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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA (BHARAT SARKAR)  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (RAIL MANTRALAYA)  
RAILWAY BOARD**

No. 2019/Tourism/140/9

New Delhi, dated the 11<sup>th</sup> February, 2020.

The General Manager(s),  
All Indian Railways.

The Chairman and Managing Director,  
Indian Railway Catering & Tourism Corporation Ltd.,  
IRCTC Corporate Office, B-148, 11<sup>th</sup> Floor,  
Statesman House, Barakhamba Road,  
New Delhi-110 001.

*(Commercial Circular No. 06 of 2020)*

**Sub: Pilgrim Special Trains.**

Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) have approved the charging principles and composition of Pilgrim Special Train and decided the charging principles and composition as under:

- (i) Pilgrim Special Train will be operated on applicable charging principle of Bharat Darshan / Astha Circuit Trains.
  - (ii) The composition of Pilgrim Special Train will be 13 LHB coaches comprising 5 LWACCN + 5 LWGSCN + 2 LWRRM + 1 LWACWCP.
  - (iii) The passenger tariff of Pilgrim Special Train will be Rs. 900/- per day per pax for Sleeper Class Tourist and upto Rs.1500/- per day per pax for 3 AC Class Tourist.
2. All other instructions issued w.r.t. Bharat Darshan / Astha Circuit Trains will be applicable to Pilgrim Special Train as well.
  3. The above charging principles and composition of Pilgrim Special Train will be on trial basis for a period of six months from the date of issue of this circular i.e. till 10.08.2020, to be reviewed thereafter.
  4. This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways (Railway Board).

  
**(Philip Varghese)  
Director (Tourism & Catering)  
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1. Dy. Comptroller & Auditor General of India (Railways), Room No. 224, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi with 36 spares.
2. PFAs, All Indian Railways.
3. Principal Directors of Audit, All Indian Railways.


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*11.2.2020*  
**For Financial Commissioner/Railways**

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**Copy to:**

1. CRB, MT, FC, Secretary, DG/RHS, Railway Board.
2. AM(B), PED(Finance), AM/IT, AM(C), PEC(Vig.), PED(Chg), EDF(C), EDPM, ED(A), ED(C&IS), EDTC(R), EDV(T), ED/Safety, DPR, CFC, TC(CR), V(SS), PR, Health & F(C) Branches, Railway Board.
3. General Manager, Centre for Railway Information System (CRIS), Chanakyapuri, Near National Rail Museum, New Delhi.
4. Director General, National Academy of Indian Railways, Vadodara.
5. Managing Director, Konkan Railway Corporation Ltd., Navi Mumbai.
6. General Manager, Metro Railway, Kolkata.
7. PCCMs, All Indian Railways.
8. PCOMs, All Indian Railways.
9. Chief Commissioner of Railway Safety, Lucknow.

  
**(Philip Varghese)**  
**Director (Tourism & Catering)**  
**Railway Board**