

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

No.TC-I/2024/307/1(3473671)

New Delhi, dt.09.09.2024

**General Manager**  
All Zonal Railways

**Sub:Conveyance of chemical/ dangerous /hazardous consignments in containers by rail**

Ref: (i) Red Tariff No.20 and amendments thereto

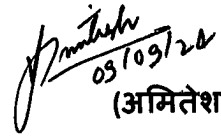
Guidelines regarding conveyance of dangerous goods are laid down vide Railway Red Tariff No.20

Presently, the consignor submits undertaking in the Forwarding Note with regard to transportation of hazardous consignments in containers by rail and also affixes hazardous cargo stickers on the container carrying such cargo as per the IMDG norms.

The matter has been examined and further it is advised that:

*"The consignor must submit a physical copy of Material Safety Data Sheet(MSDS) alongwith the Forwarding Note at the time of booking at the originating station to the CGS of the originating/loading station for the safe transportation of chemical/hazardous/dangerous consignments in containers by rail."*

Zonal Railways should apprise of the aforesaid guidelines to all the freight customers including container train operators. All concerned should be advised to follow the guidelines scrupulously.

  
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