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Copy of Board's letter No.E[G]2010/LL 2-4 dated 24.11.2010, which was obtained through Railway Board's letter dated 01.02.2012, is forwarded for information, guidance and necessary action. This circular is also available on the website and can be accessed at the address www.scr.indianrailways.gov.in.

(M. SREERAMULU)
SPO/Rules

For Chief Personnel Officer

Copy of Board's letter No. E[G]2010/LL 2-4 dated 24.11.2010 [RBE No.167/2010]

Sub: Enhancement of the powers of General Managers for providing legal assistance to Railway servants in cases where suits or criminal charges are brought against them, as a result of circumstances connected with their official duty.

In terms of para 702 [7] {ii} of IREC Vol.I, 1985 Edition, where suits or criminal charges are brought against railway servants, arising out of circumstances connected with their duty, the General Manager of a railway is empowered to undertake their defence by employing such legal assistance as may be considered necessary. Should, however, law charges in any particular case be estimated to exceed Rs. 10,000 the prior sanction of the President shall be obtained to the expenditure being incurred. Any costs awarded by the Court to the railway cannot be set off against the expenditure for the purpose of this limit.

The above provision has been reviewed by the Board, and it has been decided to enhance the powers of the General Manager for providing legal assistance in such cases from the present limit of ₹10,000/- to ₹ 50,000/-.

Accordingly, the provision contained in para 702 [7] {ii} of IREC Vol.I, 1985 Edition stands amended as per the enclosed Advance Correction Slip No. 114.

Sd/-
[Madan Lal]/JDE[Genl.]

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Indian Railway Establishment Code, Vol.I [1985 Edition].

Advance Correction Slip No. 114.

The amount of ₹10,000/- [Rupees Ten Thousand] appearing in Paragraph 702 [7] {ii} may be substituted by ₹50,000/- [Rupees Fifty Thousand].

[Authority: Railway Board's letter No. E[G]2010/LL 2-4 dated 24.11.2010]

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-	Advance Correction Slip No. 114 to IREC Volume I, 1985 Edn: - Rule 702 [7] {ii} - The powers of the General Manager for providing legal assistance where suits or criminal charges are brought against railway servants arising out of circumstances connected with their duty, is enhanced from the present limit of ₹ 10,000/- to ₹ 50,000/-.	19/2012