

EAST COAST RAILWAY

Office of the  
Principal Chief Commercial Manager  
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C.S.Pur, Bhubaneswar-17

Commercial Circular No.204(G)/2020

Date:31.08.2020

**Sub: Transportation Product – Mini Rakes.**

- Ref:1.**Rates Master Circular on Block Rakes / Mini Rake / Two Point Combination etc./2020 {circulated vide this office Commercial Circular No.154(G)/2020 dated 02.07.2020} and its Corrigendum No.3, circulated vide this office Commercial Circular No.202(G)/2020 dated 27.08.2020.
- 2.** Railway Board's Corrigendum No.30 to Rates Master Circular dated 14.07.2016 on Block Rakes / Mini Rake/Two Point Combination etc., circulated vide this office Commercial Circular No.83(G)/2020 dated 16.04.2020

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A copy of Railway Board's letter No.TCR/1078/2020/Mini Rake/3327060 dated 28.08.2020 (Corrigendum No.4 to Rates Master Circular on Block Rakes / Mini Rake / Two Point Combination etc./2020) regarding "Transportation Product – Mini Rakes" is enclosed herewith for information and necessary action.

All concerned to note and act accordingly.

Authority:Railway Board's letter No. TCR/1078/2020/Mini Rake/3327060 dated 28.08.2020 (Corrigendum No.4 to Rates Master Circular on Block Rakes / Mini Rake / Two Point Combination etc./2020).

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(H.L. Luwang)

Dy.Chief Commercial Manager(FS)

Date 31.08.2020

No. PCCM/269/TL/Pt.IV

All Station Managers/ Goods Supervisors/Commercial Supervisors /Siding Clerks / Booking Clerk in Charges / Weigh Bridge Clerks / Clerk in Charges / City Booking Agencies / Out Agencies.

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**PCOM:** ECoR/SER/SECR/NR/NFR/ER/SR/; SCR/WR/NER/CR/SWR/NCR/NWR/WCR/ECR/KRly.. **SDGM/ECoR/BBS, Chairman/RCT/BBS, Dy.CVO(T)/ECoR/BBS, Dy.COM(FOIS)/ECoR/BBS, PO/RCT/BBS, CAO(FOIS)/NDLS, Audit officer/BBS.** Rates Section /CCM/ECoR/BBS –10 sets **DRM:** KUR,WAT,SBP/ECoR, **Sr.DOM-** KUR,WAT,SBP/ECoR, **CAO(FOIS), CRIS/NDLS, Sr.DCM :** KUR,WAT/SBP/ECoR. **Dy.CCM(Claims)/E.Co.Rly, PFA :** E.Co.Rly, **FA & CAO(T)/ECoR/BBS Traffic Manager:** VZP, Paradeep Port Trust / Paradeep.

  
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Corrigendum No. 04 to Rates Master Circular  
on Block Rakes/Mini Rake/Two Point Combination etc./2020

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

No.TCR/1078/2020/Mini Rake/3327060

New Delhi, dated 28.08.2020

General Managers,  
All Indian Railways.

**Sub: Transportation Product - Mini Rakes**

**Ref:** Rates Master Circular on Block Rakes/Mini Rake/Two Point Combination etc./2020 and its Corrigendum No.3 dated 27.08.2020. Corrigendum No.30 to Rates Master Circular dated 14.07.2016 on Block Rakes/Mini Rake/Two Point Combination etc.

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1. Reference above, the Competent Authority has decided to issue following guidelines in supersession to Corrigendum No.3 dated 27.08.2020 to Rates Master Circular on Block Rakes/Mini Rake/Two Point Combination etc./2020.
2. In terms of Corrigendum No.30 to Rates Master Circular dated 14.07.2016 on Block Rakes/Mini Rake/Two Point Combination etc., mini rakes are allowed to be loaded in covered wagons up to a distance of 1500km till 30.09.2020.
3. Requests for permitting mini rakes beyond 1500km have been examined and the Competent Authority has decided to permit mini rakes to be loaded in covered wagons for distances beyond 1500km irrespective of inter-zonal or intra-zonal traffic (*refer condition 5 of para 4.0 of above referred RMC.../2020*) subject to conditions that this relaxation shall exclude TEFD traffic.
4. The subject movement shall be charged as under:

Distance for Mini Rake	Charging
Up to 1500 km	At trainload class rate
Beyond 1500 km up to 2000 km	Trainload class Base freight for total distance + supplementary charge @7.5% on difference of base freight of respective distance and base freight of 1500km.
Beyond 2000 km	Trainload class Base freight for total distance + supplementary charge @7.5% on difference of base freight of 2000km and base freight of 1500km + supplementary charge @10% on difference of base freight of distance beyond 2000km and base freight of 2000km.

