



EAST COAST RAILWAY

**Office of the
Chief Commercial Manager
Rail Sadan,
Chandrasekharpur,
Bhubaneswar – 751023**

Commercial Circular No. : **58** (GC) Parcel / 2016

Date. 13.05.2016

Sub: - Attachment of parcel Vans in passenger carrying trains.

Ref: (i) Railway Board's letter no.92/CEDO/SR/4/0 Pt.I dt.23.11.2006.

(ii) Freight Marketing Circular No.16 of 2008 issued vide letter No.2008/TC(FM)/10/12 dated 07.11.2008.

(iii) Freight Marketing Circular no.17 of 2008 issued vide letter No. 2008/TC(FM)/10/13 dated 24.12.2008.

(iv) Freight Marketing Circular No.03 of 2009 issued vide letter no. 2008/TC(FM)/10/12 dated 12.02.2009.

- 1.0 Instructions are already existing to attach leased parcel Van as 25th coach in passenger carrying trains.
- 2.0 Now, representations from zonal railways and several leaseholders have been received in this office regarding attachment of non-leased parcel vans also as 25th coach in passenger carrying trains. The matter has been examined in Board's office and following is decided.
- 3.0 The instructions contained in Freight Marketing Circular No.16 of 2008 under reference (ii) above and Board's letter under reference (iv) above are modified and shall be as follows:

In passenger carrying trains running with 24 coaches, there is permission to attach an inspection Carriage as a 25th Coach as per the provision of Railway Board circular under reference (i) above.

It has now been decided that this provision shall be extended to include a Parcel Van (leased or non- leased) also. Therefore, henceforth the 25th Coach can be an Inspection Carriage or a Parcel Van (leased/ non-leased). The running of 24+1 Parcel Van (leased / non-leased) will however, be subject to concerned CME / CEE (depending upon traction) certifying the adequacy of powering of train.

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4.0 This issues with the approval of Coaching Directorate.

5.0 These instructions will come into force with immediate effect.

6.0 Please acknowledge receipt

All concerned to note and act accordingly

Authority: Railway Board's letter No.2016/TC(FM)/10/09 dated 12.05.2016 (FM Circular No. 02 of 2016)



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Dy. Chief Commercial Manager (Claims &Freight)

No.CCM/432 /Parcel & Luggage/09

Dt. 13.05.2016

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