

Information sought under Right to Information Action, 2005
vide application dated – 05.08.2011

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(RAILWAY BOARD)**

No. RB/RTI Cell/2011/010018635/(Interim Reply)

New Delhi, dated 16.09.2011

**Mr. Harchandan Singh,
C/o Shri Navtej Singh,
150/1, Sector 45 A,
Chandigarh.**

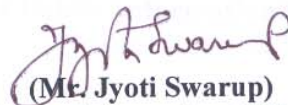
**Sub:- Information sought under Right to Information Act, 2005 vide application
dated – 05.08.2011.**

Dear Sir,

Kindly refer to your letter dated-17.08.2011 received /registered in RTI Cell, Railway Board on date 30.08.2011, seeking information under the Right to Information Act, 2005.

The Interim Reply w.r.t. your application mentioned above on item No. 1 (i) is enclosed.

The final reply will be sent as soon as the information to item No 1 (ii) is made available to this office.



**(Mr. Jyoti Swarup)
Assistant Public Information Officer-IV
Health/ Railway Board.**

DA:- As above.


PART REPLY

Target Date :-29.09.2011

Subject:- Information sought by Mr. Harchandan Singh.

Ref:- Case No. RB/RTI Cell/2011/010018635.

Item No.	Information sought by the Party	Ministry's response (reply text)	Annexure (Certificate No, detailed file noting)
(i)	Copies of Railway Board's letter No.2006/H/DC/JCM, dated 12.10.2006 and Railway Boards's letter No. MD/P/438/RELHS-SNI dated 28.09.2005.	Railway Board's letter No.2006/H/DC/JCM, dated 12.10.2006 is enclosed at Annexure 'A' No letter with this number has been issued from Health Directorate, Railway Board.	Annexure 'A'.


(Mr. Jyoti Swarup)

**Assistant Public Information Officer-IV
Health/ Railway Board.**

Annexure 'A'

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(RAILWAY BOARD)

No.2006/H/DC/JCM

New Delhi, dated 12.10.2006.

General Managers,
All Indian Railways (Including Production Units)
Chief Medical Officer, Konkan Railway Corpn Ltd,
C.B.D. Belapur, Navi Mumbai; and
Director General, RDSO, Lucknow.

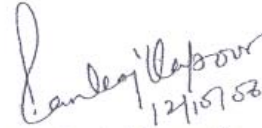
Sub:- Clarifications regarding chronic diseases in relation to Fixed Medical Allowance @ Rs. 100/- granted to Railway Pensioners.

As per Board's letter No. PC/V/98/1/7/1/1 dated 21.4.99 a fixed medical allowance @ Rs. 100/- per month is granted to the Railway Pensioners/family Pensioners who are residing beyond 2.5 kms. from Railway Hospital/Health Unit/Dispensary. This fixed medical allowance is given to meet the day to day medical expenses. They are not entitled to receive outdoor treatment from Health Unit/Railway Hospital etc. except in cases of Chronic Diseases.

Arising out of demand in the DC/JCM September, 2006, the definition of Chronic disease and some illness which are to be treated as Chronic ones are hereby stated.

Any disease which persists for a period of approximately three months or more is defined as a chronic disease. Some of the common illness, which are treated as chronic diseases are given below:-

1. Arthritis and related conditions.
2. Cardiovascular disease.
3. Cancer of any part of body.
4. Diabetes mellitus
5. Epilepsy disorders
6. Obesity/chronic weight loss.
7. Tuberculosis.
8. AIDS
9. Oral Health Problem.
10. Chronic skin disorders.


(Dr. Pankaj Kapoor)
Executive Director/Health (Plg.)
Railway Board

No.2006/H/DC/JCM/Part-I

New Delhi, dated : 12.10.2006.

Copy to:

1. Chief Medical Directors, All Indian Railways,
2. Chief Medical Superintendents/Medical Superintendents,
CLW / Cittaranjan (West Bengal); DLW / Varanasi (UP); ICF / Perambur
(Chennai), DMW / Patiala (Punjab); RCF / Kapurthala (Punjab) & RWF /
Yelhanaka (Bangalore)..