

EAST COAST RAILWAY

Office of the
Pr.Chief Commercial Manager
1st Floor, Rail Sadan
C.S.Pur, Bhubaneswar-17

Commercial Circular No.129(G)/2025

Date:03.04.2025

Sub: Charging penalty for 'Out of Order' condition of weighbridges installed at the siding – Amendment no.2 to FM Circular No.11/2016.

Ref:(i) FM Circular no. 18 of 2018 vide Board letter of even no dated 14.06.2018
(Circulated vide this office Commercial Circular No.126(G)/2018 dated 25.06.2018)

(ii) Railway Board's letter No.2021/TC(FM)/14/04 dated 08.09.2022 (Circulated vide this office Commercial Circular No.286(G)/2022 dated 09.09.2022)

A copy of Railway Board's letter No.2018/TC(FM)/18/11 dated 01.04.2025 regarding "Out of Order" condition of weighbridges installed at the siding is enclosed herewith for information and necessary action.

All concerned to please note and ensure compliance with the provisions notified through this Circular.

Authority: Railway Board's letter No. 2018/TC(FM)/18/11 dated 01.04.2025

Encl: As above (02 pages)

Preeti
03/04/2025
(Preeti Rana)

Dy.Chief Commercial Manager (FS)

No.PCCM/225/IWB/Pt.XIII

Date: 03.04.2025

Copy forwarded to:

All Station Managers/ Goods Supervisors/Parcel Supervisors/Commercial Supervisors /Siding Clerks / Booking Clerk in Charges / Weigh Bridge Clerks / Clerk in Charges / Commercial Movement Inspectors.

Copy for information and necessary action to the:-

PCOM: ECoR,**SDGM**/ECoR/BBS,**Chairman**/RCT/BBS,**Dy.CVO(T)**/ECoR/BBS,**PO/RCT**/ECoR/BBS,**Dy.COM(FOIS)**/ECoR/BBS,**PCME**/BBS,**Audit officer**/BBS.**DRM:** KUR,WAT,SBP/ECoR, **Sr.DOM**KUR,WAT,SBPECoR,**Sr.DCM:**KUR,WAT/ SBP/ECoR.**Dy.CCM(Claims)**/E.Co.Rly.**FA & CAO** :E.Co.Rly , **FA & CAO(T)** / ECoR/BBS, **Traffic Manager:** VZP, Traffic Manager/ Paradeep PortTrust/Paradeep.

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

No. 2018/TC(FM)/18/11

रेल भवन, नई दिल्ली - 110001
Rail Bhavan, New Delhi - 110 001, dated 01.04.2025

Pr. Chief Commercial Manager,
South Eastern Railway,
Garden Reach, Kolkata

Sub:- Charging penalty for 'Out of Order' condition of weighbridges installed at the siding - Amendment no. 2 to FM Circular No. 11/2016

Ref:- i) South Eastern Railway's letters no. RA.47//Proposal/RB Policy/18017 dated 16.01.2024
ii) FM Circular no. 18 of 2018 issued vide Board letter of even no. dated 14.06.2018.

Railway Board is in receipt of South Eastern Railway's letters mentioned under reference above, vide which the Railway has requested for extending the existing timeline of 3 days for weighbridge rectification to 7 days considering the time taken in actual process from reporting a failure to full correction and stamping by the State Weights & Measures department. It is clarified that FM Circular 18 of 2018 issued after deliberation by Committee of EDs will remain in force.

2. In this regard, it is clarified that "if a Weighbridge has been installed, commissioned and being operated, compliant to all instructions of weighbridges in a Private Siding, and if the weighbridge remains out of order for more than three days, the Nodal Officer for the Siding may decide the period for imposition of penalty as per the policy, duly taking into consideration the gap between the time when party communicated in writing regarding the fitness of in-motion weighbridge and the time when the test wagons were provided by railway as well as taking in to consideration the facts that whether the reasons for the delay are beyond the control of Siding owners. For dealing such cases, the zone may come out with SOP to deal weighbridge related issues under the overall ambit of siding policy."

3. Health of Weigh Bridges (make wise) must be monitored on regular basis by the Divisions. Monthly report shall be given in the format attached to PCCM. Quarterly report must be forwarded to RDSO by PCME so that RDSO can take necessary action on bad performing Vendors.

Zonal Railway may take action accordingly.

Encl: As above



(Ashutosh Mishra)
Director / Freight Marketing
Railway Board
01.04.2025

Copy to - PCCM (except SER) and PCME of all Zonal Railways.

Working of EIMWB

Period

Location	Make of EIMWB	Working Days	Non-Working Days	% of working days


01.04.2025
DFM