

EAST CENTRAL RAILWAY  
**CORRECTION SLIP NO. 13**  
ACCIDENT MANUAL  
(Edition-2007)

The following correction is made and implemented in Accident Manual, Edition-2007.

**On page no. 194**, delete the existing rule **1.** under Appendix-I (B) and insert the following in its place-

**G.S.R. 577(E)**- In exercise of the powers conferred by section 122 of the Railways Act, 1989 (24 of 1989), the Central Government hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Railway (Notices of and Inquiries into Accidents) Rules, 1998, namely:-

**1. Short title and commencement-**

- (1) These rules may be called the Railway (Notices of and Inquiries into Accidents) Amendment Rules, 2019.
- (2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

**Authority:-** Gazette Notification of India G.S.R. 577(E) Ministry of Railways (Railway Board)  
New Delhi, Dated: 19<sup>th</sup> August, 2019

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**(2). On page no. 198**, In the Railway (Notices of and Enquiries into Accidents) Rules, 1998 after rule **9. Power of the Commissioner of Railway Safety** under Appendix-I (B), the following rule is inserted as 9A.

**“9A (1)** The reports containing the names and addresses of the injured victims or persons deceased shall be dispatched to the Principal Bench of the Railway Claims Tribunal. Wherever the names of next of kin of the deceased passengers are known, the said information shall also be furnished to the Principal Bench of the Railway Claims Tribunal.”

**(2) Legal Aid to Claimants or victims of accidents:-** It shall be the duty of the Railway Administration to forward the names of the injured victims or the persons who died in a railway accident to the Principal Bench of the Railway Claims Tribunal for rendering appropriate legal aid for obtaining compensation in the manner provided under the Railway Claims Tribunal Act and to that end, wherever information is available, the names of the next of kin shall also be furnished to the Principal Bench of the Railway Claims Tribunal.”

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All concerned will correct Accident Manual, Edition-2007 of ECR accordingly and the same to be brought to the notice of all officials concerned.

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