Public Works (1890) Department.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

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No. 233 R. T.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

To

THE GOVERNMENTS OF MADRAS, BOMBAY, BENGAL, AND THE NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES AND OUDH.
THE CHIEF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CENTRAL PROVINCES, BURMA, AND ASSAM.
THE RESIDENT AT HYDERABAD.
THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL FOR RAJPUTANA.
THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF RAILWAYS.
THE CONSULTING ENGINEERS TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FOR RAILWAYS, CALCUTTA, LUCKNOW AND CENTRAL DIVISION.

Simla, the 12th June 1890.

SIR,

In continuation of Government of India, Public Works Department, Resolution No. 0177 R. T., dated 30th January 1890, calling for applications from Railway Administrations for the adoption of the General Rules for working railways under construction and not open for traffic, as recorded in Appendix M. of the Proceedings of the Railway Conference of 1888, I am directed to state that it is proposed to slightly modify rules 7, 16 and 25 of the General Rules for railways under construction as shown in the accompanying memorandum.

2. I am accordingly to enquire whether the General Rules for working railways under construction and not open for traffic, recorded in Appendix M. of the Proceedings of the Railway Conference of 1888, as modified in the accompaniment to this letter, are accepted by the Railway Companies concerned, and to request that the Government of India may be informed by telegram of the decisions come to.

3. With regard to those Railway Administrations that have not yet applied for the adoption of the rules in terms of the Government of India, Public Works Department, Resolution No. 0177 R.T., dated the 30th January 1890, I am to request that they may be called upon to make formal application for leave to introduce them, with the modifications now proposed, if such modifications are accepted by them.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant.

H. Macaulay Major, R.E.,

Under Secretary.

Document accompanying.

Memorandum containing rules 7, 16 and 25 of the General Rules for working ilways under construction as framed at Railway Conference of 1888 and modifications of the same.

Enclosure to Public Works Department letter No. 233 R. T. of 1890.

Rules 7, 16 and 25 of the General Rules for working railways under construction and not open for traffic, as framed at the Railway Conference of 1888 and recorded in Appendix M. of its proceedings.

Smoking on Railway premises.

7. Any person found smoking, or having an open light or fire, in goods sheds or store yards, and who persists in smoking, after being warned by a Railway servant or Police Officer to desist, on any other portion of the Railway premises, where such practice may be deemed dangerous by the authorized Officer, shall be liable to immediate removal from the Railway premises, and to a fine which may extend to fifty rupees, or, in default of payment of such fine, to simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months.

Gratuities.

16. No money or gratuity, in the shape of fee or reward, is allowed to be taken by any Railway servant, even although the regular hours of duty shall have expired, without the permission of the Railway Administration. Any infringement of this rule renders the offender liable to immediate dismissal, and on conviction to imprisonment for three years, or to fine, or to both, under sections 161 to 165 of the Indian Penal Code.

Breach of rules.

25. Any person committing a breach of Rules 11, 13 and 14 shall be liable to a fine which may extend to fifty rupees, or, in default of payment of such fine, to simple imprisonment for a term which may extend two months.

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2 Special attention is requested to paragraph 2 of the letter from the Govt. of India

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