

EAST COAST RAILWAY

SL.No. 07(C)/10

Office of the
Chief Commercial Manager
Ground floor, South Block, ECoR Sadan,
Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar-17

Circular Letter No.: CCM/24/New trains/Pt-I

Date: 18.01.2010

To

All Station Managers /Chief Reservation Supervisor / Chief Ticket Inspector / Commercial Supervisors / Booking Clerk in charges / Clerk in charges / Goods Supervisors/ Siding Clerks/ Agencies / Out Agencies, East Coast Railway

Sub: Introduction of Yuva Trains.

Commercial Circular No. 70 of 2009, Dt: 22.12.2009, received from Railway Board, regarding Introduction of Yuva Trains is reproduced below: -

In accordance with the Budget announcement for 2009-10, a new train service called "Yuva Train" is being introduced. The salient features of this new service are as follow:

Fares: 2. This train will comprise of AC Chair Car Class. The fare structure of this train is enclosed herewith as Annexure to this circular. Children of 5 years and above but below 12 years will continue to be charged half fare.

Eligibility for Availing Yuva Fares:

3. The Yuva Fares will be applicable to unemployed persons between the age group 15-45 years who fulfill the criteria of Yuva to be ascertained as per the following documents:

i. Certificate issued under National Rural Employment Guarantee (NREGA).

ii. Registration card, the validity period of which has not expired, issued by a Government run Employment Exchange.

4. Tickets may be issued on production of original of any of the above certificates at the counter, a photocopy of which should be retained along with reservation requisition as in the case of other concessions. A message shall be displayed on the ticket that carrying of original certificate during the journey is essential for the purpose of verification. In case the above certificates do not specify age, an age certificate like Identity Card, Ration Card, Driving Licence, Pass Port, Educational Certificate, Certificate from Local Bodies like Panchayat/Corporation/Municipality, or any other authentic & recognized document on which date of birth is recorded, must also be carried in original.

Concessions:

5. No concession should be granted in fares to any passenger including those travelling under "Yuva" category.

Reservation: 6. Initially, 60% of the total number of coaches (rounded off to next higher whole number in case of a fraction) may be earmarked for "Yuva" category. The remaining may be earmarked for general passengers (non-Yuva). This will be reviewed after 6 months of introduction of trains. For the purpose of reservation following modalities are required to be followed:-

i. A separate Code and Class will be defined for Yuva category.

ii. Separate waiting list will be maintained for Yuva category and General Passengers. Till preparation of charts, cancellation in any category will update the waiting list of that category.

iii. At the time of preparation of reservation charts, if there is waiting list in one category and vacant accommodation in other, the vacant seats will be released to the category having waiting list.

iv. If there is waiting list in both, the unutilized reservation quota will clear waiting list in the order of first General and then Yuva.

v. After preparation of Charts there will be no concept of Yuva as far as charging of fare is concerned i.e. after preparation of reservation charts, the unutilized accommodation in these trains will be available at current counter on payment of fare prescribed for general passenger of these trains. Passengers approaching for seats in trains will be dealt with in accordance with normal rules i.e. payment of full fare for general class and penalty as applicable.

vi. No provision of 'Emergency Quota' may be kept for bookings done under "Yuva" category.

vii. Extra Coach if attached will clear waiting list in the order of first General and then Yuva categories.

viii. Tatkal Scheme would not be applicable in this train.

Cancellation: 7. Normal cancellation rules will be applicable for this train.

Ticket checking: 8. Manning of these trains will be done legwise like normal Mail/Express trains. If any passenger booked under Yuva Category fails to produce the corresponding original certificate during the journey, difference of 'Yuva' fare and total General fare applicable in Yuva train inclusive of surcharges in full may be recovered.

9. This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.

10. Necessary instructions may be issued to all concerned immediately including PRS/UTS & compliance ensured.

11. The exact date of introduction of these trains shall be notified by Coaching Directorate.

Authority: Ex. Director, Passenger Marketing, Railway Board's Lr. No. TC-II/2910/09/Yuva, Dt: 22.12.2009

(J. L. Jena)

Sr. Commercial Manager/PS
For Chief Commercial Manager

Copy for information and necessary action to the:

COM/CCM/CME/FA&CAO/SDGM/ECOR, Chairman RCT/BBS, Dy.CVO/BBS CPRO/ECOR/BBS, CRM/IRCTC/BBS, DRM/ E.Co.Rly/ KUR/ WAT/ SBP, Sr.DOM/ E.Co.Rly/ KUR/ WAT/ SBP, Sr.DCM/ E.Co.RLY/ KUR/ WAT/ SBP. Dy.CCM (Claims)/ECOR/BBS.