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

No. TCII/2046/06/1

रेल भगन, नई दिल्ली -- 110 छो।, तिथि

Rail Bhavan, New Delhi - 110 001, dated 22.03.2006

The General Managers(Comml.),

- 1. Central Railway, Mumbai (CSTM).
- 3. East Central Railway, Hazipur.
- 5. Northern Railway, New Delhi.
- 7. North Eastern Railway, Gorakhpur.
- 9. North Western Railway, Jaipur.
- 11. South Central Rly., Secunderabad.
- 13. South East Central Rly, Bilaspur.
- 15. Western Railway, Mumbai,

- 2. Eastern Railway, Kolkata.
- 4. East Coast Railway, Bhubaneswar
- 6. North Central Rly., Allahabad.
- 8. Northeast Frontier Rly., Maligaon,
- 10 Southern Railway, Chennai.
- 12. South Eastern Railway, Kolkata.
- 14. South Western Railway, Hubli.
- 16. West Central Rly., Jabalpur.

Sub: Rationalization of rate for luggage and parcel traffic.

Sanction of the Central Government is hereby accorded to the rationalized rate structure for booking of Parcel & Luggage traffic as under:-

- 1.1 Rates of parcel traffic chargeable at Scale "P" will be enhanced by 25%.
- 1.2 Scale "L" for luggage traffic is reintroduced which will be uniformly applicable to all trains when the booked luggage is carried in the brake van of the train in which the passenger is traveling.
- 1.3 The Rates for luggage will be 80% higher than the revised rate under Scale-P.
- 1.4 There shall be no restrictions on carriage of luggage in brake van of passenger trains as far as quantity and type (personal or merchandise) of luggage offered for booking is concerned. However, the excess luggage in owner's charge beyond the free allowance will be charged at 1.5 times the rates under scale-L.
- 2.0 There will be no change in the rates under Scale-R and Scale-S.
- 3.0 Registered Newspapers and Magazines will continue to be booked at concessional rates uniformly at 45 per cent of Scale-S by all trains including Rajdhani trains.
- 4.0 A copy of the revised rates for luggage and parcel is enclosed.

- 5.0 Zonal Railways should notify the trains as "Premier Service" if
 - (i). Its parcel space has been leased out at normal reserve price or higher or
 - (ii) its utilization of parcel space is 60% or more during the preceding 12 months.
 - 6.0 This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways
 - 7.0 These instructions will take effect from 1.4.2006.
 - 8.0 Necessary instructions may please be issued to all concerned immediately.
 - 9.0 Receipt of this letter may please be acknowledged.

(Ms S.R. Sett)

Jt. Director Freight Mktg.

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New Delhi, dated 23-3.2006

- 1. The Dy. Comptroller & Auditor General of India (Railways), Room No.224, Rail Bhavan, New Delhi with 36 spares.
- 2. The FA&CAOs, All Indian Railways.
- 3. The Principal Director of Audit, All Indian Railways.

DA: 36 Spares with item No.1

(Dhruv Singh)
for Financial Commissioner Railways.

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- 3. The General Manager, Centre for Railway Information System (CRIS), Chanakyapuri, Near National Rail Museum, New Delhi.
- 4. The Director General, Railway Staff College, Vadodara.
- 5. The Managing Director, Konkan Railway Corporation Ltd., Belapur Bhavan, Plot No. 6, Sector 11, CBD Belapur, Navi Mumbai 400 014.
- 6. The General Manager, Metro Railway, 33/1, J.L. Nehru Road, Calcutta-700071.
- 7. The Chief Commissioner of Railway Safety, Lucknow.
- 8. The General Secretary, IRCA, Chelmsford Road, New Delhi for issue of necessary correction slip to IRCA Coaching Tariff No. 25, Part. 1 (Vol.I) & (Vol. III).

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