

Government of India (भारत सरकार)

Ministry of Railways (रेल मंत्रालय)

(Railway Board)(रेलवे बोर्ड)

No. TC-I/2008/101/3

New Delhi, dated 19.08.2016

Chief Commercial Manager
Chief Operations Manager
South Eastern Railway,
Kolkata.

Sub: Wagon Registration Fee(WRF)

- Ref: (i) COM/SER's email dated 28.07.2016 to AM/(T)/Railway Board
(ii) Rates Circular No.07/2006 dt. 20.01.2006 & its corrigendum dt.12.04.2012
(iii) Rates Circulars No.14 of 2014 and No.13 of 2015
(iv) FM Circular No.15 of 2015
(v) Board's letter No. TC-I/2014/104/2Pt.4 dated 13.07.2015 addressed to ER
(copy enclosed)

Please refer to SER's email under reference regarding exemption from the payment of Wagon Registration Fee in case of CKI-1 siding of ECL while placing demand for wagons.

As per extant guidelines, exemption from the payment of WRF has been granted to Premier customers viz. Platinum, Gold and Silver Card holders. Classification of Premier customers are done on the basis of earning criteria. In case of Silver Card holders, earning criteria has been revised from Rs.25 crore to Rs.10 crore per annum in July, 2015. Parties having multiple sidings on a Railway are classified on the basis of originating earning of each siding separately. Further, in case of PSU/Corporation/regular customer, there is a provision of lump sum deposit *in lieu* of payment of WRF each time an indent is made for wagon supply.

The matter has been examined and it is advised that extant guidelines holds good. SER may take appropriate action keeping in view the extant guidelines.

DA: above

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