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5. Calculation illustration is attached.
6. All other terms and conditions for mini rake movement shall remain the same.
7. These instructions shall come into force with immediate effect and shall remain valid till 30.09.2020.
8. This issues in consultation with Traffic Transportation and with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.

DA: as above

*Shilpi Bishnoi*  
28.08.2020  
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Director, Traffic Commercial (Rates)  
Railway Board.

No.TCR/1078/2020/Mini Rake/3327060

New Delhi, dated 28.08.2020

**Copy to:**

- 1.) Principal Financial Advisers, All Indian Railways.
- 2.) Deputy C&AG (Railways), Room No. 224, Rail Bhawan.

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28.8.2020  
for Financial Commissioner/Railways

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New Delhi, dated 28.08.2020

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- 2) Principal Chief Commercial Managers, All Indian Railways
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- 4) Managing Director, Konkan Railway Corporation, Belapur Bhavan, Plot No. 6, Sector-11, CBD Belapur Navi Mumbai – 400014.
- 5) Director General, RDSO, Manak Nagar, Lucknow.
- 6) Director General, Railway Staff College, Vadodara.
- 7) Director, Indian Railway Institute of Transport Management (IRITM), Manak Nagar, Lucknow.
- 8) Managing Director, DFC JIL, Pragati Maidan, New Delhi.

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**Illustration**

Calculation sheet for freight charging in Mini Rake

Commodity Name: Foodgrain (Class: 130A)		Type of Wagon : BCNA
<b>upto 1500</b>		
Particulars		
<b>Freight for Actual Distance in Kms (for example)</b>		<b>1500 Km</b>
Base Freight Rate for Actual distance	1	1785.90
Busy Season charge 15% (at present withdrawn)	2	0.00
No Supplementary charge	3	0.00
Normal Tariff Rate (in )	4=1+2+3	1785.90
Development charge 5%	5=5% of 4	89.30
<b>Freight per tonne (in )</b>	<b>6=4+5</b>	<b>1875.20</b>
Chargeable weight	7	64
Rake size	8	20
Total tonnage (in tonnes)	9=7*8	1280
<b>Total Freight per Rake (in )</b>	<b>10 = 6*9</b>	<b>24,00,249.60</b>

<b>From 1501 to 2000 Km</b>		
Particulars		
<b>Freight for Actual Distance in Kms (for example)</b>		<b>1800 Km</b>
Base freight for 1500 km	1	1785.90
Base freight for Actual distance	2	2101.10
Difference of Base freight (Actual distance - 1500 km)	3	315.20

Base Freight Rate for Actual distance	4	2101.10
Busy Season charge 15% (at present withdrawn)	5	0.00
Supplementary charge @7.5% on difference of Base freight of actual distance and base freight of 1500 km	6=7.5% of 3	23.64
Normal Tariff Rate (in )	7=4+5+6	2124.74
Development charge 5%	8=5% of 7	106.24
<b>Freight per tonne (in )</b>	<b>9=7+8</b>	<b>2230.98</b>
Chargeable weight for BCNA	10	64
Rake size	11	20

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Total tonnage (in tonnes)	12=10*11	1280
Total Freight per Rake (in )	13 = 9*12	28,55,650.56

Beyond 2000 Km		
Particulars		
Freight for Actual Distance in Kms (for example)		2500 KM
Base freight for 1500	1	1785.90
Base freight for 2000 Km	2	2241.1
Base freight rate for Actual distance	3	2545.80
Difference of Base freight (2000km - 1500 km)	4=2-1	455.20
Difference of Base freight (Actual distance - 2000 km)	5=3-2	304.70

Base Freight Rate for Actual distance	6	2545.80
Busy Season charge 15% (at present withdrawn)	7	0.00
Supplementary charge @7.5% on difference of Base freight (2000 Km-1500KM) Supplementary charge @ 10% on difference of Base freight Base freight (actual distance - 2000 km)	8={{(4*7.5% ) +(5*10%)}}	64.61
Normal Tariff Rate (in )	9=6+7+8	2610.41
Development charge 5%	10=5% of 9	130.52
Freight per tonne (in )	11=9+10	2740.93
Chargeable weight for BCNA	12	64
Rake size	13	20
Total tonnage (in tonnes)	14=12*13	1280
Total Freight per Rake (in )	15 =11*14	35,08,391.04

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