

मध्य रेल



सं.: SUR/P/Gen/Cir./2024

मंडल रेल प्रबंधक का कार्यालय  
कार्मिक शाखा, सोलापुर  
दिनांक: 01/04/2024

**परिपत्र सं. 033/2024**

सभी सम्बंधित : सोलापुर मंडल

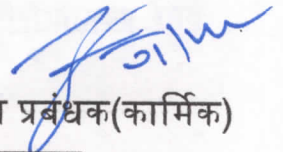
सभी शाखा अधिकारी : सोलापुर मंडल

**Sub: Clarification regarding payment of NHA to Running Staff during lockdown period.**

उपर्युक्त विषय पर मुख्यालय कार्यालय का पत्रांक CR-HQ0PERS(PUMR)/13/2023 दिनांक 12/03/2024, पत्रांक P/CR/HQ/ET/510/6/CRMS-73/21 दिनांक 07/03/2024 तथा रेलवे बोर्ड का पत्रांक E(P&A)I -2024/HL-1 दिनांक 22/02/2024 आपके सूचनार्थ एवं आवश्यक कार्यार्थ परिपत्रित की जाती है।

उपरोक्त परिपत्र सोलापुर मंडल की वेबसाइट: [www.cr.indianrailways.gov.in](http://www.cr.indianrailways.gov.in) पर अपलोड किया गया है, इस प्रकार से विजिट कर About us > Divisions > Solapur > Personnel > Circular सेक्शन में देखें।

अनुलग्नक : यथोक्त।

  
कृते मंडल रेल प्रबंधक(कार्मिक)  
सोलापुर

प्रतिलिपि :

DRM, ADRM सोलापुर, कृपया सूचनार्थ।

मंडल सचिव: CRMS/NRMU/AIOBCA/AISCSTA सोलापुर, कृपया सूचनार्थ।

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प्रधान कार्यालय/Headquarters Office  
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क्रमांक CR-HQ0PERS(PUMR)/13/2023

दिनांक 12-03-2024

As per mailing list No.1

विषय: Clarification regarding payment of NHA to Running Staff during lockdown period.

1. Copy of (Tfc. & Comml.) letter No. P/CR/HQ/ET/510/6/CRMS-73/21 dated 07-03-2024 along with Board's clarification letter No. E(P&A)I -2024/HL-1 dated 22-02-2024 in connection with the above is enclosed herewith for information and necessary action.

DA: As above.

Digitally Signed by Ashok  
Ramchandani  
Date: 12-03-2024 15:05:29  
Reason: Approved(Ashok Ramchandani)  
APO (Ruling/Court)

As per mailing list No.2

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मध्य रेल CENTRAL RAILWAY  
मुख्यालय Headquarters Office  
कार्मिक शाखा Personnel Branch  
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No. P/CR/HQ/ET/510/6/CRMS-73/21

Date: 07/03/2024

DRM(P) BB BSL NGP SUR PA

**Sub : Clarification regarding payment of NHA to Running staff during lockdown period..**

Ref : 1.This Railway's letter of even number dated 08.09.2023.  
2.Railway Board's letter No.E(P&A)I-2024/HL-I dated 22.02.2024.

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A reference was made to Railway Board seeking guidelines whether NHA to be paid or otherwise to those running staff who are not booked for duty in the lockdown period since passenger train services were suspended due to special circumstances of lockdown period in Covid-19 (Ref.1).

Railway Board vide letter No.E(P&A)I-2024/HL-I dated 22.02.2024 (Ref.2) has stated that since during lockdown period, passenger train services were suspended due to special circumstances of Covid-19, those employees who were not booked for duty during that period due to non-requirement of their services can not be treated as waiting to be booked for duty and therefore, these employees are not eligible for payment of NHA. Copy of Railway Board's letter dated 22.02.2024 (Ref.2), is enclosed herewith for information and necessary action accordingly.

This has approval of the Competent Authority.

DA : As above.

*(Signature)*  
07.03.24

(B.S.Ramteke)  
APO(Tfc. & Comml.)

/Principal Chief Personnel Officer

✓ **C/- APO(Ruling/Court) :** For information and circulating the copy to all concerned, please.



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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA/भारत सरकार  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS/रेल मंत्रालय  
(RAILWAY BOARD/रेलवे बोर्ड)

No. E(P&amp;A)I-2024/HL-1

New Delhi dated: 22.02.2024

The General Manager,  
Central Railway,  
Mumbai - 400001.

(Kind Attention: Ms. Vinita Verma, CPO(Admn)/CR)

**Sub:- Payment of NHA to Running staff during lockdown period****Ref:- Central Railway's letters no. P/CR/HQ/ET/510/14//CRMS/73/21 dated 08.09.2023, 05.12.2023 & 09.01.2024.**

The issue raised in CR's above referred letters on the cited subject has been examined in Board's Office. It is stated that National Holiday Allowance (NHA) is meant only for those employees who do not enjoy public holidays and are also required to work on National Holidays. During the lockdown period, passenger train services were suspended due to special circumstances of Covid-19. In this situation, certain number of employees were not booked for duty during that period due to non-requirement of their services. Such employees cannot be treated as waiting to be booked for duty. Therefore, these employees are not eligible for payment of NHA. Central Railway may take action accordingly.

Signed by

Gaurav Puri

Date: 22-02-2024 (16:02:44)

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Railway Board

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