

Sub: Welfare Measures for Sahayaks

Following proposals towards welfare of Sahayaks (Licensed porters) have been approved by Hon'ble MR:-

Item	Existing Benefits	Proposed benefits	Concerned officer
Uniform	Two red shirts are supplied every year as Uniform and one woollen shirt is also given once in two years in lieu of one red shirt	It is proposed that Three red shirts be given to them and one woollen shirt every year	ED/IR
Extension of Privilege pass facilities	One set of complimentary cheque pass and one set of PTO for self and spouse only.	It is proposed that two sets of Privilege Ticket Order (PTO) for self and spouse in second/sleeper class be given in addition to complimentary cheque pass.	ED/IR
Extension of Validity of complimentary check pass	Presently the validity of complimentary pass is two months	It is proposed to extend the validity of Privilege pass to five months at par with Railway staff.	ED/IR
Rest Room facilities	Sahayaks are provided with waiting halls, Latrines, Canteens etc., provided at stations for General/Sleeper class passengers'; some station have Sahayak Rest Rooms	It is proposed that Sahayak rest room be provided with TV, RO Water, Barrack beds. Besides, Sahayak rest room be progressively provided at all stations having a strength of 50 and more sahayaks.	ED/SD ED/Tele
Equipment etc	Free use of Railway's light trolleys/hand barrows for carriage of passenger luggage.	Pathways for trolley be constructed to facilitate smooth movement. These pathways may be provided at all major stations.	ED/SD
Educational Facilities	Free educational facilities to the wards of Sahayaks within the schools run by Railways and Railwaymen's organisation/Mahilla Samiti	The ward of Sahayaks may be permitted educational facilities in schools run by Railwaymen's organisation/Mahila Samiti at any station in the Division where they are working.	ED/IR

Relevant copy of the notings are enclosed. As per approval of Hon'ble MR, ED/IR, ED/SD and ED/Tele are requested to issue the policy orders.

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