

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS  
RAILWAY BOARD

No.2010/TG.III/464/1 NBSP -.III

New Delhi, Dated: 28.03.2012

General Managers . All Indian Railways.  
Managing Director, IRCTC, New Delhi.

(Commercial Circular No.20 of 2012)

Sub: Taking over of the management of bookstalls from  
IRCTC by Zonal Railways.

Ref:- Board's letter no. No.2007/TG.III/462/1 dated 11.04.2007  
and 17.01.2008.

Ministry of Railways have decided that the management and operation of bookstalls handed over to IRCTC vide Board's letter dt 11.04.2007 and 17.01.2008 be taken back by the Zonal Railways on "as is where is basis" subject to the following:

The sharing of the license fee from bookstalls between IRCTC and Indian Railways in the ratio of 75% and 25% respectively would be terminated with effect from the date of issue of this letter and Zonal Railway will collect the entire 100 % of license fee from the bookstall licensee thereafter. Simultaneously, the Railways share of outstanding dues from IRCTC may be processed for early recovery.

All the court cases pertaining to Bookstalls handed over to IRCTC have to be taken back from IRCTC and henceforth these cases should be defended by Zonal Railways

This issue with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways and approval of competent authority.

(Mani Anand)

Exe.Director/Tourism&Catering  
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