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File No. 1(42) 2011/Railway/ FSSAI  
Food Safety & Standards Authority of India

FDA Bhawan, Kotla Road,  
New Delhi- 110002,  
Date: 28.03.2012

**Subject: Notification of Food Safety Officers over Indian Railways under Section 37 of FSS Act, 2006-reg.**

In pursuance of Section 37 of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 read with Section 1.2.1 (5) of Food Safety and Standards Regulations, 2011 the following officers are hereby notified as Food Safety Officer under Central Licensing with jurisdiction over the area under Indian Railways mentioned against each with immediate effect until further orders:

| S. No. | Name of the FSO                              | Area of jurisdiction            |
|--------|----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1      | Mr. P. D. Chaudhari&Sh. C.N. Lanjewar        | Central Zone                    |
| 2      | Sh. B.K. Saw & Sh. Shailesh Kumar            | East Central Zone               |
| 3      | M. Mohan Rao                                 | East Coast Zone                 |
| 4      | N. Dutta& A. Paria                           | Eastern Zone                    |
| 5      | Sh. Bhudev Singh                             | North Central Zone              |
| 6      | Sh. Subodh Kumar &                           | North Eastern Zone              |
| 7      | C.R. Pathak& S. Choudhary                    | North Frontier Zone             |
| 8      | O.P. Sharma &Niranjan Singh                  | Northern Zone                   |
| 9      | Sh. A.K. Tripathi                            | North Western Zone              |
| 10     | P. Mallesh& D. Ramdas                        | South Central Zone              |
| 11     | Sh. H.P. Gupta                               | South East Central Zone         |
| 12     | N. Kasinathan& Sh. C. Balu                   | Southern Zone                   |
| 13     | Sh. B.K. Panda                               | South Eastern Railway Zone      |
| 14     | Sh. V. Shivakumar                            | South Western Zone              |
| 15     | ShriR.K.Jain                                 | West Central Zone               |
| 16     | Sh. P.S. Parab&Sh.R.C. Kutar                 | Western Zone                    |
| 17     | Sh. Harshal L. Patil& Sh. Uttamrao D. Jagtap | Konkan Railway Corporation Ltd. |

Sd/-  
(Dr. S.S. Ghonkrota)  
Dir (Enforcement)

To

1. Dr. B.N. Annigeri, Executive Director/ Health (G), Railway Board, Room No., 353/A, Rail Bhawan, Rafi Marg, New Delhi - 110001
2. Dr. Arun Gupta, Joint Director, Health & Family Welfare, Ministry of Railways, Room No., 353, Rail Bhawan, Rafi Marg, New Delhi - 110001
3. All Food Safety Officers of Indian Railways
4. ShriArun Panda, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi
5. All Commissioner Food Safety of States/ UTs
6. All Central Designated Officers of FSSAI
7. All Authorised Officers of FSSAI
8. All Divisional Head in FSSAI HQ

Copy to for information:

1. PPS to CP

File No. 1(42) 2011/Railway/ FSSAI  
Food Safety & Standards Authority of India

FDA Bhawan, Kotla Road,  
New Delhi- 110002,  
Date: 28.03.2012

Corrigendum

**Subject: Notification of Designated Officer over Indian Railways under Section 36 of FSS Act, 2006-reg.**

In pursuance of Section 36 of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 read with Section 1.2.1 (1) of Food Safety and Standards Regulations, 2011 the following officers are hereby notified as Designated Officer under Central Licensing with jurisdiction over the area under Indian Railways mentioned against each with immediate effect until further orders:

| S. No. | Name of the DO                   | Area of Jurisdiction            |
|--------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1      | Sh. N.H. Deshbhartar (AHO)       | Central Zone                    |
| 2      | Dr. V.K. Dubey                   | East Central Zone               |
| 3      | Dr. K.K. Rao                     | East Coast Zone                 |
| 4      | Mr. A. K. Sen                    | Eastern Zone                    |
| 5      | Dr. Sudhir Kumar                 | North Central Zone              |
| 6      | Dr. Keshav Kumar                 | North Eastern Zone              |
| 7      | Sh. N. M. Mandhare               | North Frontier Zone             |
| 8      | Sh. G.C. Bhardwaj                | Northern Zone                   |
| 9      | Dr. R.S. Matoria                 | North Western Zone              |
| 10     | Sh. G. Israel Raju, AHO/CMD/O/HQ | South Central Zone              |
| 11     | Dr. B. Jamkiar,                  | South East Central Zone         |
| 12     | Sh. P. Mohan Rajan, AHO Madurai  | Southern Zone                   |
| 13     | Sh. P.K. Chakraborty             | South Eastern Railway Zone      |
| 14     | Dr. B. Ram Reddy,                | South Western Zone              |
| 15     | Sh. M.H. Thaokar, AHO(HQ)        | West Central Zone               |
| 16     | Sh. S.K. Paira,                  | Western Zone                    |
| 17     | Ms. Smita Ganesh                 | Konkan Railway Corporation Ltd. |

2. The Designated Officers so appointed shall act as Central Licensing Authority over Indian Railways in accordance with the provisions under FSS Regulations, 2011.

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

No.2011/H/28/1/RELHS/Court Case

New Delhi, Dated 31.05.12

The General Managers,  
All Indian Railways  
(Including Production Units),  
Director General, RDSO

**Sub: Retired Employees Liberalized Health Scheme (RELHS-97).**

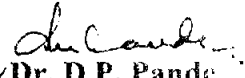
**Ref.: Board's letters No. 2003/H/28/1/RELHS dated 28.01.05, 21.10.05, 30.12.05, 10.05.06, 10.01.07 & 16.03.09.**

Arising out of demands raised by Federations & various Pensioner Associations, the subject matter of facilitating Railway Medical Services to all Retired Railway personnel through RELHS-97, had been under consideration of Board for some time. After careful & detailed examination of the matter the following has been decided by Ministry of Railways –

- (a) ***For Pre-March 2009 retirees** – The RELHS-97 will remain open-ended with a lock-in-period of six months for referral outside the Railway Hospital with the rider that this lock-in-period can be relaxed only in an emergency provided the patient is either admitted or visits the Railway Hospital and the facilities for the treatment are not available in Railway Hospital. Such referrals are to be processed only on recommendation of a specially constituted Medical Board.*
- (b) ***For March 2009 and onwards retirees** – The RELHS-97 will remain open for a period of another one year from the date of issue of the letter for all those retired railway personnel who have not joined the scheme for one reason or the other. The lock-in-period of six months as applicable for pre-March, 2009 retirees shall be applicable for these retirees also. Henceforth joining RELHS-97 has been made mandatory for all retiring Railway personnel without any exit clause whatsoever.*

All other terms and conditions of RELHS-97 mentioned in Board's letter dated 16.03.2009 under reference will remain unaltered.

This has the approval of the President and issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of Ministry of Railways. Wide publicity should be given to the above provisions.

  
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कार्य.निदे.स्वा.(यो.) / Exec. Director Health (Plg)  
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No.2011/H/28/1/RELHS/Court Case

New Delhi, Dated 31.05.12

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2. Chief Personal Officers, All Indian Railways.

भारत सरकार  
रेल मंत्रालय (रेलवे बोर्ड)

सं.2011/एच/28/1/आरईएलएचएस/कोर्ट केस

नई दिल्ली, 31.5.2012

महाप्रबंधक,

सभी भारतीय रेलें

(उत्पादन इकाइयों सहित)

महानिदेशक, अ.अ.मा.सं.

विषय: सेवानिवृत्त कर्मचारी उदारीकृत स्वास्थ्य योजना (आरईएलएचएस-97)

संदर्भ: बोर्ड के दिनांक 28.01.2005, 21.10.2005, 30.12.2005, 10.05.2006,  
10.01.2007 और 16.03.2009 के पत्र सं.2003/एच/28/1/आरईएलएचएस.

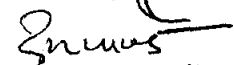
फेडरेशनों तथा विभिन्न पेंशनर्स एसोसिएशनों द्वारा की गई मांगों को देखते हुए आरईएलएचएस-97 के माध्यम से सभी सेवानिवृत्त रेलकर्मियों को रेलवे मेडीकल सेवाओं का लाभ प्रदान करने का विषयगत मामला कुछ समय से बोर्ड के विचाराधीन रहा है. इस मामले पर सावधानीपूर्वक तथा विस्तृत जांच करने के बाद रेल मंत्रालय द्वारा निम्नानुसार निर्णय लिया गया है-

(क) मार्च, 2009 से पूर्व के सेवानिवृत्त कर्मचारियों के लिए- आरईएलएचएस-97 अब खुला रहेगा परन्तु रेलवे अस्पताल से बाहर भेजे जाने के लिए 6 माह की लॉक-इन अवधि रहेगी परन्तु इसमें यह प्रावधान होगा कि इस लॉक-इन अवधि में केवल आपातकाल में ही छूट दी जा सकती है, जिसके लिए मरीज या तो रेलवे अस्पताल में एडमिट हो या रेलवे अस्पताल में इलाज करा रहा हो तथा रेलवे अस्पताल में इलाज के लिए सुविधाएं मौजूद न हों. इस प्रकार की रिफरल की कार्यवाही विशेष रूप से गठित मेडीकल बोर्ड की सिफारिशों पर ही की जाएगी.

