Board's letters No.TC-I/2006/108/4 dt.24.10.2008 and No.TC-I/2010/108/4 dt.16.09.2011 (Rates Circular No.32 of 2011) and the same is reproduced below for the guidance of Railway:

Board's letter No.TC-I/2006/108/4 dt.24.10.2008

"...if adjustment in load is carried at associate weighbridge/alternative associate weighbridge points which are not located at loading point itself or serving station of siding, it should not be treated as adjustment at originating point as mentioned in Para No.3 of Gazette Notification dt.15.06.2007. In such cases, the punitive charges for overloading should be levied for the entire distance to be travelled by the train hauling the wagon from the originating station to the destination point, irrespective of point of load adjustment. Punitive charge for overloading will not be levied in terms of Para No.3 of Gazette Notification dated 15.06.2007 only when load adjustment is done at the originating station including serving station if any."

Board's letter No.TC-I/2010/108/4 dt.16.09.2011(Rates Circular No.32 of 2011)

"Ministry of Railways has decided to levy a penalty of Rs.5000/- as detention charge per overloaded wagon in case of detention of a rake after weighment warranting load adjustment at the originating station itself in case of detection of overloading at originating point."


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