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The Hon'ble Railway Minister
Ministry of Railways
Government of India
New Delhi.

Subject: Request to take up with Ministry of Health & NABH, the issue of providing treatment at CGHS rates to retired Railway Pensioners holding valid UMID cards, at all NABH accredited hospitals & diagnostic centers.

Ref: - i) Our letter No RSCWS/CHD/Health/2025-23 dated 19.11.2025 to Secretary, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (copy enclosed).

ii) Ministry of Health & Family Welfare letter No. S-11030/176/2025-EHS (8379308) I/ 3828046/ 2025 Dated 29-12-2025 (copy enclosed)

Respected Sir,

This is with reference to our Memorandum No. RSCWS/CHD/Health/2025-23 dated 19.11.2025, addressed to the Secretary, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, regarding our request to incorporate a clause in the Accreditation Schedule of NABH to ensure that retired Railway Pensioners holding valid UMID cards are provided treatment at CGHS rates in NABH-accredited hospitals.

In response to the above memorandum, the Under Secretary, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare vide their above referred letter, has informed us that the issue needs to be raised at the level of Ministry of Railways for appropriate action. A copy of their reply is also enclosed herewith.

In view of the above, it is respectfully requested that the Ministry of Railways may kindly take up this matter with the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare and the National Accreditation Board for Hospitals & Healthcare Providers (NABH), so that a suitable provision may be incorporated in the NABH Accreditation Schedule, enabling retired Railway Pensioners with valid UMID cards, to avail treatment at CGHS rates in NABH accredited hospitals and diagnostic centers.

This will go a long way in ensuring affordable and dignified healthcare for retired Railway employees, who have served the nation diligently for so many years.

We shall be grateful for your kind consideration and necessary action in this matter.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Encl: as above

(G.P. Singh)

Secretary General/RSCWS

Copy to: - The Director General, Railway Health Services, Railway Board, New Delhi.