

Powers of settling Claims of Compensation

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
RAILWAY BOARD

No.2017/TC-III/2/1

New Delhi, dated 17.03.2017

General Manager(Claims)
All Zonal Railways.

Sub: Powers of settling claims for compensation.

In modification of Board's instructions contained in letters No. 99/TC-III/3/2 dated 23.05.2001 and No.2001/TC-III/2/3 dated 26.07.2001, it has been decided to revise the powers delegated to officers for settlement of loss and damage claims as well as settlement of accident and untoward incidents claims, as under:-

Designation	Existing Monetary Power	Revised Monetary Power
General Manager	Unlimited	Unlimited
CCM in HAG or Coordinating Head or CCO	Rs.4,00,000/-	Rs.8,00,000/-
Dy.CCM(Claims) or Dy.CCO	Rs.60,000/-	Rs.2,00,000/-
SCM	Rs.15,000/-	Rs.50,000/-
ACM	Rs. 8,000/-	Rs.25,000/-

2. It has also been decided to delegate power for sanctioning other expenses i.e. interest awarded by court, legal expenses etc. to any extent in addition to monetary powers mentioned above only in cases of train accident or untoward incidents as defined under Section 124 and 124-A of the Railways Act, 1989.
3. Other instructions contained in Board's letter No. 99/TC-III/3/2 dated 23.05.2001 remain unchanged.
4. These instructions shall come into force with effect from the date of issue of this letter.
5. This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.
6. Please acknowledge receipt of the letter.



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