



Rates Circular No. 17(G)/2024

सं. No. C/SECR/BSP/FM/LSFTO/BCL/

Date: 07.02.2024

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Principal Director of Audit/SEC Railway/Bilaspur.

Sub: Commercial notification for induction of 53 BTAP wagons with 02 BVCM for transportation of Fly Ash by M/s Birla Corporation Ltd. under LSFTO Scheme.

Ref: Railway Board's letter Nos.1) 2021/TC(FM)/04/14 dtd.02.06.2022 and 14.06.2022, 2) 2022/TC(FM)/4/14, dtd. 05.02.2024

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1. Railway Board vide their letter under reference had communicated approval for plying of 53 BTAP wagons (one rake) with 4% spare wagons including 02 (two) Brake Vans under Liberalized Special Freight Train Operator Scheme (LSFTO) in favour of M/s Birla Corporation Ltd. for movement of Fly Ash. The approved loading and unloading points for this rake are as under:-

Loading point	Unloading point	Route	As per letter under reference No.02
Private siding of M/s Adani Power Ltd. (PMAM)/ NGP Division/ SECR	RCCPL Pvt. Ltd. (RCPB), JBP Division / WCR	PMAM-G-BTC-NIR-KEQ-JBP-KTE-JKE-RCPB	Maintenance Depot: NKJ/WCR
	Satna Cement Works (BCSW) JBP Division / WCR	PMAM-G-BTC-NIR-KEQ-JBP-KTE-JKE-BCSW	POH : WRS/SECR

- 2.0 The Freight Rebate under LSFTO Scheme shall be given subject to fulfilment of following conditions:-

- 2.1 The freight rebate under Liberalized Special Freight Train Operator (LSFTO) Scheme shall be allowed @ 12% of base freight rate prevailing at the time of booking.
- 2.2 The Freight rebate @12% will be granted for each loading of a rake from the date of commissioning to 20 years periods in the approved circuits under LSFTO scheme.
- 2.3 The freight rebate is admissible up front on RR at the time of booking in favour of M/s Birla Corporation Limited.
- 2.4 The freight rebate will be charged for minimum composition of trainload as notified by Indian Railways from time to time for that particular commodity and classification.
- 2.5 The indent shall be for standard rake size as prescribed for BTAP rake(s).
- 2.6 No freight will be charged for movement of empty rake to the next destination provided the distance travelled by empty rake is less than or equal to the distance travelled by the train before unloading. However, if the distance travelled by the empty rake is more than the loaded distance then for additional distance travelled by the empty rake over and above the loaded distance, empty freight rate shall be charged at 50% of loaded freight of public tariff on carrying capacity of the wagons.

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- 3.0 **Maintenance of the wagons will be undertaken by IR at its own cost after commissioning of rake and till the currency of agreement.** However, in case of wagons which require special components for maintenance, a provision has been made in the Registration Agreement so that the cost of procurement of such special components is defrayed by the investor.
- 4.0 The haulage charges for moving the wagons in rake formation from a private terminal to the workshop/maintenance depot/train examination point of the railway administration and back to the loading point shall be borne by the Railway Administration. In case the SFT rake has to be hauled to the nominated location for the purpose of examination, the same shall be done without charging of any haulage charge from the SFTO.
- 5.0 All payments on the RR shall be made through e-payment and online payment including Freight etc. through TMS.
- 6.0 SFTO shall be responsible to pay all charges and surcharges, fees, cess, duties, taxes etc. as payable on the basis of notification issued by the Central and State Governments from time to time.
- 7.0 The list of wagons are enclosed as **Annexure-I**.
- 8.0 The subject BTAP rakes will be governed by the LSFTO agreement executed between this Railway and M/s Birla Corporation Limited on 19.12.2022 and LSFTO Policy issued by Railway Board vide FM Master Circular/LSFTO/2020/0 (Letter No.2020/TC(FM)/04/02) dtd:16.03.2020 and corrigendum/addendum thereto issued by Railway Board from time to time.

All concerned to please note and act accordingly. Necessary data may be updated in TMS/FOIS system.

Encl: List of Wagons

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Annexure-I

Sr. No.	Wagon No.	Type	Sr. No.	Wagon No.	Type
1	46472310001	BTAP	29	46472310285	BTAP
2	46472310018	BTAP	30	46472310292	BTAP
3	46472310025	BTAP	31	46472310308	BTAP
4	46472310032	BTAP	32	46472310315	BTAP
5	46472310049	BTAP	33	46472310322	BTAP
6	46472310056	BTAP	34	46472310339	BTAP
7	46472310063	BTAP	35	46472310346	BTAP
8	46472310070	BTAP	36	46472310353	BTAP
9	46472310087	BTAP	37	46472310360	BTAP
10	46472310094	BTAP	38	46472310377	BTAP
11	46472310100	BTAP	39	46472310384	BTAP
12	46472310117	BTAP	40	46472310391	BTAP
13	46472310124	BTAP	41	46472310407	BTAP
14	46472310131	BTAP	42	46472310414	BTAP
15	46472310148	BTAP	43	46472310421	BTAP
16	46472310155	BTAP	44	46472310438	BTAP
17	46472310162	BTAP	45	46472310445	BTAP
18	46472310179	BTAP	46	46472310452	BTAP
19	46472310186	BTAP	47	46472310469	BTAP
20	46472310193	BTAP	48	46472310476	BTAP
21	46472310209	BTAP	49	46472310483	BTAP
22	46472310216	BTAP	50	46472310490	BTAP
23	46472310223	BTAP	51	46472310506	BTAP
24	46472310230	BTAP	52	46472310513	BTAP
25	46472310247	BTAP	53	46472310520	BTAP
26	46472310254	BTAP	54	87472310004	BVCM
27	46472310261	BTAP	55	87472310042	BVCM
28	46472310278	BTAP			

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