Chief Public Information Officer (RTI), Railway Board, MOR, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi-110001 Sir

Sub: Information under RTI Act, 2005.

Reg: Approval of Cases of Emergency for Cashless treatment in Empanelled Hospitals

I, NAVTEJ SINGH, resident of 150, First Floor, Sector 45-A, Chandigarh-160047, hereby request for the following information under RTI Act 2005.

- i) Copy of orders of Railway Board to all GMs laying down the MEDICAL CONDITION CONSIDERED AS EMERGENCY BY RAILWAYS FOR CASHLESS TREATMENT IN EMPANELLED PRIVATE HOSPITALS.
- ii) Copies of Rules or orders issued by the Railway Board regarding Guidelines for approval of cases of Emergency admitted for treatment in private empanelled hospitals to avoid undue harassment, mental agony serious financial crisis for the Patient and the family of the Railway Beneficiary.
- iii) Copy of orders of Railway Board, vide which it is discretionary for the Authorised Medical Officer to approve OR not to approve the Cases of Emergency for Cashless Treatment in Empanelled Hospitals even when one or more of the following conditions are mentioned by the Empanelled Hospital, in the Admission Form and advised to AMO:
  - > List of Conditions Medical Emergency
  - a) Acute Coronary Syndromes viz. (Coronary Artery By-pass Graft or Percutaneous Trans-Luminal Coronary Angioplasty) including Myocardial Infarction, Unstable Angina, Ventricular Arrhythmias, Paroxysmal Supra- Ventricular Tachycardia, Cardiac Tamponade, Acute Left-Ventricular Failure, Severe Congestive Cardiac Failure, Accelerated Hypertension, Complete Heart Block and Stokes-Adams Attack, Acute Aortic dissection.
  - b) Acute Limb Ischemia, Rupture of Aneurism, Medical and surgical shock and peripheral circulatory failure.
  - c) Cerebro-Vascular Attack, Strokes, sudden Unconsciousness, Head Injury, Respiratory failure, De-compensated Lung Disease, Cerebro-Meningeal Infection, Convulsions, Acute Paralysis, Acute Visual Loss.
  - d) Acute Abdomen
  - e) RTA (Road Traffic Accident) with injuries including fall
  - f) Acute Poisoning
  - g) Acute Renal Failure
  - h) Acute Abdomen in females including Acute Obstetrical and Gynecological Emergencies.
  - i) Heat Stroke.

## 2. Certified that:

a) To the best of my knowledge & belief, the information asked for pertains to your office. In case the subject matter/any part of the information is held by/related to another public authority, you are requested to transfer the application or such part of it as may be appropriate to that other public authority with an intimation to the undersigned as per Section 6(3) of RTI Act.

- b) I do not belong to the OBC. As such the certificate of OBC is not required.
- c) Payment of the mandatory fee of Rs.10 has been made online, as required.
- d) Further charges for supply of relevant information/documents asked for, shall be paid by me on receipt of advice for the same.

Dated: Chandigarh The 15<sup>th</sup> November, 2018

Yours truly,

NAVTEJ SINGH 150 First Floor, Sector 45-A, Chandigarh-160047

Note: Payment of the mandatory fee of Rs.10 has been made online