(ख) मार्च, 2009 और उसके बाद के सेवानिवृत्त कर्मचारियों के लिए- आरईएलएचएस-97 ऐसे सभी सेवानिवृत्त रेलकर्मियों, जिन्होंने किसी भी कारण से इस योजना को न अपनाया हो, के लिए इस पत्र के जारी होने की तारीख से एक और वर्ष के लिए खुली रहेगी. मार्च, 2009 से पूर्व के सेवानिवृत्त कर्मचारियों के लिए लागू 6 माह की लॉक-इन अवधि इन सेवानिवृत्त कर्मचारियों के लिए भी लागू रहेगी. अब से सभी सेवानिवृत्त रेलकर्मियों के लिए आरईएलएचएस-97 में शामिल होना अनिवार्य है तथा इस योजना को छोड़ने का कोई भी प्रावधान, जो भी हो, नहीं होगा.

बोर्ड के दिनांक 16.03.2009 के संदर्भाधीन पत्र में उल्लिखित आरईएलएचएस-97 की अन्य सभी शर्तें अपरिवर्तित रहेंगी.

इसे राष्ट्रपति का अनुमोदन प्राप्त है और इसे रेल मंत्रालय के वित्त निदेशालय की सहमति से जारी किया जा रहा है. उपर्युक्त प्रावधानों का व्यापक प्रचार किया जाना चाहिए

  
(डॉ. डी. पी. पांडे)

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**For Financial Commissioner/Railways**

No.2011/H/28/1/RELHS/Court Case

New Delhi, Dated 31.05.12

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- 4 General Manager & FA&CAO, Metro Rail/Kolkata.
- 5 General Manager & FA&CAO, CORE, Allahabad.
- 6 The Director General, Railway Staff College, Vadodara.
- 7 The Managing Director, RITES, New Delhi House, 27, Barakhamba Road, New Delhi and (b) IRCON Palika Bhawan, Sector XIII, R.K. Puram, New Delhi. (c) CRIS, Safdarjung Railway Station, Chankyapuri, New Delhi. (d) IRFC (e), CONCOR of India, Ltd., Konkan Railway Corpn. Ltd. Belapur Bhawan Sector-11, CBD Belapur, Navi Mumbai, NVNL, Plot No. 25, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, August Kranti Bhawan, Bhikaji Cama Place, New Delhi-110066.
- 8 The General Secretary, IRCA/New Delhi.
- 9 The Secretary, Railway Board, Promotee Officers Association, Room No.341-C, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 10 Director General RDSO, Lucknow.
- 11 The Director (a) IRIEEN, Nasik, (b) IRCEN, Pune (c) IRIMEE, Jamalpur (d) IRISSET, Secunderabad.
- 12 The Chairman, RCC, Lok Sabha Secretariat, New Delhi.
- 13 The Chairman, RRT, Chennai.
- 14 The Chairman, RCT.
- 15 The Chairman, RRB/Ajmer, Ahmedabad, Allahabad, Bangalore, Bhopal, Bhubaneswar, Chandigarh, Chennai, Kolkata, Jammu, Gorakhpur, Guwahati, Malda, Mumbai, Muzaffarpur, Patna, Ranchi, Secunderabad & Trivandrum.
- 16 The Chairman, Passenger Amenities Committee.
- 17 Member Passenger Amenities Committee.
- 18 The CAO (G) COFMOW, Tilak Bridge, New Delhi.
- 19 The Director, CAMTECH/Gwalior.
- 20 The CAO (a) MTP(G)/Mumbai (b) MTP (G)/Chennai.
- 21 Office of the Chief Project Administrator (Telecom), Indian Railways Central Organization for Telecom Consultancy, Shivaji Bridge, New Delhi.
- 22 Chief Mining Advisor, Ministry of Railway, Dhanbad.
- 23 The CAO(Const.), Central Railway, Mumbai.
- 24 The Director (Movement) Railways/Kolkata.

  
डॉ. डी.पी. पण्डे/Dr. D.P. Pande  
कार्य.निदे.स्वा.(यो.)/Exec. Director Health (Plg)  
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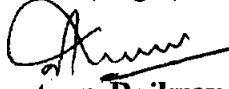
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New Delhi, Dated 31.05.12

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- 2 The General Secretary, NFIR, Room No. 256-E, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 3 All Members of Departmental Council and National Council and Secretary, Staff Side, National Council, 13-C, Ferozeshah Road, New Delhi.
- 4 The Secretary General, FROA & IRPOA, Room No.256-A & 268, Railway Board.
- 5 The General Secretary, All India RPF Association, Room No.256-D, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 6 The Secretary, RBSS Group 'A' Officers Association, Room No.402, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 7 The Secretary, RBSS Group 'B' Officers Association, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 8 The Secretary, RBMSA, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 9 The Secretary, Railway Board Group 'D' Employees Association, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 10 The Secretary, Railway Board Promotee Officers Association, Room No. 341-C, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 11 Chief Commissioner of Railway Safety, Lucknow.
- 12 Advisor (Safety), Railway Board, New Delhi.
- 13 The General Secretary, All India SC/ST Railway Employees Association, Room No.8, Ground Floor, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 14 General Secretary, Retired Railway Employees Welfare Association (Regd.), 490A/16, Gurudwara Road, Gurgaon.

  
**For Secretary, Railway Board.**

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Secretary, All Officers and Branches of Railway Board.

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

2010/H-1/12/8

New Delhi, 01.05.2012

The General Managers,  
All Indian Railways &  
Production Units.  
The Director General, R.D.S.O., Lucknow,  
The CAO(R), D.M.W., Patiala

Corrigendum

Sub: Scheme for engagement of "Honorary Visiting  
Specialists" in Railway Hospitals

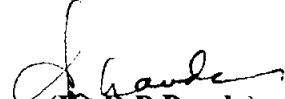
Ref: Board's letter No. 2001/H-1/12/40 dated 15.12.2005.

In reference to the above cited subject, it is hereby intimated that the clause contained in paras 3 and 6 of the Board's letter 2001/H-1/12/40 dated 15.12.2005 in respect of 'Qualification & experience and Age Profile' criteria for engagement of Honorary Visiting Specialist is revised as per Advance Correction Slip (S.No.- Health 2012).

The rest of the contents of the above mentioned letter will remain unchanged.

This issues with the Concurrence of Finance Directorate of Railway Board.

DA/as above

  
(Dr.D.P.Pande)

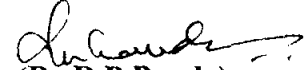
Executive Director Health (Planning)  
Railway Board

New Delhi, 01.05.2012

No. 2010/H-1/12/8

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1. The FA & CAOs, All Indian Railways & Production Units.
2. The Chief Medical Directors, All Indian Railways & Production Units.
3. The Chief Personnel Officers, All Indian Railways & Production Units.

  
(Dr.D.P.Pande)

Executive Director Health (Planning)  
Railway Board

New Delhi, 01.05.2012

No. 2010/H-1/12/8

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4. The Principal Director of Audit, All Indian Railways & Production Units.
5. The Dy. Comptroller & Auditor General of India (Railways), Room No.- 222, Rail Bhavan, New Delhi.



For Financial Commissioner/Railways

Copy for JDF(E) & F(E) Spl., Railway Board

S.No. 11/2012

**Advance Correction Slip to Para 3 and 6 of the Board's letter 2001/H-1/12/40 dated 15.12.2005**

**3 Qualification and experience**

- 3.1 Minimum PG diploma/Post – Graduate degree from a recognized University
- 3.2 Minimum 3 years experience in the professional work related to concerned Specialty after obtaining P.G.degree and in places where suitable candidates with PG degree are not available, PG diploma holders with 5 years experience in the professional work related to concerned Specialty after obtaining P.G. diploma.
- 3.3 The specialist doctor must have earned reasonable amount of popularity and Confidence in the City/Town.

**6. Age Profile**

- 6.1 During first time engagement, the preferred age is between 30 years to 50 years.
- 6.2 Upper age limit of continued engagement is 60 years.

**Note:- Exceptional cases need to be referred to Railway Board.**

**(Authority : Board's letter No. 2010/H-1/12/8 dated 11.05.2012)**

बोर्ड के दिनांक 15.12.2005 के पत्र सं. 2001/एच-1/12/40 के पैरा 3 एवं 6 के लिए अग्रिम शुद्धि पंक्ति

3. अर्हता एवं अनुभव

- 3.1 किसी मान्यता प्राप्त विश्वविद्यालय से कम से कम स्नातकोत्तर का डिप्लोमा/स्नातकोत्तर की डिग्री.
- 3.2 स्नातकोत्तर की डिग्री प्राप्त करने के बाद संबंधित विशेषज्ञता से संबंधित व्यावसायिक कार्य में कम से कम 3 वर्ष का अनुभव और ऐसे स्थान जहां स्नातकोत्तर की डिग्री वाले उपयुक्त अभ्यर्थी/उम्मीदवार उपलब्ध न हों, स्नातकोत्तर डिप्लोमा प्राप्त करने के बाद संबंधित विशेषज्ञता से संबंधित व्यावसायिक कार्य में 5 वर्ष का अनुभव होना चाहिए.
- 3.3 विशेषज्ञ चिकित्सक ने उस शहर/टाउन में काफी ख्याति तथा विश्वास अवश्य प्राप्त किया हो.

6. आयु की रूप रेखा

- 6.1 पहली नियुक्ति के समय आयु अधिमान्यतः 30 वर्ष से 50 वर्ष के बीच होनी चाहिए.
- 6.2 निरंतर नियुक्ति की अधिकतम आयु सीमा 60 वर्ष है.

नोट: आवेदकिक मामलों को रेलवे बोर्ड भेजे जाने की आवश्यकता होगी.

(प्राधिकार: बोर्ड का दिनांक 05.2012 का पत्र सं. 2010/एच-1/12/8).

