GOVERNMENT OF INDIA (भारत सरकार)  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (रेल मंत्रालय)  
(RAILWAY BOARD रेलवे बोर्ड)

No.TC-I/2020/109/SCR                                  New Delhi, dt.29.10.2020

Pr. Chief Commercial Manager  
East Coast Railway

Sub: Levy of Punitive Charge for load adjustment  
Ref: Rates Master Circular/Weighment/2019/0

Please refer to ECoR’s letter No.CCM/225/IWB/Pt.XI/781 dated 12.10.2020 wherein Railway has referred to Para 4.3 of Board’s circular and suggested for provision of cushion if there is difference in first and second weighment result in case a wagon that had undergone load adjustment. Further, clarification has been sought with respect to CFTM/ECOR’s letter dt.24.09.2020 regarding punitive charge for load adjustment at other than originating point due to operational constraints.

The matter has been examined. It is to state that after load adjustment, there is no provision for weighment. Only random weighment is to be carried out. Therefore, first and second weighment are not relevant to a wagon that has undergone load adjustment.

Regarding CFTM/ECOR’s letter dt.24.09.2020, clarification has already been issued vide Board’s letter of even number dated 26.10.2020

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