

भारतसरकार GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
रेलमंत्रालय MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS  
(रेलवेबोर्ड RAILWAY BOARD)

**No. 2023/GS/SD-II/22/08/04**

**New Delhi, dated: 14.03.2023**

**General Manager,  
All Zonal Railways,  
CMD/KRCL.**

**Sub: History of Railway Stations on Indian Railway -reg.**

Indian Railways have a rich history and variety of station buildings. The Railway stations play a very important role in the life of the city they serve. It has therefore been decided to study the development of stations and the role they play in development of surrounding areas.

2. Zonal Railways are requested to collect the information as per attached Annexure A within next seven days and send to Railway Board. A committee may be set up at Zonal Headquarters who will arrange to quickly collect information from necessary sources including the station Master of the individual stations. To maintain integrity and authenticity of the information, the committee shall cross check the information with available archives, foundation plaques, commercial circulars, opening documents, details of the nearby bridges and any other sources of information before sending to Railway Board with the approval of the General Manager. Present day and old photographs of the stations shall also be collected.

3. The information after approval of GM will also be uploaded on Passenger Amenities Management System(PAMS) on IRPSM. CRIS will create necessary modifications in PAMS as per Annexure-A and create Query options for retrieval of information.

  
(Rakesh Choudhary)  
(Executive Director(SD & Trans.)  
Railway Board

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Copy to:-

1. MD/CRIS for information and necessary modification in PAMS
2. PCEs, PCCMs, PCOMs, DRMs all zonal railways.
3. EDPM, ED/Heritage, ED/T&C, ED/E&R, ED/I&P, ED/GS/C-1, ED/GS/C-2, ED/FX, ED/Statistics, ED/Chg, PED/Accounts, ED/FB for sharing relevant information available with their branches.

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## Annexure-A

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\* Unique features of the station may include significant items of art and culture at the station, special structures like very long or wide platforms/dock platforms etc., heritage structures, historical/pilgrimage/cultural significance etc