भारत सरकार  
रेल मंत्रालय (रेलवे बोर्ड)

सं. 2010/एच-1/12/8

नई दिल्ली, दि. 11.12.2012

महाप्रबंधक,  
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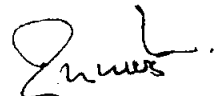
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संदर्भ: बोर्ड का दिनांक 15.12.2005 का पत्र सं. 2001/एच-1/12/40.

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उक्त उल्लिखित पत्र की शेष विषय-वस्तु अपरिवर्तित रहेगी.

इसे रेलवे बोर्ड के वित्त निदेशालय की सहमति से जारी किया जा रहा है.

  
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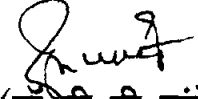
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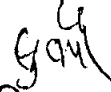
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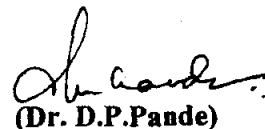


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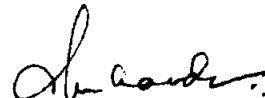
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(RAILWAY BOARD)**

No. 2007/H/28/1/RELHS/Smart Card

New Delhi, Dated 18.07.2012

**General Manager,  
All Indian Railways  
(including Production Units).**

**Sub: Cashless Service for RELHS Card Holder to take treatment in Recognized Private Hospitals in emergency.**

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In an endeavour to alleviate the problems faced by the Sr. Citizens in getting treatment in emergency, a cashless service for RELHS card holders to take treatment in recognized private hospitals of National Capital Region was introduced by Northern Railway vide Board's letter of even no. dated 29.02.2008 as a Pilot Project. The scheme was subsequently extended by one year each on two occasions i.e. up to 20.08.2011 vide Board's letters of even no. dated 13.11.2009 and 27.01.2011.

The issue of extension of the scheme or otherwise was under consideration in the Ministry of Railways for sometime. The Competent Authority in the Ministry of Railways after careful consideration in the matter, has decided to extend the facility till further orders for RELHS beneficiaries to take care of their health care needs in an acute emergency. This scheme will now be available in all Metros, State Capitals and Zonal Headquarters of the Indian Railways. Detailed guidelines on the subject attached.

This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate in the Ministry of Railways.

  
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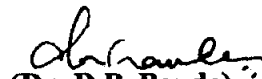
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**CASHLESS SERVICES FOR RELHS CARD HOLDERS TO  
TAKE TREATMENT IN RECOGNIZED PRIVATE  
HOSPITALS IN EMERGENCY**

**Terms & Conditions of the Scheme**

- i. The scheme is to be implemented in all the Metros, State Capitals and Zonal Headquarters.
- ii. Zonal Railways shall enter into an 'MOU' with already empanelled hospitals under their jurisdiction for the scheme. Further, if there are not enough recognized multi-specialty hospitals, zonal Railways shall recognize CGHS empanelled hospitals on CGHS approved rates and/or other hospitals as per extant policy and enter into an 'MOU' for the Smart Card Scheme.
- iii. Smart Card should provide necessary demographic data and other relevant information on a standardized format.
- iv. Zonal Railways shall award the job of issuing the Smart Card to a suitable services provider on most competitive rates, through open bidding.
- v. It shall be the responsibility of the hospital to inform the authorized medical attendant regarding emergency within 24 hours. In case an admission is found to be of non-emergency nature, the treating hospital shall refer the patient to authorized medical attendant in next 24 hours.
- vi. The scheme shall be implemented with the existing man power of Zonal Railways.
- vii. Issuance of Smart Card is made mandatory to RELHS beneficiaries residing in the regions mentioned in (i) above and cost of the card as decided upon may also be included in the contribution towards joining RELHS at the time of retirement.
- viii. The following conditions, shall qualify as emergencies.
  - Acute cardiac conditions/syndromes.
  - Vascular catastrophes, Cerbo-vascular accidents.
  - Acute respiratory emergencies.
  - Acute abdomen including acute obstetrical.gynecological emergencies.
  - Life threatening injuries.
  - Acute poisoning and snake bite.
  - Acute endocrine emergencies.
  - Heat stroke and cold injuries of a life threatening nature.
  - Acute renal failure.
  - Severe infections leading to life threatening situations.
  - Any other condition in which delay could result in loss of life or limb.

  
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भारत सरकार/GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

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(रेलवे बोर्ड/RAILWAY BOARD)

No.2008/H-1/12/4(Policy)

The General Managers,

All Indian Railways.

New Delhi, dated 24.07.2012

**Sub: Allotment of funds for the year 2012-13 for the scheme of calling Consultants on case to case basis for providing Professional services to Railway Beneficiaries.**

**Ref: Railway Board's letter of even no. dated 25.08.2011.**

Sanction of the Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) is hereby accorded for allotting a revised amount to each Zonal Railway as given below for the financial year (2012-13) for the scheme of hiring the services of medical consultants on case to case basis in Railway hospitals-

| S.No. | Railways | Existing amount | Revised sanctioned amount for year 2012-13 |
|-------|----------|-----------------|--------------------------------------------|
| 01    | C.R.     | Rs.25,00,000/-  | Rs.25,00,000/-                             |
| 02    | E.R.     | Rs.10,00,000/-  | Rs.08,00,000/-                             |
| 03    | E.C.R.   | Rs.10,00,000/-  | Rs.06,00,000/-                             |
| 04    | E.Co.R.  | Rs.05,00,000/-  | Rs.08,00,000/-                             |
| 05    | N.R.     | Rs.20,00,000/-  | Rs.18,00,000/-                             |
| 06    | N.C.R.   | Rs.05,00,000/-  | Rs.04,00,000/-                             |
| 07    | N.E.R.   | Rs.20,00,000/-  | Rs.23,00,000/-                             |
| 08    | N.F.R.   | Rs.10,00,000/-  | Rs.13,00,000/-                             |
| 09    | N.W.R.   | Rs.20,00,000/-  | Rs.20,00,000/-                             |
| 10    | S.R.     | Rs.30,00,000/-  | Rs.30,00,000/-                             |
| 11    | S.C.R.   | Rs.20,00,000/-  | Rs.08,00,000/-                             |
| 12    | S.E.R.   | Rs.10,00,000/-  | Rs.06,00,000/-                             |
| 13    | S.E.C.R. | Rs.10,00,000/-  | Rs.06,00,000/-                             |
| 14    | S.W.R.   | Rs.15,00,000/-  | Rs.30,00,000/-                             |
| 15    | W.R.     | Rs.30,00,000/-  | Rs.30,00,000/-                             |
| 16    | W.C.R.   | Rs.10,00,000/-  | Rs.15,00,000/-                             |

The expenditure should not exceed the upper ceiling limit fixed for each zonal Railway.

This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of Railway Board.

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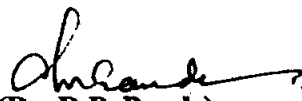
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**Ref: This office letter of even No. dated 18.07.2012.**

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Approval of competent authority in the Ministry of Railways has been conveyed for extension of scheme of Cashless Service for RELHS Card Holders to take treatment in recognized private hospitals in emergency vide this office letter cited under reference. It has been stipulated therein that the scheme will now be available in all Metros, State Capitals and zonal Headquarters of Indian Railways.

It is clarified in this context that jurisdiction of Metro Delhi would also include National Capital Territory Region (NCR). Similarly, jurisdictions of metros of Mumbai, Kolkata and Chennai will also include their respective suburbs for the purpose of extension of Cashless Service for RELHS Card Holders. Other terms and conditions of the scheme will remain unchanged.

  
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**CASHLESS SERVICES FOR RELHS CARD HOLDERS TO  
TAKE TREATMENT IN RECOGNIZED PRIVATE  
HOSPITALS IN EMERGENCY**

**Terms & Conditions of the Scheme**

- i. The scheme is to be implemented in all the Metros, State Capitals and Zonal Headquarters.
- ii. Zonal Railways shall enter into an 'MOU' with already empanelled hospitals under their jurisdiction for the scheme. Further, if there are not enough recognized multi-specialty hospitals, zonal Railways shall recognize CGHS empanelled hospitals on CGHS approved rates and/or other hospitals as per extant policy and enter into an 'MOU' for the Smart Card Scheme.
- iii. Smart Card should provide necessary demographic data and other relevant information on a standardized format.
- iv. Zonal Railways shall award the job of issuing the Smart Card to a suitable services provider on most competitive rates, through open bidding.
- v. It shall be the responsibility of the hospital to inform the authorized medical attendant regarding emergency within 24 hours. In case an admission is found to be of non-emergency nature, the treating hospital shall refer the patient to authorized medical attendant in next 24 hours.
- vi. The scheme shall be implemented with the existing man power of Zonal Railways.
- vii. Issuance of Smart Card is made mandatory to RELHS beneficiaries residing in the regions mentioned in (i) above and cost of the card as decided upon may also be included in the contribution towards joining RELHS at the time of retirement.
- viii. The following conditions, shall qualify as emergencies.
  - Acute cardiac conditions/syndromes.
  - Vascular catastrophes, Cerebro-vascular accidents.
  - Acute respiratory emergencies.
  - Acute abdomen including acute obstetrical/gynecological emergencies.
  - Life threatening injuries.
  - Acute poisoning and snake bite.
  - Acute endocrine emergencies.
  - Heat stroke and cold injuries of a life threatening nature.
  - Acute renal failure.
  - Severe infections leading to life threatening situations.
  - Any other condition in which delay could result in loss of life or limb.

