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रेलवे बोर्ड (Railway Board)



No. 2022/O&M/2/5

New Delhi, Dated: 05.09.2022

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*06/09*

**Sub: Extension of courtesy to former Presidents, former Vice-Presidents and former Prime Ministers on their visits to the State/UTs-reg.**

Enclosed is a letter No. 1/8/2022-M&G dated 08.08.2022 from Ministry of Home Affairs on the above subject reiterating the extant provisions regarding courtesies to be shown to former Presidents, former Vice-Presidents and former Prime Ministers as under:

**“FORMER PRESIDENTS, FORMER VICE-PRESIDENTS AND FORMER PRIME MINISTERS: These dignitaries on their visit to the States/UTs should be extended the same courtesies as extended to the Union Cabinet Ministers on their official visits to States/UTs. Further, these dignitaries should also be extended appropriate courtesies while they make a night halt or transit halt in the States/UTs.”**

2. It is desired that these instructions may be circulated to all PHODs/HODs/DRMs/ADRMs, CPROs and other concerned Officers for information and compliance.

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No.1/8/2022-M&G  
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Ministry of Home Affairs

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Dated 8<sup>th</sup> August, 2022

To

The Chief Secretaries of all States/UTs.

18 AUG 2022

Subject: Extension of courtesies to be shown to former Presidents, former Vice-Presidents and former Prime Ministers on their visits to the States/UTs-reg.

Sir/ Madam,

I am directed to refer to the Ministry of Home Affairs letter No.10/13/2005-M&G dated 14.2.2006 (copy enclosed) on the subject mentioned above, conveying the inclusion of para 4(a) in the compilation related to "Courtesies to be shown to VIPs on their visits to States and Union Territories" as under:

"4(a) FORMER PRESIDENTS, FORMER VICE-PRESIDENTS AND FORMER PRIME MINISTERS: These dignitaries on their visit to the States/UTs should be extended the same courtesies as extended to the Union Cabinet Ministers on their official visits to States/UTs. Further, these dignitaries should also be extended appropriate courtesies while they make a night halt or transit halt in the States/UTs.

2. It is once again requested that the above instructions may kindly be brought to the notice of all concerned for necessary action and compliance.

Encl. As above

Yours faithfully,

  
(G. Parthasarathi)

Director (CS)

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1. All Ministries/Departments of the Government of India.
2. Vice President's Secretariat, New Delhi.
3. Prime Minister's Office, South Block, New Delhi.
4. Secretary, Niti Aayog, Yojana Bhavan, New Delhi.
5. Secretary, National Human Rights Commission, New Delhi.
6. JS(CS). MHA.

No.10/13/2005-M&G  
Government of India  
Ministry of Home Affairs

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New Delhi, the February, 2006

To

The Chief Secretaries of all States/UTs

Sub:- Extension of courtesies to be shown to VIPs on their visits to States/UTs – reg.

Sir,

As you are aware, Ministry of Home Affairs has from time to time specified courtesies to be shown to VIPs on their visits to States and Union Territories. A compilation of such courtesies currently in vogue is enclosed.

2. Government of India have now decided that former Presidents, former Vice-Presidents and former Prime Ministers on their visits to States/Union Territories should be extended the same courtesies as extended to Union Cabinet Ministers on their official visits to States/Union Territories. It has also been decided that they should be extended appropriate courtesies while making a night halt or transit halt in the States/Union Territories.

3. Accordingly, a new para 4(a) as indicated below has been inserted just below para 4 of the compilation related to "Courtesies to be shown to VIPs on their visits to States and Union Territories."

**"4(a) FORMER PRESIDENTS, FORMER VICE-PRESIDENTS AND FORMER PRIME MINISTERS** These dignitaries on their visit to the States/UTs should be extended the same courtesies as extended to the Union Cabinet Ministers on their official visits to States/UTs. Further, these dignitaries should also be extended appropriate courtesies while they make a night halt or transit halt in the States/UTs.

4. It is requested that the contents of para 3 above may kindly be brought to the notice of all concerned for necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

*Sd/-*

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