

Public Works (1897) Department.

G.O., No. 468 R

DATED

16 July 1897

[Despatch Abstract.]

Return tickets. Govt of India after deciding that the concession of - at single fares available for six months be extended to European Non-Commissioned Officers & men of the British Army & their families to enable them to proceed to the hills or back on State Railways worked directly by Govt with effect from 15 July 1897. Govt to the Agents of the S. & P. R. for report as to whether they agree to grant the same concession with effect from 1st January 1898.

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Order No 468 Dated 16.7.97

Communicated to
the Agents Messrs & S. J. Ry.
for favour of report.

From
The Gout of India.

No. 525 R.T.

Reminders to A.M.

Dated 30th June 1897

Received 12-7-97

Enclosures

Spare copies

SUBJECT.

Return Tickets

Frank: copy of its
letter to D. G. R. re: the
extension of the concession
of — at single fares
available for six months
to the European —
non-commissioned
officers &c from 15th
July 1897.

To
 The Agents Messrs. M. R.
 & Agent S. J. R. - ✓
 & Eschscholtz & Co. ✓

FURTHER PAPERS.

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RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF RAILWAYS.

Simla, the 30th June 1897.

I am directed to inform you that, on the recommendation of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, the Government of India have been pleased to decide that, in order to enable European non-commissioned officers and men of the British Army and their families, who are not detailed for transfer to the hills at Government expense, to proceed to the hills on furlough, the concession of return tickets, at single fares available for six months, shall be extended to them on state railways worked directly by Government with effect from the 15th July 1897.

2. A certificate, in the enclosed form, granted by the Officer Commanding must be handed to the railway booking clerk when the return ticket is applied for.

Your most obedient Servant,

Under Secretary.

Form of certificate referred to.

No. 525 R.T., dated the 30th June 1897.

Copy, with copy of enclosure, forwarded to the Governments of Madras, Bombay, and Burma, and to the Consulting Engineers to the Government of India for Railways, Calcutta, Lucknow, and Assam, with the enquiry whether the railways under their control will agree to grant the same concession with effect from 1st January 1898.

Copy, with copy of enclosure, also forwarded to the Military Department, for information.

G. A. Anderson
Under Secretary.

Under Secretary.

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To The Joint Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Public Works Department, Railway Branch.

[Enclosures to the Govt. of India letter No. 524.R.T., dated the 30th June 1897.]

CERTIFICATE.

(The certificate should be altered to suit the number of persons travelling.)

To

The Station Master, _____ Station,

_____ Railway.

Station _____ 189 .

Certified that (rank and name) _____, and family
the family of _____

(corps) _____ numbering _____ adults and

children over 12 years and _____ children between 3 and 12

years and _____ children under 3 years ^{has (have)}_{have} been permitted to

proceed to (name of hill station) _____.

^{He is (they are)}_{They are} not entitled to conveyance at Government expense.

_____ (Signature of officer).

(Commanding) _____

(Battery, regiment, detachment, etc.)

I.—This certificate is granted that the bearer may obtain return tickets at single fares, for the number of persons stated herein, available for 6 months, in the class in which they may elect to travel.

II.—Unless the return journey is performed within the 6 months allowed, full return fare will be charged in addition to the fare already paid.

III.—The certificate is at present available only on the North Western, Oudh and Rohilkhand, Eastern Bengal and East Coast State Railways.