  
(Dr. D.P. Pande)  
Executive Director, Health (P)  
Railway Board

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAY  
(RAILWAY BOARD)**

No. 2007/H/28/1/RELHS/Smart Card

New Delhi, Dated 18.07.2012

**General Manager,  
All Indian Railways  
(including Production Units).**

**Sub: Cashless Service for RELHS Card Holder to take treatment in Recognized Private Hospitals in emergency.**

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In an endeavour to alleviate the problems faced by the Sr. Citizens in getting treatment in emergency, a cashless service for RELHS card holders to take treatment in recognized private hospitals of National Capital Region was introduced by Northern Railway vide Board's letter of even no. dated 29.02.2008 as a Pilot Project. The scheme was subsequently extended by one year each on two occasions i.e. up to 20.08.2011 vide Board's letters of even no. dated 13.11.2009 and 27.01.2011.

The issue of extension of the scheme or otherwise was under consideration in the Ministry of Railways for sometime. The Competent Authority in the Ministry of Railways after careful consideration in the matter, has decided to extend the facility till further orders for RELHS beneficiaries to take care of their health care needs in an acute emergency. This scheme will now be available in all Metros, State Capitals and Zonal Headquarters of the Indian Railways. Detailed guidelines on the subject attached.

This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate in the Ministry of Railways.

  
(Dr. D.P. Pande)  
Executive Director, Health (P)  
Railway Board

DA:- As above.

No. 2007/H/28/1/RELHS/Smart Card

New Delhi, Dated 18.07.2012

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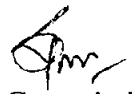
  
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2. Dy. Comptroller & Auditor General of India (Rlys.) Room No. 224, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.

  
For Financial Commissioner/Railways

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**MOST IMMEDIATE**

**F. No. 1/PLR/FSSAI/2011  
Food Safety & Standards Authority of India  
FDA Bhawan, Kotla Road,  
New Delhi-110 002**

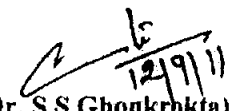
Dated: 12/09/2011

**Subject: Authorisation of NABL accredited food testing laboratories for analysis of food sample taken under FSS Regulation 2011 - reg.**

It is with reference to the above mentioned issue, I am directed to inform that under the provision of Section 43 of FSS Act, 2006, FSSAI intends to notify NABL accredited food testing laboratories for conducting test as per requirement of Food Safety Regulation 2011. The related laboratory(s) will be required to have NABL accreditation for the test parameters as per the Food Safety Regulation 2011. The process of formal empanelment of NABL labs under the Regulation is underway and is likely to take some more time to finalise. In the meantime, in order to facilitate smooth functioning of regulatory activities and, as an interim arrangement, FSSAI has nominated certain NABL laboratories (list enclosed) on ad-hoc basis for a period of three months or till further order whichever is earlier for undertaking food testing required under the FSS regulation 2011.

Therefore imported /regulatory samples (such as FBO sample) can be tested as and when requirement in the nominated laboratories for a period of three months or till further order whichever is earlier. Also, the authorization of the laboratory for the above purpose will automatically stand cancelled in the event of discontinuation of NABL accreditation of laboratory. The laboratory will conduct tests as per the provisions of the FSS Act and will also strictly adhere to the instructions issued by FSSAI from time to time and submit returns in the prescribed format. The FSSAI reserves the right to withdraw the authorisation at any time without assigning any reason thereof. It is to further inform that the charges for these packages of tests will be as given below:

- Regulatory sample – Rs. 1000 per sample
- Imported sample – Rs. 3000 per sample

  
(Dr. S.S. Ghonkrota)  
Director (Enforcement)

To,

1. All Commissioners of Food Safety
2. NABL accredited laboratories ( as per the list)
3. All Designated Officers of FSSAI

Copy to:

1. PS to C.P. FSSAI, New Delhi
2. P.S. to CEO, FSSAI, New Delhi

**List of NABL accredited food testing laboratories for analysis of food sample taken**  
**under FSS Regulation- on ad-hoc basis for 3 months**

| Regions                                                                                                     | Name(s) of Laboratories eligible for empanelment                                                               | NABL Test parameters               |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <b>Southern Region</b><br><br>(Kerala, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Puducherry, Lakshadweep)      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SGS India Pvt Ltd, Chennai</li> </ul>                                 | Chemical + Biological              |
|                                                                                                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Export Inspection Council Lab, Chennai *</li> </ul>                   |                                    |
|                                                                                                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sargam Laboratory Pvt. Ltd., Chennai</li> </ul>                       | Chemical + Biological              |
|                                                                                                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• IADFAC Laboratories Pvt. Ltd, Bangalore</li> </ul>                    | Chemical + Biological              |
|                                                                                                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SGS India Pvt Ltd., Cochin</li> </ul>                                 | Chemical + Biological              |
|                                                                                                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Quality Evaluation Laboratory, Spice Board , Cochin</li> </ul>        | Chemical + Biological              |
|                                                                                                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Interfield Laboratories , Cochin</li> </ul>                           | Chemical + Biological              |
|                                                                                                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sterling Test House , Cochin</li> </ul>                               | Chemical + Biological              |
|                                                                                                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Export Inspection Agency Lab, Cochin</li> </ul>                       | Chemical + Biological              |
|                                                                                                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bhagavathi Ana Labs Ltd., Hyderabad</li> </ul>                        | Chemical + Biological              |
|                                                                                                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• National Collateral Management Services Limited, Hyderabad</li> </ul> | Chemical + Biological              |
|                                                                                                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vimta Labs Limited, Hyderabad</li> </ul>                              |                                    |
| <b>Western Region</b><br><br>(Gujarat, Maharashtra, Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Daman & Diu, Goa, Madhya Pradesh) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reliable Analytical Laboratories Pvt. Ltd. ,Mumbai</li> </ul>         | Chemical + Biological + Mechanical |
|                                                                                                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Export Inspection Council Lab, Mumbai *</li> </ul>                    |                                    |
|                                                                                                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• RCA Laboratories , Mumbai</li> </ul>                                  | Chemical                           |
|                                                                                                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GEO Chem Laboratories Pvt. Ltd</li> </ul>                             | Chemical + Biological              |

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|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|
|                                                                                                                                                                                                   | , Mumbai                                             |                       |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • Envirocare Labs Pvt. Ltd ,<br>Mumbai               | Chemical + Biological |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • Micorchem Laboratory Pvt. Ltd,<br>Mumbai           | Chemical + Biological |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • MAARC.Labs Pvt. Ltd., Pune                         | Chemical + Biological |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • Aswamedh Engineers and<br>Consultants, Nasik       | Chemical + Biological |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • Gujarat Laboratory, Ahmedabad                      | Chemical + Biological |
| <b>Eastern Region</b><br><br>(West Bengal, Orissa, Bihar,<br>Jharkhand, Sikkim, A & N<br>Islands, Chattisgarh, Assam,<br>Arunachal Pradesh, Tripura,<br>Manipur, Mizoram,<br>Meghalaya, Nagaland) | • Export Inspection Lab, Kolkata *                   | Chemical + Biological |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • Calcutta University Lab,<br>Kolkata *              |                       |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • State Govt .Food Lab, Kolkata*                     |                       |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • Mitra S.K.Private Limited,<br>Kolkata**            |                       |
| <b>Northern Region</b><br><br>(Delhi, Uttarakhand,<br>Rajasthan, J&K, Himachal<br>Pradesh, Chandigarh, Uttar<br>Pradesh, Haryana, Punjab)                                                         | • SGS India Pvt. Ltd, Gurgaon                        | Chemical + Biological |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • Sriram Institute for Industrial<br>Research ,Delhi | Chemical + Biological |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • Delhi Test House , Delhi                           | Chemical + Biological |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • TUV SUD South Asia, Delhi                          | Chemical + Biological |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • FARE Labs Pvt. Ltd. ,Gurgaon                       | Chemical + Biological |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • AES Laboratories Pvt. Ltd, Noida                   | Chemical + Biological |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • Bharat Test House ,Delhi                           | Chemical              |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • Punjab Biotechnology Incubator,<br>Mohali          | Chemical + Biological |

\* Labs authorised under PFA will continue under FSSAI irrespective of NABL status till further order

\*\* NABL accreditation for water

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAY  
(RAILWAY BOARD)

No: 2012/H-1/9/2/1

New Delhi, dated 24.10.2012

The General Managers,  
All Indian Railways.

**Sub : Creation of appropriate Administrative Machinery for implementation of Food Safety and Standard Act 2006 (FSS Act 2006).**

Following notification of 24 Food Safety Officers and 16 Designated Officers by Food Safety and Standard Authority of India (FSSAI) on 28.3.201; notifications circulated vide Railway Board's letter no. 2011/H-1/9/2 dated 13.04.2012, representations were received from various quarters on the issue. Taking into consideration the views of all the stake holders and after consultation with FSSAI, following has been decided by Railway Board:-

**Food Safety Officers (FSOs)**

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- The number of FSOs in each Zone will be calculated by the formula:  $\text{No. of division} \div 2$ . If there are odd numbers of divisions in a Zone then the number of FSOs shall be determined by the formula:  $(\text{No. of divisions} + 1) \div 2$ . (Table attached as Annexure 1)
  - The jurisdiction of FSOs shall be decided by the CMD of the Zone. The jurisdiction will normally not include more than two divisions, however one or two Production Units/Workshop/Canteens run by Railways can be given in addition to the divisions. When a FSO goes on leave the work shall be seen by the other FSO of the zone.
  - These posts shall be taken from the cadre of Health and Malaria Inspectors. The CMD of the zone shall nominate the Health and Malaria inspectors, on the basis of seniority-cum-suitability (to be decided at Zonal level), on these posts.

