

## EAST COAST RAILWAY



प्रधान मुख्य कार्मिक अधिकारी का कार्यालय/  
Office of the Principal Chief Personnel Officer  
रेल सदन, द्वितीय तल, भुवनेश्वर- 751017  
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स्थापनाक्रमांक/Estt. Srl. No. 99/2021  
पूतरे/कार्मिक/आर/ECOR/Pers/R/Allowance

RBE No. 49/2021  
Date: 17.08.2021

सेवा मे,

सभी प्रमुख विभागाध्यक्षों/समन्वयक विभागाध्यक्षों, पूतरे/भुवनेश्वर  
मं.रे.प्र/व.मं.का.अधिकारी/मं.का.अधिकारी-खोरधा रोड, बालतेरू, संबलपुर,  
मु.कारखाना प्रबंधक/कारखाना कार्मिक अधिकारी- मंचेश्वर, अतिरिक्त रजिस्ट्रार/रेल दावा अधिकरण,  
उ.मु.का अधिकारी(नि.)/भुवनेश्वर  
महासचिव/इकोर थ्र. कां., महासचिव/इकोर थ्र. यू.,  
महासचिव/एआईओबीसीआरईए, महासचिव/ एआईएससीएसटीआरईए

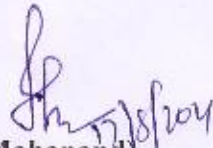
**Sub: Clarifications on Children Education Allowance (CEA) during COVID-19 epidemic Lockdown period.**

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उपर्युक्त विषय पर रेलवे बोर्ड पत्र सं. E(W)2017/ED-2/3 दिनांक 12.08.2021 की प्रतिलिपि सूचना, मार्गदर्शन एवं आवश्यक कार्रवाई हेतु अग्रेषित है।

A copy of Railway Board's letter No. E(W)2017/ED-2/3 dated 12.08.2021 on the above quoted subject is forwarded herewith for information, guidance and necessary action.

**Encl: As above,**

  
(H.K. Mahanand)  
Senior Personnel Officer-I  
For Principal Chief Personnel Officer

प्रतिलिपिप्रेषित/Copy to :

- 1) महाप्रबंधककेसचिव/पूर्वतटरेलवे, भुवनेश्वर
- 2) मुकाधि/मुकाधि(प्रशा.), उपम.प्र, अध्यक्ष(रेलवेभर्तीप्रकोष्ठ)
- 3) उपमुख्यप्रबंधक(सू.प्रौ), उपमुकाधि(औ.सं.एवंकल्याण), वकाधि(इंजी.)
- 4) वकाधि(स्टाफ), वकाधि(मुख्या. एवंन्याया.)
- 5) मुकाधिकेनिजीसचिव/सहा.कार्मिकअधि.(मुख्या.),सहा.कार्मिकअधि(कल्याण), सहा.कार्मिकअधि.(बिल),

RBE No.49/2021  
PC-VII No.172

भारत सरकार Government of India  
रेल मंत्रालय Ministry of Railways  
रेलवे बोर्ड (Railway Board)

No. E(W)2017/ED-2/3

New Delhi, dated: 12.08.2021

The General Manager(P)  
All Indian Railways and  
Production Units.


Sub : Clarifications on Children Education Allowance(CEA) during Covid-19  
epidemic Lockdown period.

Please refer to Railway Board's letter of even number dated 13.08.2018 circulating therewith consolidated instructions on the subject of Children Education Allowance (CEA) & Hostel Subsidy to Government Servants.

2. Now Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel & Training) vide their OM No.A-27012/02/2017-Estt.(AL) dated 01.07.2021 have issued a clarification on Children Education Allowance during COVID-19 epidemic Lockdown period (copy enclosed). The same is circulated herewith for guidance of all concerned. These instructions shall apply mutatis-mutandis to Railway employees.

Please acknowledge receipt.

DA: As above

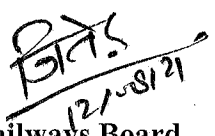
  
12/08/2021.  
(Ashutosh Garg)  
Dy. Director Estt.(Welfare)II  
Railway Board

No.E(W)2017/ED-2/3

New Delhi, dated : 12.08.2021

Copy to :

The Deputy Comptroller and Auditor General of India (Railways), Room No.224, Rail Bhavan,  
New Delhi(with 40 spares)

  
12/08/21  
for Member(Finance)/Railways Board

Copy forwarded to:-

1. Director (GA), Railway Board.
2. Cash-I,II, III & PAO, Railway Board.
3. As per standard list.

Copy also forwarded for information to:-

1. The General Secretary, NFIR, Room No.256-E, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
2. The General Secretary, AIRF, Room No.253, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. The Members of the National Council, Departmental Council and Secretary Staff Side, National Council, 13-C, Firoze Shah Road, New Delhi.
4. The Secretary General, FROA, Room No.256-A, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
5. The Secretary General, IRPOF, Room No.268, 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 General Secretary, RBSSSA, Room No.439, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
9. The Secretary, Railway Board Promotee Officers Association, Room No. 341-C, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
10. The Secretary, Railway Board Ministerial Staff Association, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
11. The Secretary, Railway Board Class IV Staff Association, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
12. The Secretary General, All India RPF Association, Room No.256-D, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
13. The General Secretary, All India SC/ST Railway Employees Association, Room No.7, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
14. The General Secretary, All India O.B.C. Railway Employee's Federation (AIOBCREF), Room No.48, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.

  
12.8.21  
for Secretary/Railway Board

No.A-27012/02/2017-Estt.(AL)  
Government of India  
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions  
Department of Personnel & Training

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Block-IV, Old JNU Campus, New Delhi.  
Dated: 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2021

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Subject: Clarifications on Children Education Allowance (CEA) during COVID-19 epidemic Lockdown period.**

This Department has been receiving several references/queries from Central Government employees stating that in the prevailing pandemic situation, result/report cards were not sent to the parents by the School through SMS/email, and fee is also being deposited online, and the parents are having difficulty in claiming CEA.

2. The matter has been considered and it has been decided that in relaxation of para 2(b) of this Department's OM No.A-27012/02/2017-Estt.(AL) dated 17<sup>th</sup> July, 2018, the CEA claims may also be considered through a self-certification made from the concerned employees or through printout of e-mail/SMS of result/report card/fee payment, in addition to the prescribed modes of claims only for the academic years ending March, 2020 and March, 2021.

3. Cases already settled in favour of the Central Government servant need not be reopened.

Hindi version will follow.



(Sunil Kumar)

Under Secretary to the Government of India  
Tel:26164316

To

1. Ministries/Departments of the Government of India.
2. NIC with a request to upload the OM on the website of DoPT.