

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(RAILWAY BOARD)**

No. 2011/H/6-4/Policy I

New Delhi, Date 24.09.2013

**General Manager,
All Indian Railways including PUs.**

Sub:- Delegation of powers to DRMs, AGMs, and GMs for sanction of expenses of treatment of Railway Beneficiaries.

The issue of further delegation of powers to DRMs, AGMs and GMs in the matter of sanction of medical advance, referral of Railway beneficiaries for non-recognised hospitals and sanction of medical reimbursement to the Railway beneficiaries has been engaging attention of Ministry of Railways for some time. After careful consideration in the matter and in super-cession of all existing instructions issued from time to time relating to sanction of advance/referral of beneficiaries to non-recognised private hospitals and reimbursement of expenses incurred on treatment taken in emergency, the following delegation has been approved by the competent authority:-

Medical Advance

Authority	Delegated Powers
DRMs-	To sanction referral in emergency to Govt. Hospitals including Autonomous body hospitals* and Medical Advance upto Rs. 50,000/- in each case.
AGMs-	I. To sanction referral of patients in emergency to private non-recognized hospitals with sanction of advance upto Rs. 4 Lakhs in each case. II. Without any Financial ceiling limit if the patient is to be referred to a Government Hospital including Autonomous body* hospitals.
GMs-	I. To sanction referral of patients in emergency to private non-recognized hospitals with sanction of advance upto Rs. 5 Lakhs in each case. II. Without any financial ceiling limit if the patient is to be referred to a Government Hospital including Autonomous body* hospitals. III. To referral of patients for kidney transplant in

	Government /non- recognized private hospitals with sanction of advance upto Rs. 5 lakhs in each case subject to the condition that the amount to be sanctioned should not exceed CGHS package rate applicable in the city where the hospital is located.
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Medical Reimbursement

Authority	Delegated Powers
DRMs-	I. To sanction reimbursement upto Rs.25,000/- per case, without any annual ceiling limit, for treatment undertaken in emergency in private non-recognized hospitals. II. To sanction reimbursement upto Rs.50,000/- per case, for treatment undertaken in emergency in Government including Autonomous body* hospitals, without any annual ceiling limit.
AGMs-	To sanction medical reimbursement upto Rs. 4 lakh, for treatment taken in non-recognized private hospitals, and without any limit for Government hospitals including Autonomous body* hospitals in emergency.
GMs-	To sanction medical reimbursement upto Rs.5 lakh, for treatment taken in non-recognized private hospitals, and without any limit for Government hospitals including Autonomous body* hospitals in emergency.

* Autonomous body hospitals are those hospitals fully funded from Govt. Funds but given autonomy for administrative purposes like AIIMS,NIMS(Hyderabad).

- 2) The above delegation to Zonal Railways and Production Units is subject to the fulfilment of norms as prescribed in Railway Board's letter No. 2005/H/6-4/Policy-II dated 31.01.2007 & 22.06.2010 being followed. These powers are delegated to the DRMs, AGMs & General Managers of Zonal Railways/Production Units only. These powers, however, may not be re-delegated further.
- 3) All such cases within the above delegation, which are still pending in Board's office or in the Zonal Railway/PUs for sanction of competent authority, may be processed by the Zonal Railways/Production units at their end.

- 4) Claims over and above the ceiling limits, stipulated in para (1) above the provisions laid down there under, would continue to be referred to Railway Board for consideration.
- 5) This has sanction of Board and issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of Ministry of Railways.
- 6) ACS to para 648 and 651 of IRMM-2000 is enclosed.

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1. **Principal Director of Audit of All Indian Railways(including production Unit).**
2. **Deputy Comptroller and Auditor General of India(Railways), Room No. 224, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.**

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24.9.13

For Financial Commissioner/Railways.

Advance Correction slip for amendment of Para 648 of IRMM 2000.

The power of GM/AGM/DRM for sanction of medical reimbursement claim for treatment taken in an emergency is as following:-

Authority	Delegated Powers
DRMs-	<p>I. To sanction reimbursement upto Rs.25,000/- per case, without any annual ceiling limit, for treatment undertaken in emergency in private non-recognized hospitals.</p> <p>II. To sanction reimbursement upto Rs.50,000/- per case, for treatment undertaken in emergency in Government including Autonomous body* hospitals, without any annual ceiling limit.</p>
AGMs-	To sanction medical reimbursement upto Rs. 4 lakh, for treatment taken in non-recognized private hospitals, and without any limit for Government hospitals including Autonomous body* hospitals in emergency.
GMs-	To sanction medical reimbursement upto Rs.5 lakh, for treatment taken in non-recognized private hospitals, and without any limit for Government hospitals including Autonomous body* hospitals in emergency.