**Designated officers (DOs)**

- An officer of the rank of AHO or senior shall be nominated by the CMD of the Zone to act as DO:-
- Since there are very few posts of AHOs in zones each Zone will create an additional work charged post of DO under the power of GM.

These two officers (FSO and DO) shall work full time for smooth and efficient implementation of the Food Standard and Safety Act. To enable them to discharge their duties the Zones have to provide them with adequate office space, support staff and office equipments (e.g. Desktop, Laptop, Scanner, Mobile phone etc.). Sufficient imprest should also be created with these officers to take care of the expenses for the following:-

- Sample costs.
- Analysis fee
- Other incidental expenses for food sampling work.

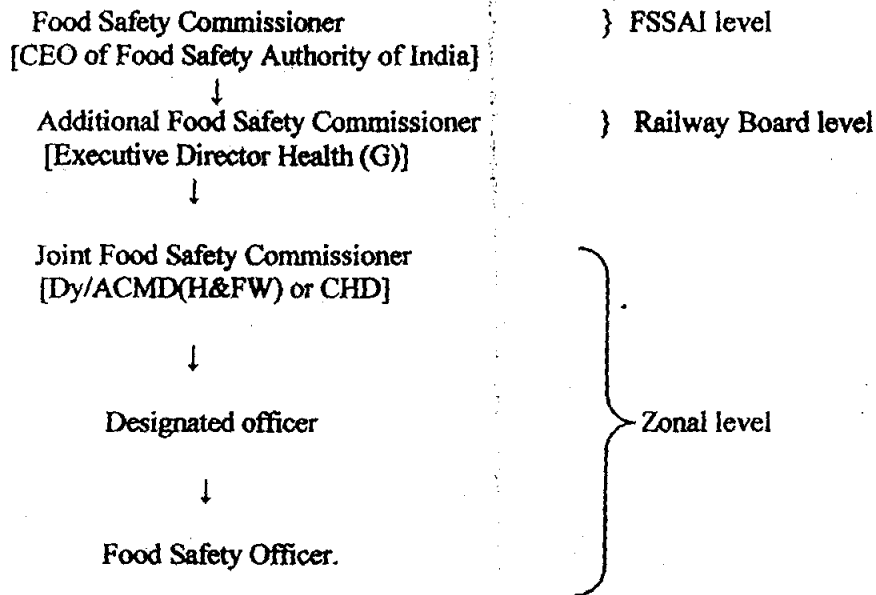
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### Joint Food Safety Commissioner

- It has been further decided to nominate Deputy/Additional CMD (H&FW) or CHD, as Jt. Food Safety Commissioner of the Zone. This nomination shall be done by the General Manager of the Zone on recommendation of CMD. The nomination shall be sent to EDH (G), who act as the Additional Food Safety Commissioner (Railways), for notification.
- The Joint Food Safety Commissioner shall be working part time to implement the FSSA. Any modifications to the proforma prescribed under the act shall be made by the approval of Joint Food Safety Commissioner to suit the working of the Railway.

Hence the hierarchy to implement FSSA within Railway shall be as follows:-



All the officers at Zonal level shall be working under the administrative control of respective CMDs and at Railway Board under the Administrative control of DGRHS.

This has the concurrence of Estt.(MPP) Directorate and Finance Directorate of Board's Office.

  
(Dr. S. K. Sabharwal)  
Executive Director Health (G)  
Railway Board

Copy to : Chief Medical Directors, All Indian Railways.

  
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Annexure I

**Number of FSOs to be nominated for each Zone**

| S.NO.        | Zones | Divisions | No. of FSOs<br>nominated for each<br>zone |
|--------------|-------|-----------|-------------------------------------------|
| 1            | CR    | 5         | 3                                         |
| 2            | ER    | 4         | 2                                         |
| 3            | NR    | 5         | 3                                         |
| 4            | NER   | 3         | 2                                         |
| 5            | NFR   | 5         | 3                                         |
| 6            | SR    | 6         | 3                                         |
| 7            | SCR   | 6         | 3                                         |
| 8            | SER   | 4         | 2                                         |
| 9            | WR    | 6         | 3                                         |
| 10           | ECR   | 5         | 3                                         |
| 11           | EcoR  | 3         | 2                                         |
| 12           | NCR   | 3         | 2                                         |
| 13           | NWR   | 4         | 2                                         |
| 14           | SECR  | 3         | 2                                         |
| 15           | SWR   | 3         | 2                                         |
| 16           | WCR   | 3         | 2                                         |
| <b>Total</b> |       | <b>68</b> | <b>39</b>                                 |

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS  
(RAILWAY BOARD)**

**No. 2011/H/6-4/Policy**

**New Delhi, 12.12.2012**

**General Managers,  
All Indian Railways  
(Including Production Units).**

**Subject: - Delegation of powers-referral of Railway beneficiaries to non-Railway  
Medical Institutions for PET SCAN.**

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With the advancement in medical diagnostic, new modalities are being added to the armamentarium. One such technology which is being utilized with great frequency is PET Scan.

Ministry of Railways has decided to delegate the powers to sanction the cost of PET Scan as follows:-

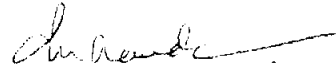
Sanction upto Rs. 21,000/- (Rupees Twenty One Thousand only) for NABL accredited Labs/Hospitals and upto Rs. 17,850/- (Rupees Seventeen Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty only) for non-NABL accredited Labs/Hospitals to Railway employees for PET Scan investigation will henceforth be given by the CMD/MD/CMS/MS of the C.H./D.H./Workshop Hospitals/Production units. This power will be exercised by the CMD/MD/CMS/MS or equivalent in consultation with two or more senior doctors of different specialties with appropriately recorded procedure.

The cases where the cost of PET Scan exceeds the limit of Rs. 21,000/ (NABL accredited) or Rs. 17,850/- (non-NABL accredited), would continue to be referred to the Ministry of Railways, duly concurred by the FA & CAO.

The above has the sanction of the competent authority and issues with the concurrence of the Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.

Accordingly, an advance correction slip No. 02 of Health/2012 inserting para 664(i) in IRMM-2000 is also enclosed for ready reference.

Please Acknowledge receipt.

  
**(Dr. D.P. Pande)**  
**Executive Director, Health (P)**  
**Railway Board**

**DA: One correction slip.**

1. Chief Medical Directors, All Indian Railways.
2. OSDs/PPSs to MR, MSR(A) and MSR(K).
3. Chief Commissioner of Railway Safety, Lucknow.
4. PSO/OSD to CRB, FC, MS, ME, MM, ML, MT for kind information of the respective Board.
5. Secy. Railway Board, DG/RHS, DG/RPF, EDCC, AM(CE), AM(Works), AM(L&A), ECO ADV., AM(L), Adv. (Staff), Adv. (IR), AM(Budget), AM(S&C), Adviser (Signal), AM(Telecom), AM(Stores), AM(Traffic), AM(COMML), AM(T&C), Adviser (Vig.), EDCE(B&S), EDCE(G), ED(DM), ED(Projects), ED(Track (M), EDTRACK(MC), ED Track(P), ED(Works), EDEE(DEV), EDEE(G), EDEE(RS), ED(RE), ED(ACCOUNTS), EDF(S)EDF(X)I, EDF(X)II, EDF©, EDF(E), ED(PC), ED(STATISTIC & ECONOMICS), EDME(CHG.), EDME(FR), EDME(TR), EDME(DEV), EDME(W), EDE(RRB), EDE(N), EDE(RES), EDE(GC), EDME(TR), EDME (DEV), EDME(W), EDE(RRB), EDE(N), EDE(RES), EDE(GC), ED(T&MPP), ED(C&IS), ED(MIS), EDTT(M), EDTT(S), EDTT(F), ED(PM), ED(PG), EDTC(R) ED(T&C), ED(SAFETY), ED(COACHING), ADVISER (CONFD.) ED(PM), ED(PG), EDTC (R) ED(T&C), ED(SAFETY), ED(COACHING), ADVISER (CONFD.), ED(PM), ED(PG), EDRS (C), EDRS(G), EDRS(P), EDRS(S), ECO, ADV., ED(E&R), ED(PLG), EDV(E), EDV(T), EDV(S), ECO., ADV, ED(E&R), ED(PLG), DIR(I&P), EDV(E), EDV(T), EDV(S), EDV(A).
6. All officers of Health Dte. For information, F(E) Spl. (with 5 spares), ERB-III (with 5 spares) Computer facilitation centre, room no. 5, Near gate No. 1, Rail Bhawan.
7. Director of CTIs, RSC/Baroda, IRICEN/Pune, IRIEEN/Nasik, IRISSET/Secunderabad, IRIMEE/Jamalpur and IRITM/Lucknow.
8. G.M. & FA & CAO, Metro Rail/Kolkata.
9. G.M. & FA & CAO, CORE, Allahabad.
10. The Director General, Railway Staff College, Vadodara.
11. The Managing Director, RITES, IRCON, IREC, CONCOR of India Ltd., Konkan Rly. Corpn. Ltd., Belapur Bhawan, Sector-11, C.B.D. Belapur, Navi Mumbai-400 614, RVNL, Plot No. 25, 1<sup>st</sup> Flr. August Kranti Bhawan, Bhikaji Cama Place, N. Delhi-110066.
12. The Pay & Account Officer, Ministry of Railways (Railway Board).
13. The General Secretary, IRCA/New Delhi.

  
 (Dr. D.P. Pande)

Executive Director, Health (P)  
Railway Board

## Copy to:-

1. Principal Directors of Audit, All Indian Railways (Including Metro Rail Kolkata).
2. Deputy C&AG (Railways), Room No. 224, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.

