



Rates Circular No. 102 (G)/2025

No. C/SECR/BSP/SDG/NTPC/Lara/MGR (e-98925)

Dated: 24.05.2025

All CSMs/SMs & Goods Supervisors, Goods Clerks & Weigh Bridge Clerks, All CCIs/CIs of SECR.

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Sub: Operation of Merry-Go-Round (MGR) system between NTPC Coal Loading Siding at Talaipalli Mines and NTPC/Lara siding (NLSK).

Ref: i) Railway Board's Rates Circular No.17 of 2016 dated 20.05.2016

ii) Railway Board's Rates Circular No.07 of 2025 dated 30.04.2025

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Railway Board vide Rates Circular No.17 of 2016 dated 20.05.2016 have issued guidelines for Merry-Go-Round (MGR) system. Further, MGR policy has been extended upto 30.04.2026 vide Rates Circular No.07 of 2025 dated 30.04.2025.

NTPC Limited, Lara has entered into an agreement under MGR system for loading of coal from NTPC Coal Loading Siding at Talaipalli Mines (Alpha Code: NTMK Numerical Code: 14122474) Served by Kotarlia station to unloading terminal at track hopper of NTPC siding, Lara (NLSK) in the MGR circuit. The details of MGR system are as under:

Commodity	Type of Stock	Loading point	Unloading point	Distance	Validity
Coal	One rake of BOBRN (59 wagons)	NTPC Talaipalli Mines (NTMK)	Private Siding of NTPC Lara STPP/KRL (NLSK)	64 km	One Year (From 25.05.2025 to 24.05.2026)

The chargeable freight will be Rs.117.08 per ton and Development Surcharge @ 5% will also be leviable in addition to freight from 25.05.2025 to 24.05.2026. New rate will be notified w.e.f 01.05.2026.

Weighment of rakes will be done at EIMWB installed inside the siding. This MGR system will be governed by the provisions of the agreement executed by NTPC & Railway on 24.05.2025.

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