Advance Correction slip for amendment of Para 651 of IRMM 2000.

The power of GM/AGM/DRM for sanction of medical advance is as following:-

Authority	Delegated Powers
DRMs-	To sanction referral in emergency to Govt. Hospitals including Autonomous body hospitals* and Medical Advance upto Rs. 50,000/- in each case.
AGMs-	<p>I. To sanction referral of patients in emergency to private non-recognized hospitals with sanction of advance upto Rs. 4 Lakhs in each case.</p> <p>II. Without any Financial ceiling limit if the patient is to be referred to a Government Hospital including Autonomous body* hospitals.</p>
GMs-	<p>I. To sanction referral of patients in emergency to private non-recognized hospitals with sanction of advance upto Rs. 5 Lakhs in each case.</p> <p>II. Without any financial ceiling limit if the patient is to be referred to a Government Hospital including Autonomous body* hospitals.</p> <p>III. For referral of patients for kidney transplant in Government /non- recognized private hospitals with sanction of advance upto Rs. 5 lakhs in each case subject to the condition that the amount to be sanctioned should not exceed CGHS package rate applicable in the city where the hospital is located.</p>

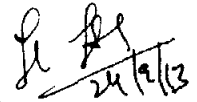
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- 1 Chief Medical Directors and MSS' All Indian Railways (Including Pus)
- 2 Computer facilitation Centre, Room No. 5, Near Gate No.1, Rail Bhawan.
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- 4 General Manager & FA&CAO, Metro Rail/Kolkata.
- 5 General Manager &FA&CAO, CORE, Allahabad.
- 6 The Director General, Railway Staff College, Vadodara.
- 7 The managing Director, RITES, New Delhi House, 27, Barakhamba Road, New Delhi and (b) IRCON Patika Bhawan, Sector XIII, R.K. Puram, New Delhi. (c) CRIS, Safdarjung Railway Station, Chankyapuri, New Delhi. (d) IRFC (e), CONCOR of India, Ltd., Konkan Railway Corpn. Ltd. Belapur Bhawan Sector-11, CBD Belapur, Navi Mumbai, NVNL, Plot No. 25, 1st Floor, August Kranti Bhawan, Bhikaji Cama Place, New Delhi-110066.
- 8 The General Secretary, IRCA/New Delhi.
- 9 The Secretary, Railway Board, Promotee Officers Association, Room No.341-C, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 10 Director General RDSO, Lucknow.
- 11 The Director (a) IRIEEN, Nasik, (b) IRCEN, Pune (c) IRIMEE, Lamalpur (d) IRISSET, Secunderabad.
- 12 The Chairman, RCC, Lok Sabha Secretariat, New Delhi.
- 13 The Chairman, RRT, Chennai.
- 14 The Chairman, RCT.
- 15 The Chairman, RRB/Ajmer, Ahmedabad, Allahabad, Bangalore, Bhopal, Bhubaneswar, Chandigarh, Chennai, Kolkata, Jammu, Gorakhpur, Guwahati, Malda, Mumbai, Muzaffarpur, Patna, Ranchi, Secunderabad & Trivandrum.
- 16 The Chairman, Passenger Amenities Committee.
- 17 Member Passenger Amenities Committee.
- 18 The CAO (G) COFMOW, Tilak Bridge, New Delhi.
- 19 The Director, CAMTECH/Gwalior.
- 20 The CAO (a) MTP(G)/Mumbai (b) MTP (G)/Chennai.
- 21 Office of the Chief Project Administrator (Telecom), Indian Railways Central Organization for Telecom Consultancy, Shivaji Bridge, New Delhi.
- 22 Chief Mining Advisor, Ministry of Railway, Dhanbad.
- 23 The CAO(Const.), Central Railway, Mumbai.
- 24 The Director (Movement) Railways/Kolkata.



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- 2 The General Secretary, NFIR, Room No. 256-E, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 3 All Members of Departmental Council and National Council and Secretary, Staff Side, National Council, 13-C, Feorzeshah Road, New Delhi.
- 4 The Secretary General, FROA & IRPOA, Room No.256-A & 268, Railway Board.
- 5 The General Secretary, All India RPF Association, Room No.256-D, 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.
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- 10 The Secretary, Railway Board Promotee Officers Association, Room No. 341-C, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 11 Chief Commissioner of Railway Safety, Lucknow.
- 12 Advisor (Safety), Railway Board, New Delhi.
- 13 The General Secretary, All India SC/ST Railway Employees Association, Room No.8, Ground Floor, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 14 General Secretary, Retired Railway Employees Welfare Association (Regd.), 490A/16, Gurudwara Road, Gurgaon.



For Secretary, Railway Board.

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