  
 For Financial Commissioner/Railways

Copy to:-

1. The Secretary/RBSS Group 'A' Officers Association.
2. The Secretary, RBSS Group 'B' Officers Association.
3. The Secretary, Railway Board, Ministerial Staff Association.
4. The Secretary, Railway Board, Group 'D' Employees Association.
5. General Secretary, AIRF, New Delhi. (35 spares).
6. General Secretary, NFIR, New Delhi. (35 spares).
7. General Secretary, RREWA, 490A/16 Gurdwara Road, Gurgaon.
8. The Secretary General, IRPOF, Room No. 268, Rail Bhawan with 10 spares.
9. General Secretary, RPF Association, IInd Floor, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
10. Secretary General, FROA with 10 spares.
11. President, All India Retired Railwaymen's Federation, Building No. 13/9, Vivekanand Housing Society, Guru Mandir Marg, Dombivili (E)-421201.
12. The President, All India Retired Railway Officers' Association, 12.13.268, Sr. No. 15, Tamaka, Secunderabad.
13. The President, AIRRF, Block No. 303, Railway Colony High School, Chilkalguda, Secunderabad 500025(A.P).
14. The President, National Federation of Railway Pensioners, Palghat.
15. The President, National Federation of Railway Pensioners, Chennai.
16. The Members of the National Council, Departmental Council, Departmental Council and Secretary, Staff Side, National Council, 13-C, Ferozeshah Road, New Delhi 9 (with 30 spares).

  
For Secretary/Railway Board

ADVANCE CORRECTION SLIP NO. 2 OF HEALTH/2012

The following amendments may be carried out in Chapter-VI of IRMM-2000 regarding PET Scan investigation.

"Para 664(i) may be inserted below Para 664 as follows:-

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भारत सरकार  
रेल मंत्रालय  
रेलवे बोर्ड

सं. 2011/एच./6-4/पॉलिसी

नई दिल्ली, 12.12.2012.

महाप्रबंधक,

सभी भारतीय रेलें/उत्पादन इकाइयां

**विषय :-**शक्तियों का प्रत्यायोजन- पीईटी स्कैन के लिए रेलवे लाभार्थियों को गैर रेलवे चिकित्सा संस्थानों को रेफर करना।

चिकित्सा निदान में उन्नति होने से, नए तौर-तरीकों को चिकित्सीय जाँचों में शामिल किया जा रहा है। एक ऐसी प्रौद्योगिकी, जिसे बहुत ही तेजी से लगातार इस्तेमाल किया जा रहा है, वह पीईटी स्कैन है।

रेल मंत्रालय ने पीईटी स्कैन की लागत की मंजूरी के लिए शक्तियों का प्रत्यायोजन निम्नानुसार करने का विनिश्चय किया है :-

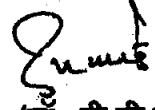
पीईटी स्कैन जाँच के लिए रेल कर्मचारियों को एनएबीएल अधिकृत लैब/ अस्पताल के लिए 21,000/-रु. (केवल इक्कीस हजार रु.) तक और गैर-एनएबीएल अधिकृत लैब/ अस्पतालों के लिए 17,850/- रु. (केवल सतरह हजार आठ सौ पचास रु.) तक की मंजूरी अब से सेंट्रल अस्पताल/मंडलीय अस्पताल/वर्कशॉप अस्पताल/ उत्पादन इकाइयों के मुख्य चिकित्सा निदेशक/चिकित्सा निदेशक/ मुख्य चिकित्सा अधीक्षक/ चिकित्सा अधीक्षक द्वारा दी जाएगी, मुख्य चिकित्सा निदेशक/चिकित्सा निदेशक/ मुख्य चिकित्सा अधीक्षक/ चिकित्सा अधीक्षक या समकक्ष द्वारा इस शक्ति का प्रयोग उपयुक्त रूप से दर्ज की गई प्रक्रिया से विभिन्न विशेषज्ञताओं वाले दो या इससे अधिक वरिष्ठ डॉक्टरों के परामर्श से किया जाएगा।

ऐसे मामले जिनमें पीईटी स्कैन की लागत 21,000/- रु. (एनएबीएल अधिकृत) / या रु.17,850 / - (गैर एनएबीएल द्वारा अधिकृत), की सीमा से अधिक है, को वित्त सलाहकार एवं मुख्य लेखा अधिकारी की विधिवत सहमति से रेल मंत्रालय में भेजा जाना जारी रहेगा।

उपर्युक्त को सक्षम प्राधिकारी की मंजूरी प्राप्त है और इसे रेल मंत्रालय के वित्त निदेशालय की सहमति से जारी किया जा रहा है।

तदनुसार, भारतीय रेल चिकित्सा नियमावली-2000 में पैरा 664 (i) जोड़ने के लिए स्वास्थ्य/2012 की एक अग्रिम शुद्धि पर्ची सं .2... तत्काल संदर्भ के लिए संलग्न है।

कृपया पावती दें।

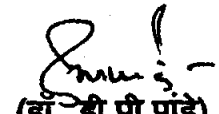
  
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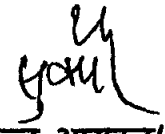
1. मुख्य चिकित्सा निदेशक, सभी भारतीय रेलें।
2. वित्त सलाहकार एवं मुख्य लेखा अधिकारी, सभी भारतीय रेलें।

  
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2. उप नियंत्रक एवं महालेखा परीक्षक (रेलें), कमरा नं. 224, रेल भवन, नई दिल्ली।

  
कृते वित्त आयुक्त/ रेलें

स्वास्थ्य/2012 की अग्रिम शुद्धि पर्ची सं 2

पीईटी स्कैन जांच के संबंध में भारतीय रेल चिकित्सा नियमावली-2000 के अध्याय-IV में निम्नलिखित संशोधन किए जाए:-

" पैरा 664 (i) को पैरा 664 के नीचे निम्नानुसार जोड़ा जाए: -

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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS  
(RAILWAY BOARD)**

**No. 2011/H/6-4/Policy-I**

**New Delhi, Dated 13.12.2012**

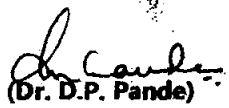
**General Managers,  
All Indian Railways  
(Including Production Units).**

**Subject: - Delegation of powers to General Managers for (a) Reimbursement of medical expenses and (b) Advance payment & referral to non recognized pvt hospital.**  
**Reference:- Railway Board's letter No. 2007/H/6-4/Policy-I dated 26.11.2007 & letter No. 2009/H/6-4/Policy/4 dated 26.10.2009.**

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The matter regarding delegation of powers to General Managers to settle claims of Railway employees for reimbursement of medical expenses in emergency has been examined in detail in Board's office and it has been decided as under:-

- (i) The powers delegated to General Managers of All Indian Railways/Production Units to settle reimbursement claims, submitted by serving/retired Railway employees, of medical expenses incurred on treatment of self and family members/dependants, taken in non-recognized/recognized private hospitals and dispensaries run by philanthropic organizations without proper referral by Authorized Medical Officer (AMO) in emergency situation, are hereby enhanced from existing limits of Rs. 2,00,000/- (Board's letter No. 2005/H/6-4/Policy-I dated 26.11.2007) to Rs. 5,00,000/- (Rupees Five Lakh only) in each case.
  - (ii) The powers delegated to General Managers to refer the emergent cases and to release advance thereof to private non-recognized hospitals have already been enhanced from Rs. 2,00,000/- to Rs. 4,00,000/- (Rupees Four Lakh only) in each case vide Board's letter No. 2009/H/6-4/Policy/4 dated 26.10.2009, if the treatment is neither available at Railway hospital nor at recognized private hospital and provided the employee/beneficiary had specifically been referred to that private non-recognized hospital by AMO. While referring the patient, instructions given in Board's letter No. 2005/H/6-4/Policy-II dated 16.04.2007 should be adhered to.
2. The above delegation to Zonal Railways and Production Units is subject to the fulfillment of norms as prescribed in Railway Board's letter No. 2005/H/6-4/Policy-II dated 31.01.2007 & 22.06.10 being followed. These powers are delegated to the General Managers of Zonal Railways/Production Units only. These powers, however, may not be re-delegated further.
  3. All such cases within the above delegation which are still pending in Board's office or in the zonal Railway/PUs for sanction of competent authority may be processed by the zonal Railways/production units at their end.
  4. Claims over and above the ceiling limits, stipulated in para (1) above and the provisions laid down there under, would continue to be referred to Railway Board for consideration.
  5. This has sanction of Board and issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of Ministry of Railways.
  6. ACS to para 648 of IRMM-2000 is enclosed.

  
(Dr. D.P. Pande)  
**Executive Director, Health (P)  
Railway Board**

**DA: One correction slip.**

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**ADVANCE CORRECTION SLIP FOR AMENDMENT OF PARA 648 OF IRMM, 2000**

**A. Para 648(1) (b) may be replaced as under:**

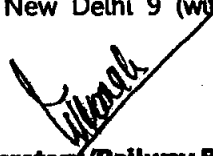
"(b) Upto a limit of Rs. 5,00,000/- (Rupees Five Lakh only) in each case where treatment is taken in Recognized/non-recognized private Hospitals and dispensaries run by philanthropic organisations without proper referral by Authorized Medical Officer(AMO) in emergent circumstances. However, in case of treatment taken in emergent conditions in government hospitals/autonomous bodies, there shall be no limit. All cases above rupees five lakh in private hospitals should be referred to Railway Board along with the Proforma as given in Annexure VI to this Chapter duly filled in all the columns. The above delegation to Zonal Railways and Production Units is subject to the norms prescribed in Railway Board's letter No. 2005/H/6-1/Policy-II dated 31.01.2007.

