

EAST COAST RAILWAY

Office of the
Principal Chief Commercial Manager
Bhubaneswar

Commercial Circular No.319(G)/2024

Date:19.09.2024

Sub: Commercial notification for migration of 04 BTAP rakes of M/s Vedanta Limited from LWIS to LSFTO Scheme – Reg.

Ref:(i) Railway Board's letter No.2008/TC(FM)/4/11 dtd.13.06.2016 and addendum thereto.

(ii) PCCM/ECOR's Commercial Circular No.127(G)/2017 dtd.10.08.2017, No.158(G)/2017 dtd.06.10.2017, No.211(G)/2018 dtd.06.11.2018, No.79(G)/2019 dtd.09.05.2019, No.115(G)/2020 dtd.19.05.2020, No.61(G)/2021 dtd.19.02.2021, No.344(G)/2021 dtd.05.10.2021 and No.55(G)/2023 dtd.21.02.2023.

(iii) Railway Board's Freight Marketing Master Circular/LSFTO/2020/0 dtd.16.03.2020.

(iv) Railway Board's FM Circular No.01 of 2022 dtd.18.01.2022. (Amendment No.3 to LSFTO Master Circular-2020)

(v) Railway Board's letter No.2008/TC(FM)/4/11(e-3000167) dtd.29.03.2024.

- 1) On the authority of Railway Board's letter under reference-(i), this railway has executed LWIS Agreement No.FM/LWIS/VEDL/BTAP/2016/1 dtd.06.12.2016, Supplementary Agreement No.FM/LWIS/VEDL/BTAP/2016/1/SUPPL AGRMNT dtd.05.02.2019, 2nd Supplementary Agreement No.FM/LWIS/VEDL/BTAP/2016/1/SUPPL AGRMNT 02 dtd.19.05.2020, 3rd Supplementary Agreement No.FM/LWIS/VEDL/BTAP/2016/1/SUPPL AGRMNT 03 dtd.17.02.2021, 4th Supplementary Agreement No.FM/LWIS/VEDL/BTAP/2016/1/SUPPL AGRMNT 04 dtd.04.10.2021 and 5th Supplementary Agreement No.FM/LWIS/VEDL/BTAP/2016/1/SUPPL AGRMNT 05 dtd.20.02.2023 with M/s Vedanta Limited for movement of commodity "Alumina" in 04 BTAP rakes (including 4% spare wagons) and 04 Brake Vans under LWIS policy.
- 2) Vide Commercial Circulars under reference-(ii), 04 BTAP rakes of M/s Vedanta Limited have been notified under Liberalized Wagon Investment Scheme (LWIS) in ECoR system for various close circuits (loading/unloading points) and commodity as stipulated therein. Details are given as under:

Sl No	Name of Customer	Rake	FOIS Agreement ID	Wagon Type	Total no. of Wagons	No. of Brake Vans	Validity From	Validity To	Commodity	Rate of Rebate
1	M/s Vedanta Limited	1 st	ECOVEDL27 0520191414	BTAP	53	01	10.08.2017	09.08.2037	Alumina	15%
2		2 nd	ECOVEDL28 0520191006		53	01	06.10.2017	05.10.2037		15%
3		3 rd	ECOVEDL29 0520191002		53	01	06.11.2018	05.11.2038		15%
4		4 th	ECOVEDL30 0520190940		53	01	09.05.2019	08.05.2039		15%

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- 3) Railway Board vide letter No.2008/TC(FM)/4/11(e-3000167) dtd.29.03.2024 {reference-(v)} have granted approval for migration of 04 BTAP rakes (out of total approval of 14 BTAP rakes) of M/s Vedanta Limited in ECoR system from LWIS to LSFTO Scheme in terms of Railway Board's FM Circular No.01 of 2022 dtd.18.01.2022 – Amendment No.3 to LSFTO Master Circular-2020 {reference-(iv)}. Accordingly, 04 BTAP rakes and 04 Brake vans of M/s Vedanta Limited currently are operating under Liberalized Wagon Investment Scheme (LWIS) have to be migrated to Liberalized Special Freight Train Operator (LSFTO) Scheme for the remaining concessional period.
- 4) Consequently, this railway has executed Supplementary Agreement No.PCCM/ECoR/LSFTO/VEDL/BTAP/2016/1/SUPPL AGRMNT 06 dtd.17.09.2024 to original / main LWIS Agreement No.FM/LWIS/VEDL/BTAP/2016/1 dtd.06.12.2016 to effect the said migration.
- 5) The details of remaining concessional period @ 12 % freight rebate under LSFTO Scheme with effect from 19.09.2024 is as under:

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1	M/s Vedanta Limited	1 st	ECOVEDL270520191414	BTAP	53	01	19.09.2024	09.08.2037	Alumina	12%
2		2 nd	ECOVEDL280520191006		53	01	19.09.2024	05.10.2037		12%
3		3 rd	ECOVEDL290520191002		53	01	19.09.2024	05.11.2038		12%
4		4 th	ECOVEDL300520190940		53	01	19.09.2024	08.05.2039		12%

All other terms and conditions of commercial circulars under reference will remain unchanged.

All concerned to note and act accordingly.


Authority: Railway Board's letter No.2008/TC(FM)/4/11(e-3000167) dtd.29.03.2024 & Railway Board's FM Circular No.01 of 2022 dtd.18.01.2022 (Amendment No.3 to LSFTO Master Circular-2020).


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No.PCCM/LWIS/BTAP/VEDL/2016/LSFTO/Pt-II
Dt.19.09.2024
All Station Managers/ Goods Supervisors/Commercial Supervisors /Siding Clerks / Booking Clerk in Charges / Weigh Bridge Clerks / Clerk in Charges.

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


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