

**Government of India
Ministry of Railways
(Railway Board)**

No. 2009/TG-IV/10/PA/Adarsh Stns

New Delhi, dated 17.09.2009

The General Managers,
All Zonal Railways.

Commercial Circular No. 49 of 2009

Sub: Selection of stations as Adarsh Station

While presenting the Railway Budget 2009-10, Hon'ble MR has interalia declared as under:

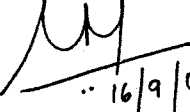
“Madam, we will develop Adarsh stations with basic facilities such as drinking water, adequate toilets, catering services, waiting rooms and dormitories especially for lady passengers, better signage and other basic facilities are **universally available**. This year we are taking up 375 stations for inclusion as Adarsh stations.”

2. A list of 358 stations selected as Adarsh stations is enclosed.
3. The matter regarding the passenger amenities etc. to be provided at Adarsh stations has been examined and it has been decided that the focus should be on improvement in all areas like ticketing, circulating area, signages, easy access and exit and adequate lighting at the station. The station should also depict local ethos, if any, or the architecture of the station may also replicate a local landmark building. As the use of non-standard material equipment adversely affect the quality of work, RDSO is already standardizing the designs and specifications of material and methods involved in civil, S&T and electrical works, which will be circulated in due course. The thrust areas for improvement is attached in the Annexure.
4. While providing these amenities, the accent should be on providing for passenger facility and convenience at an enhanced level, duly keeping local flavour, aesthetic and cost considerations in view.
5. In keeping with the Hon'ble MR's announcement in Parliament, General Managers may take immediate further action to programme these works under their powers and try to complete most of the works within a year's time.

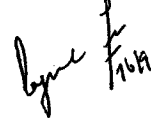
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6. This issues with concurrence of Finance Directorate of Ministry of Railways.

Please acknowledge receipt.


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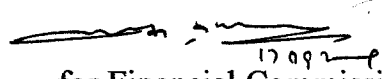

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Thrust areas for improvement of stations selected as Adarsh station

- (i) As regards 'C' category stations which is the majority category selected as Adarsh station, area of the focus would be as under:
- Ethnic-ethos - local art/architecture to be reflected in a distinctive and colourful manner.
 - Focus on quick entry and exit for passengers (minimum two entry and two exit points).
 - Railway road i.e. access from civil road to station premises to be smooth with no unauthorized fetters on this road.
 - Provision of signage i.e. location of ladies/handicapped coach.
 - Toilets – Provision of green toilets in local trains depending upon usage would be supplemented by – minimum 4 urinals of which 2 should be toilets at the platform. These will be renovated / made by Railways but operated on 'Pay and Use' basis. The location would preferably be the home platform/concourse on either side of the station only for ease of drainage and sanitation.
 - Provision of full shelters on the platforms for better protection from elements.
 - Provision of Booking Office on both sides, as required.
 - Provision of wide FOBs as required.
 - Improving the stairs quality.
 - Provision of adequate drinking water arrangements at suitable points ensuring no hindrance to free flow of passengers.
 - Provision of adequate lighting.
 - Focus on maintenance of assets.
 - Conservancy contracts for cleaning
- (ii) Stations falling under 'A-1', 'A' & 'B' category would be provided facilities as applicable for Modern Stations as communicated vide Board's letter no.2005/TG-IV/Model Stns dated 12.4.2006.
- (iii) Stations falling under 'D', 'E' & 'F' category would be provided with 'Desirable Amenities' as applicable for Model Stations as communicated vide Annexure – E of Board's letter no.94/LMB/2/175 dated 15.2.2007.

Note: Ethnic-ethos - local art/architecture to be reflected in a distinctive and colourful manner and providing an enhanced level of passenger amenities would be common to all.