**B. Para 648 (2) stands deleted.**

( Authority: Board's letter No.2011/H/6-4/policy-I dated 13.12.2012

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4. The Secretary, Railway Board, Group 'D' Employees Association.
5. General Secretary, AIRF, New Delhi. (35 spares).
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7. General Secretary, RREWA, 490A/16 Gurdwara Road, Gurgaon.
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**Government of India  
Ministry of Railways  
(Railway Board)**

**2012/H-1/12/1/Dental/Policy**

**dated/4-12-2012**

**General Managers,  
All Indian Railways/PUs.**

**Sub: Expanding the Dental procedures for Railway beneficiaries and extension to the arrangement relating to provision of reimbursement of expenditure incurred on the Dental treatment.**

**Ref: Board's letter no. 2008/H-1/12/1 dated 17-03-2011.**

The Board have reviewed the Dental treatment facilities being provided to the Railway beneficiaries at present and it has been decided to expand the list of Dental procedures including all the procedures listed under CGHS list (SN.174 to 231 of CGHS/Delhi List) and expenditure on them be reimbursed as per CGHS/Non-NABH (city specific Rates) as the case may be for another two years from 12.09.2012 to 11.09.2014. It may be ensured that reimbursement may be made only as per CGHS prescribed rates. (Copy of the CGHS/Delhi List is attached).

However, this facility would stand withdrawn automatically in case any Railway hospital/health unit is provided with part time/ full time dental surgeon and infrastructure facilities.

This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Dte. of the Ministry of Railways.

  
(Dr. D.P.Pande)

**Executive Director Health (P)  
Railway Board.**

**2012/H-1/12/1/Dental/Policy**

**New Delhi, dated/4-12-2012**

**Copy forwarded to:-**

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2. The FA&CAOs of All Indian Railways/PUs.

  
(Dr. D.P.Pande)

**Executive Director Health (P)  
Railway Board.**

**No.2012/H-1/12/1/Dental/Policy**

**New Delhi, dated/4-12-2012.**

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**For Financial Commissioner/Rly**

**Copy to F(E) Spl. Branch.**

भारत सरकार  
रेल मंत्रालय (रेलवे बोर्ड)

सं.2012/एच-1/12/1/डेन्टल/पॉलिसी  
महाप्रबंधक,  
सभी भारतीय रेलें/उत्पादन इकाइयां।

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक: 14 .12.2012

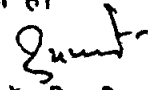
विषय: रेलवे लाभार्थियों के लिए दंत प्रक्रिया का विस्तार करना और दंत चिकित्सा पर  
उपगत खर्च की प्रतिपूर्ति के प्रावधान संबंधी व्यवस्था का विस्तार करना।

संदर्भ: बोर्ड का दिनांक 17.03.2011 का पत्र सं.2008/एच-1/12/1.

बोर्ड ने रेलवे लाभार्थियों को इस समय मुहैया कराई जा रही दंत उपचार सुविधाओं की  
समीक्षा की है और दंत प्रक्रियाओं की सूची, जिसमें के.स.स्वा.यो. की सूची (के.स.स्वा.यो./दिल्ली  
सूची के क्रम सं.174 से 231) के तहत सभी सूचीबद्ध प्रक्रियाएं शामिल हैं, का विस्तार करने और  
उन पर किए गए खर्च की के.स.स्वा.यो./गैर-एनएबीएच (शहर विशिष्ट दरें), जैसा भी मामला हो,  
के अनुसार प्रतिपूर्ति किया जाना 12.09.2012 से 11.09.2014 तक अगले दो वर्षों के लिए जारी  
रखने का विनिश्चय किया है। यह सुनिश्चित किया जाए कि प्रतिपूर्ति केवल के.स.स्वा.यो. की  
निर्धारित दरों के अनुसार ही की जाएगी। (के.स.स्वा.यो./दिल्ली की सूची की एक प्रतिलिपि  
संलग्न है)।

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और मूलभूत सुविधाएं मुहैया करा दी जाती हैं तो यह सुविधा स्वतः वापस ले ली गई मानी  
जाएगी।

इसे रेल मंत्रालय के वित्त निदेशालय की सहमति से जारी किया जा रहा है।

  
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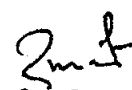
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नई दिल्ली, दिनांक: 14 .12.2012

प्रतिलिपि प्रेषित:-

मुख्य चिकित्सा निदेशक, सभी भारतीय रेलें/उत्पादन इकाइयां।

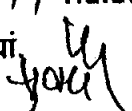
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नई दिल्ली, दिनांक: 14 .12.2012

प्रतिलिपि प्रेषित:- प्रधान लेखा-परीक्षा निदेशक सभी भारतीय रेलें/उत्पादन इकाइयां।

  
कृते वित्त आयुक्त/रेलें

| CGHS DELHI 2010 RATES |                                                                    |                                     |                              |                               |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| S.No.                 | Name of Treatment Procedure                                        | Rates for NABH Accredited Hospitals | Rates for Non-NABH Hospitals | Rates for Super Spl.Hospitals |
| 201                   | Maxillectomy- partial without graft                                | 2875                                | 2500                         |                               |
| 202                   | Release of fibrous bands & grafting -in (OSMF) treatment under GA  | 1725                                | 1500                         |                               |
| 203                   | Pre-prosthetic surgery- Alveoloplasty                              | 575                                 | 500                          |                               |
| 204                   | Pre-prosthetic surgery - ridge augmentation                        | 1500                                | 1275                         |                               |
| 205                   | Root cal Treatment(RCT) Anterior teeth                             | 575                                 | 500                          |                               |
| 206                   | Root cal Treatment(RCT) Posterior teeth                            | 805                                 | 700                          |                               |
| 207                   | Apicoectomy- Single root                                           | 575                                 | 500                          |                               |
| 208                   | Apicoectomy-Multiple roots                                         | 748                                 | 650                          |                               |
| 209                   | Metal Crown-per unit                                               | 575                                 | 500                          |                               |
| 210                   | Metal crown with Acrylic facing per unit                           | 805                                 | 700                          |                               |
| 211                   | Complete single denture-metal based                                | 1725                                | 1500                         |                               |
| 212                   | Complete denture- acrylic based per arch                           | 1093                                | 950                          |                               |
| 213                   | Removable partial denture-Metal based-up to 3 teeth                | 805                                 | 700                          |                               |
| 214                   | Removable partial denture-Metal based-more than 3 teeth            | 1035                                | 900                          |                               |
| 215                   | Removable partial denture-Acrylic based-up to 3 teeth              | 575                                 | 500                          |                               |
| 216                   | Removable partial denture-Acrylic based-more than 3 teeth          | 310                                 | 264                          |                               |
| 217                   | Amalgum restoration-per tooth                                      | 230                                 | 200                          |                               |
| 218                   | Composite Restoration-per tooth-anterior tooth                     | 288                                 | 250                          |                               |
| 219                   | Glas Ionomer-per tooth                                             | 230                                 | 200                          |                               |
| 220                   | Scaling & polishing                                                | 345                                 | 300                          |                               |
| 221                   | Removable Orthodontics appliance- per Arch                         | 805                                 | 700                          |                               |
| 222                   | Fixed Orthodontics-per Arch                                        | 1380                                | 1200                         |                               |
| 223                   | Space maintainers-Fixed                                            | 575                                 | 500                          |                               |
| 224                   | Habit breaking appliances-removable                                | 920                                 | 800                          |                               |
| 225                   | Habit breaking appliances-Fixed                                    | 1725                                | 1500                         |                               |
| 226                   | Expansion plate                                                    | 1150                                | 1000                         |                               |
| 227                   | Feeding appliance for cleft palate                                 | 1725                                | 1500                         |                               |
| 228                   | Maxillo-facial prosthesis (sal/auricular/orbital/facial lost part) | 4025                                | 3500                         |                               |
| 229                   | Functional orthodontic appliances                                  | 3450                                | 3000                         |                               |
| 230                   | Obturator (Maxillo-facial)                                         | 1725                                | 1500                         |                               |
| 231                   | Occlusal night guard(splint)                                       | 920                                 | 800                          |                               |
|                       |                                                                    |                                     |                              |                               |
| 232                   | Pure Tone Audiogram                                                | 173                                 | 150                          |                               |
| 233                   | Impedance with stapedial reflex                                    | 230                                 | 200                          |                               |
| 234                   | SISI Tone Decay                                                    | 135                                 | 115                          |                               |
| 235                   | Multiple hearing assessment test to Adults                         | 115                                 | 100                          |                               |
| 236                   | Speech Discrimination Score                                        | 90                                  | 78                           |                               |
| 237                   | Speech Assessment                                                  | 138                                 | 120                          |                               |
| 238                   | Speech therapy per session of 30-40 minutes                        | 131                                 | 114                          |                               |
| 239                   | Cold Calorie Test for Vestibular function                          | 173                                 | 150                          |                               |
| 240                   | Removal of foreign body From Nose                                  | 345                                 | 300                          |                               |
| 241                   | Removal of foreign body From Ear                                   | 230                                 | 200                          |                               |
| 242                   | Syringing (Ear)                                                    | 166                                 | 144                          |                               |
| 243                   | Polyp removal under LA                                             | 575                                 | 500                          |                               |
| 244                   | Polyp removal under GA                                             | 1150                                | 1000                         |                               |
| 245                   | Peritonsillar abscess drainage under LA                            | 1449                                | 1260                         |                               |
| 246                   | Myringoplasty                                                      | 6900                                | 6000                         |                               |
| 247                   | Stapedectomy                                                       | 9200                                | 8000                         |                               |
| 248                   | Myringotomy with Grommet insertion                                 | 4600                                | 4000                         |                               |
| 249                   | Tympanotomy                                                        | 8625                                | 7500                         |                               |
| 250                   | Tympanoplasty                                                      | 13800                               | 12000                        |                               |
| 251                   | Mastoidectomy                                                      | 14950                               | 13000                        |                               |

