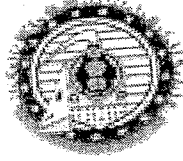


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विषय : Revised pass facilities to the Railway Servants who are  
"Persons with Disabilities" (PwD).


संदर्भ : Railway's Boards Lt.No.E(W)2017/PS5-1/6 Dated: 19.07.2019

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A copy of above referred letter on the subject matter is being forwarded  
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संलग्नक : यथोपरि।

DA : As above.

  
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भारत सरकार GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
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New Delhi, dated 19.07.2019

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The General Managers (P)  
All Zonal Railways &  
Production Units.

The Chief Medical Directors  
All Zonal Railways.

Sub: Revised pass facilities to the Railway Servants who are  
"Persons with Disabilities" (PwD).

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In compliance with the directives of Hon'ble Court of Chief Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan), the provisions governing pass facilities to the railway servants who are "PwD", as contained in the extant Railway Servants (Pass) Rules, 1986 (Second Edition-1993) (RSPR-1986) have been reviewed. In order to make RSPR-1986 compatible with the provisions contained in Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act- 2016 (RPwDA-2016) and the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Rules-2017 (RPwDR-2017), the Competent Authority has accorded his approval for amending the extant provisions of RSPR-1986, as indicated in the enclosed Advance Correction Slip No.80.

Ruling

2. In order to obviate the necessity of mentioning the type of disability on the passes, new definitions have been incorporated in RSPR-1986. Accordingly, "PwD" means a person in whose favour a "Certificate of Disability" (CoD) has been issued in accordance with Chapter-VII of RPwDR-2017, indicating therein the type of disability. Hence, the type of disability indicated in extant RSPR-1986 as well as in the clarifications/administrative instructions issued so far may be read and substituted as "PwD". The Pass Issuing Authorities shall discontinue the practice of mentioning the type of disability on the passes and indicate only as "PwD", wherever necessary.

2.1. It may be noted that existing CoDs would continue to be acceptable as per Rule 20 under Chapter-VII of RPwDR-2017 which inter alia stipulates that CoD issued under the earlier Act shall continue to be valid for the entire period specified therein. Accordingly, without demanding a fresh CoD, the Pass Issuing Authorities shall continue to accept the existing CoD till the expiry of its validity, even if the same is in a different format.

2.2. All categories of railway servants who are "PwD" and as per medical opinion require assistance during travel, may get a Companion (i.e. any person of the choice of railway servant) included in his/her pass on the basis of "Companion Requirement Certificate" (CRC) issued by a Medical Officer not below the rank of Divisional Medical Officer (DMO) in a Railway Hospital. The conditions that would govern such facility on all kinds of passes, including Duty Passes have been stipulated in the newly incorporated Rule 4(3). However, in case of persons with visual imparity in both eyes, companion facility shall continue on the basis of existing CoD till CRC is issued in his/her favour.

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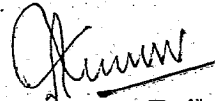
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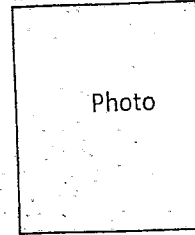
(IV) Provisions to be deleted/substituted in Schedules:

Item No.1 under General Rules relating to Privilege Passes/PTOs of Schedule-II	DELETED
Item No.3(iii) under General Rules relating to Privilege Passes/PTOs of Schedule-II	DELETED
Item No.3(xxv)(1) under the heading General Rules relating to Privilege Passes/PTOs of Schedule-II	Group 'C' Railway servants entitled to Second/Sleeper Class or Second Class 'A' Privilege Passes may be granted Higher Class Pass i.e. First Class Pass with a Companion in the same class, in lieu of their total entitlement of Privilege Passes on the basis of CRC. The number of Higher Class pass will be only one set in a year, even if the railway servant is eligible to three sets of passes per year. Where the entitlement of the railway servant is less than three sets and not less than one set of Privilege Pass, the facility of Higher Class Pass alongwith a Companion in the same Class may, still be allowed.
Item No.3(xxv)(2) under the heading General Rules relating to Privilege Passes/PTOs of Schedule-II	DELETED
Item No.3(xxv)(3) under the heading General Rules relating to Privilege Passes/PTOs of Schedule-II	DELETED
Proviso under Item No.3(xxv)(3) under the heading General Rules relating to Privilege Passes/PTOs of Schedule-II	DELETED
Item No.3(xxvi) under the heading General Rules relating to Privilege Passes/PTOs of Schedule-II	On the basis of CRC, railway servants who are PwD may carry tricycles/wheel-chair in their Privilege Passes within the free luggage allowance permissible. Necessary endorsement to this effect may be made on the pass, as required.

(Authority: Railway Board's letter No.E(W)2017/PS5-1/6 dated 19.07.2019)

**ANNEXURE 'D-1' [See Rule 4(3) (i) & (iii)]\***  
**COMPANION REQUIREMENT CERTIFICATE (CRC)**  
(Applicable for railway servant)

Certificate No. \_\_\_\_\_



This is to certify that I have carefully examined Shri/Smt./Kum. \_\_\_\_\_, serving/served as \_\_\_\_\_ (designation & Railway), holding Certificate of Disability No. \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_, whose photograph is affixed above and found that he/she cannot travel without the assistance of a Companion.

**OR**

This is to certify that I have carefully examined Shri/Smt./Kum. \_\_\_\_\_, serving/served as \_\_\_\_\_ (designation & Railway), holding Certificate of Disability No. \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_, whose photograph is affixed above and found that he/she cannot travel without the assistance of a Companion and is also fully wheel chair dependent for his/her mobility.

2. This Certificate is valid for lifetime (in case of permanent disability).

**OR**

This Certificate is valid upto \_\_\_\_\_ (in case of temporary disability).

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Designation: \_\_\_\_\_

(Seal of Issuing Authority must be affixed)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Note:-

- (i) This Certificate should be issued only by a Medical Officer not below the rank of Divisional Medical Officer in a Railway Hospital.
- (ii) The portions not applicable should be scored out.

**\* Rule 4(3)(i) of Railway Servants (Pass) Rules:**

*If passes specified in clauses (i), (ii), (iv) & (vii) of sub-rule (1) are to be issued to a railway servant who is a PwD, a 'Companion' may be included alongwith other entitled family members/dependent relatives on submission of CRC of railway servant, as prescribed in the format at Annexure 'D-1'.*

**\*Rule 4(3)(iii) of Railway Servants (Pass) Rules:**

Only one 'Companion' will be permitted even if more than one PwD is included in the Pass. However, in case of wheel chaired PwD(s), individual Companion to each wheel-chaired PwD shall be permitted.