Zone-wise list of 358 stations selected as Adarsh stations

Railway	Name of Station
CR (33)	Ajni, Belapur, Bhandup, Chembur, Chinchwad, Currey Road, Dadar, Devlali, Dock Yard, Dombivli, Ghatkopar, Gulbarga, Karjat, Kasara, Khadki, Khopoli, King's Circle, Kurla, Latur, Matunga, Mulund, Nahur, Panvel, Sangli, Sanpada, Sewri, Shivajinagar, Tilaknagar, Turbhe, Ulhasnagar, Vashi, Wadi and Wardha
ECOR (9)	Balangir, Dhenkanal, Jajpur-Keonjhar Road, Khurda Road, Koraput, Rayagada, Srikakulam Road (Amudalavalsa), Titlagarh Jn and Vizianagram
ECR (9)	Biharsharif, Gomoh Jn., Jehanabad, Madhubani, Naugachia, Parashnath, Patna Sahib Jn., Sasaram Jn. and Sitamarhi,
ER (174)	Adisaptagram, Agarpara, Ahmedpur, Akra, Ambikakalna, Aranghata, Asansol, Azimganj City, Badkulla, Bagbazar, Baghajatin, Baidyabati, Ballyganj Jn., Bandel, Banpur, Bansbaria, Barakar, Baranagar, Bardhaman, Barrackpore, Baruipara, Baruipur Jn , Basirhat, BBD Bag, Begampur, Belanagar, Belerhat, Belgharia, Belur, Belur Math, Berhampur Court, Bhadreswar, Bhasila, Bidhannagar, Biman Bandar, Bira, Birati, Birnagar, Bolpur, Bongaon, Brace-Bridge, Budge Budge, Burobazar, Canning, Chakdaha, Champa Pukur, Champahati, Chandannagar, Chandpara, Chittaranjan, Chuchura, Dakhineswar, Dankuni, Deula, Dhakuria, Dhaniakhali, Dhapdhopi, Diamond Harbour Rd, Dumdum Cant., Dumdum Jn, Durganagar, Durgapur, Duttapukur, Eden Garden, Gangnapur, Garia, Gede, Ghutiari Sharif, Gobordanga, Gopalnagar, Guma, Guptipara, Gushkora, Habibpur, Habra, Halisahar, Haripal, Harua Road, Hasnabad, Hooghly, Ichhapur, Jadavpur, Jagaddal, Jangipur Road, Jiaganj, Jirat, Joynagar Mojilpur, Kakdwip, Kalikapur, Kalinarayanpur Jn., Kalyani, Kalyani Ghoshpara, Kalyani Silpachal, Kalyanpur, Kamarkundu, Kanchrapara, Kankinara, Kashinagar, Katwa, Khana, Khardah, Kirnahar, Konnagar, Krishnanagar City Jn, Kulti, Lake Garden, Lakshmi Kantapur, Lalgola, Lilluah, Madanpur, Madhupur, Madhyagram, Magrahat, Majher Gram, Malda Town, Mallikpur, Mankundu, Masagram, Maslandpur, Memari, Murshidabad, Nabadwipdham, Naihati Jn, Nalhati, Nalikul, Namkhana, Nasibpur, Netra, New Alipore, New Farakka, New Barrackpore, Nischindpur, Palassy, Palpara, Palta, Panduah, Park Circus, Patipukur, Phulia, Princepghat, Purbasthali, Rampurhat, Ranaghta, Raniganj, Rishra, Rusulpur, Sahibganj, Sainthia, Saktigarh, Samudragarh, Sangrampur, Santoshpur, Shantipur, Sheoraphuli, Shyamnagar, Simurali, Singur, Sitarampur, Siuri, Sodpur, Sonarpur, Sondalia, Subhasgram, Sultanganj, Surjyapur, Taki Road, Tala, Tarakeswar, Tarapith Rd., Thakurnagar, Titagarh, Tollyganj, Tribeni and Uttarpara.
NCR(2)	Lalitpur and Sikohabad
NER(6)	Azamgarh, Ballia, Mau Jn., Pilibhit Jn., Salempur Jn. and Sitapur.
NFR(11)	Alipurduar, Balurghat, Cooch behar, Dalkolha, Dhupguri, Jalpaiguri, Raiganj, Rangapara North, Samsi (Chanchol), Silchar and Siliguri Jn.
NR(17)	Abohar, Amethi, Bahadurgarh, Chandausi, Delhi Kishanganj, Faridkot, Gurdaspur, Gurgaon, Kalanour, Meerut Cantt., Panipat, Prayag, Rishikesh, Rohtak, Sonipat, Subzi Mandi and Udhampur.
NWR(4)	Dausa, Kosli, Lalgarh and Sirsa
SCR(17)	Adilabad, Anantapur, Bapatla, Bidar, Chittoor, Guntakal, Kakinada Town, Kurnool Town, Mahbubnagar, Nalgonda, Nandyal, Nellore, Nizamabad, Parli Vajinath, Ramagundam, Renigunta and Zahirabad (Medak).
SECR(1)	Chindwara
SER(28)	Adra, Amta, Andul, Bagnan, Balichak, Bankura, Banspani, Bargachia, Bauria, Chakradharpur, Chengail, Contai Rd., Domjur, Garbeta, Haur, Jhargram, Kolaghat, Mahisadal, Mecheda, Midnapur, Mourigram, Narayan Pakuria Murail, Panskura, Purulia, Srirampur, Tamluk, Tatanagar and Uluberia.
SR(22)	Avadi, Badagara, Chennai Beach, Chennai Chetpet, Chennai Park, Chromepet, Kannur, Kasargod, Korukkupet, Kottayam, Manavur, Pattikkadu, Perambur Carriage Works, Senji Panambakkam, St. Thomas Mount, Tambaram, Thalasseri, Tiruchchirappalli Jn., Tiruninravur, Tirur, Tiruvalangadu and Tiruvallur.
SWR(2)	Chamarajanagar and Londa.
WCR(2)	Ashok Nagar and Saugor.
WR(21)	Andheri, Bandra, Bhayander, Borivali, Charni Road, Chittorgarh Jn., Churchgate, Dadar, Dahanu Road, Goregaon, Malad, Marine Lines, Mira Road, Mumbai Central(Local), Naigaon, Okha, Santacruz, Saphale, Una, Vangaon and Virar.