| CGHS DELHI 2010 RATES |                                                                                                                |                                     |                              |                               |
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| S.No.                 | Name of Treatment Procedure                                                                                    | Rates for NABH Accredited Hospitals | Rates for Non-NABH Hospitals | Rates for Super Spl.Hospitals |
| 157                   | Pars pla lensectomy with/without IOL                                                                           | 11500                               | 10000                        |                               |
| 158                   | Secondary IOL implantation- AC IOL PC IOL or scleral fixated IOL                                               | 6900                                | 6000                         |                               |
| 159                   | Cataract extraction with IOL with capsular tension rings (Clonni's ring)                                       | 13800                               | 12000                        |                               |
| 160                   | Optic nerve sheathotomy                                                                                        | 11500                               | 10000                        |                               |
| 161                   | Iridodialysis repair or papillary reconstruction                                                               | 5693                                | 4950                         |                               |
| 162                   | Iris cyst removal                                                                                              | 863                                 | 750                          |                               |
| 163                   | Lid Abscess incision and drainage                                                                              | 1725                                | 1500                         |                               |
| 164                   | Orbital Abscess incision and drainage                                                                          | 3220                                | 2800                         |                               |
| 165                   | Biopsy                                                                                                         | 460                                 | 400                          |                               |
| 166                   | Paracentesis                                                                                                   | 230                                 | 200                          |                               |
| 167                   | Scleral graft for scleral melting or perforation                                                               | 2875                                | 2500                         |                               |
| 168                   | Amniotic membrane grafting                                                                                     | 1150                                | 1000                         |                               |
| 169                   | Cyclodiathermy                                                                                                 | 2300                                | 2000                         |                               |
| 170                   | Intraocular foreign body removal                                                                               | 187                                 | 163                          |                               |
| 171                   | Electrolysis                                                                                                   | 230                                 | 200                          |                               |
| 172                   | Perforating injury repair                                                                                      | 4600                                | 4000                         |                               |
| 173                   | Botulinum injection for blepharospasm or squint                                                                | 2933                                | 2550                         |                               |
| 174                   | Flap Operation per quadrant                                                                                    | 414                                 | 360                          |                               |
| 175                   | Gingivectomy per quadrant                                                                                      | 269                                 | 234                          |                               |
| 176                   | Reduction & Immobilisation of fracture- Maxilla Under LA                                                       | 1380                                | 1200                         |                               |
| 177                   | Reduction & Immobilisation of fracture-Mandible Under LA                                                       | 1725                                | 1500                         |                               |
| 178                   | splints/Circum mandibular wiring under LA                                                                      | 587                                 | 510                          |                               |
| 179                   | splints/Circum mandibular wiring under GA                                                                      | 1139                                | 990                          |                               |
| 180                   | Interl wire fixation/plate fixation of Maxilla under LA                                                        | 3450                                | 3000                         |                               |
| 181                   | Interl wire fixation/plate fixation of Maxilla under GA                                                        | 4600                                | 4000                         |                               |
| 182                   | Interl wire fixation/plate fixation of Mandible under LA                                                       | 4600                                | 4000                         |                               |
| 183                   | Interl wire fixation/plate fixation of Mandible under GA                                                       | 5750                                | 5000                         |                               |
| 184                   | Extraction per tooth under LA                                                                                  | 92                                  | 80                           |                               |
| 185                   | Complicated Ext. per Tooth under LA                                                                            | 115                                 | 100                          |                               |
| 186                   | Extraction of impacted tooth under LA                                                                          | 184                                 | 160                          |                               |
| 187                   | Extraction in mentally retarded/patients with systemic diseases/patient with special needs under short term GA | 1105                                | 939                          |                               |
| 188                   | Cyst & tumour of Maxilla /mandible by enucleation/excision/marsupialisation upto 4 cms under LA                | 281                                 | 244                          |                               |
| 189                   | Cyst & tumour of Maxilla/mandible by enucleation/excision/marsupialisation size more than 4 cms under LA       | 467                                 | 406                          |                               |
| 190                   | Cyst & tumour of Maxilla/mandible by enucleation/excision/marsupialisation size more than 4 cms under GA       | 1150                                | 1000                         |                               |
| 191                   | TM joint ankylosis- under GA                                                                                   | 9775                                | 8500                         |                               |
| 192                   | Biopsy Intraoral-Soft tissue                                                                                   | 430                                 | 374                          |                               |
| 193                   | Biopsy Intraoral-Bone                                                                                          | 430                                 | 374                          |                               |
| 194                   | Hemi-mandibulectomy with graft                                                                                 | 5693                                | 4950                         |                               |
| 195                   | Hemi-mandibulectomy without graft                                                                              | 3335                                | 2900                         |                               |
| 196                   | Segmental-mandibulectomy with graft                                                                            | 4543                                | 3950                         |                               |
| 197                   | Segmental-mandibulectomy without graft                                                                         | 1139                                | 990                          |                               |
| 198                   | Maxillectomy- Total with graft                                                                                 | 2875                                | 2500                         |                               |
| 199                   | Maxillectomy- Total without graft                                                                              | 2243                                | 1950                         |                               |
| 200                   | Maxillectomy- partial with graft                                                                               | 3450                                | 3000                         |                               |

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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS  
(RAILWAY BOARD)**

No. 2012/H/28/28

New Delhi, dated 03.10.2012

Chief Medical Director,  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.

**Sub:- Medical Reimbursement claim of Sh. K.L. Luthra, Retd. Sr. Civil Engineer/BH/NDLS for the treatment of his wife at Institute of Liver & Biliary Sciences, New Delhi.**

**Ref:- Northern Railway's letter No. 139-Med/M.R./K.L.L./12/46/2 dated 07.08.2012.**

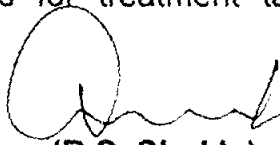
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Railway's proposal has been examined in consultation with the Finance Directorate in the Board's office. In this context, attention is invited to Board's letter No. 2005/H/6-4/Policy dated 20.10.2006. In term of para 648 (I) (a) of IRMM-2000, General Managers of the zones have full powers for reimbursement of medical expenses for treatment taken in Government hospitals.

While examining the case it has been noted with concern that this being a referred case, Railway should have arranged advance payment to the hospital. However, the same has not been done resulting in a situation where the employees has paid hospital bill and claimed reimbursement. Further, the admissible amount proposed for payment in the proposal of Northern Railway has been arrived at by calculating the same at CGHS rates though case is a referred one.

In view of the above observations, it is desired that:-

- (i) Reimbursement may be calculated treating the case as referred one.
- (ii) Saction may issued under powers of General Managers of the zone as GMs have been vested with full power for reimbursement of medical expenses for treatment taken in Government hospitals.

  
(R.S. Shukla) 03/10/12  
Deputy Director, Health  
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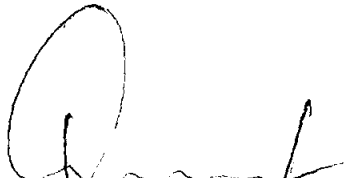
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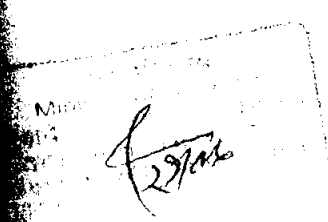
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The issue has been examined in consultation with Finance Directorate of the Board. While examining the issue it has been observed that since the treatment has been taken in 2 separate spells and the payment for the first spell has already been made, the view point of Finance wing of N.E. Railway (that since the amount of 2 spells exceeds Rs. 2 lakh and that it should be approved by Railway Board) is not correct. In view of this, it has been decided that since the amount reimbursable (Rs. 1,35,802.02/-) is under the ceiling of limit of Rs. 2 lakh, the case may be dealt with at the zonal level under the GM's power.

Necessary action in the matter may please be taken in the light of above decision.

  
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Deputy Director/Health  
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**Dr. V.K. Ramteke**  
**DG/RHS**

**D.O. No. 2008/H/28/8**

**New Delhi, Dated 20.04.2012**

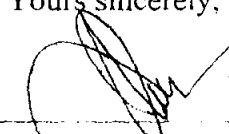
Dear Shri ..... ,

Delay in processing of reimbursements of medical claims leads to dissatisfaction & in some cases court cases also. Recently, a case of abnormal delay in processing of reimbursement claim for medical expenses has come to the notice of Railway Board. The delay forced the employee to file an application before Central Administrative Tribunal which has been decreed against the Railway Administration with cost.

Presumably, such cases would be few & far over the zonal Railways. However, even a single case of this nature is undesirable. I would, therefore, request you to have a thorough scrutiny of all pending cases within your Railway done and ensure that all the cases of Medical reimbursement are dealt/finalized within reasonable time frame from the date of receipt of the claim. An officer from Medical & Account Departments in each division and also in zonal headquarters may be nominated who should be responsible for monitoring and processing of medical reimbursement claims. Cases pending beyond the accepted time limit without justifiable grounds should be dealt with seriously and concerned nominated official be taken up for the delay.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

  
(Dr. V.K. Ramteke)

**General Managers,  
All Indian Railways including PUs.**