भारत सरकार **(GOVERNMENT OF INDIA)**
रेल मंत्रालय **(MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS)**
रेलवे बोर्ड **(RAILWAY BOARD)**

S21/15

No. ERB-I/2015/23/24 **New Delhi, dated 28.4.2015**

ORDER

Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) have decided to set up the **"Malaviya Chair"** for Railway Technology at IIT (BHU) to help in development of new materials to be used in all assets of Railways through an endowment fund of ₹ 5.00 cr. (Rupees five crore) to be deposited by Ministry of Railways with IIT (BHU), Varanasi (UP). The project formulation and implementation in the fields of development of new materials for use in various assets of Railways alongwith functioning of 'Malaviya Chair' will be through the interest accrued on the above mentioned endowment fund.

2. The **"Malaviya Chair"** will function through the **'Chair Core Committee (CCC)'** consisting of the following :-

(a) Shri R.K. Verma, Adviser/Railway Board, presently Adviser(PG) to the Hon'ble Minister of State for Railways	.....	Chairman
(b) Executive Director(Research)/RDSO, Lucknow	.....	Member
(c) Executive Director(Finance)/RDSO, Lucknow	.....	Member
(d) Two Nominees of Director/IIT(BHU), Varanasi	.....	Members

(The 'Chair Core Committee' may also co-opt any additional Member, if considered appropriate.)

3. The projects identified & their execution in consultation with other academic and research institutions through this Chair will be carried out as per the existing procedures of IIT (BHU).

4. The MoU will be prepared by the 'Chair Core Committee' (CCC) for the "Malaviya Chair" for Railway Technology based on the MoUs already available and in practice in Ministry of Railways for various 'Chairs' and 'Technology Cells' and it will be signed by Ministry of Railways and IIT (BHU), Varanasi at an early date.

5. The **Nodal Directorate** for functioning of the "Malaviya Chair" and its 'Chair Core Committee' (CCC) will be **Civil Engineering(G) Directorate** of Railway Board. Therefore, all related works/issues including Parliament Questions, RTI cases, their execution, fund provision and other formalities should be dealt with by the Nodal Directorate.

(N. Soman)
Joint Secretary (Gaz.)
Railway Board

Copy to :-

1. The General Managers, All Indian Railways, Production Units and Metro Rail, Kolkata.
2. The Director General, RDSO and NAIR, Vadodara

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3. PS/MR, EDPG/MR, PS/MOS(R) and Adv(PG)/MOS(R).
4. PSOs/Sr.PPSs/PPSs/PSs to CRB, FC, MS, ME, MM, MT, ML, Secy., DG/RPF, DG/RHS, All AMs/Advisers/EDs, JS, JS(E), JS(E)II, JS(G), JS (D), JS(P), EDCE(G), ADG(PR), DIP, Dir(GA), Dir(Admn), Dir(Tele), DS(G), DS(O&M), US(Protocol), US(O&M), US/Stationery, US(Parl.), Railway Board.
5. The Chief Commissioner of Railway Safety, 16-A, Ashok Marg, Lucknow.
6. The FA&CAO, Northern Railway.
7. The Pay & Accounts Officer, Railway Board.
8. The General Secretaries, AIRF and NFIR.
9. The General Secretary, IRCA, New Delhi.
10. The Secretary General, FROA & IRPOF, All India RPF Association and All India SC/ST Association.
11. Cash-I, II, III, G, G(Pass),G(Acc.), SEE(Power), CE-I, ERB-II, III, Parl., G(Acc), O&M, Reception, Library, RBCC, Telecom and Stationery Branches.
12. The Chairman and Members of the Committee.
13. The Director, IIT (BHU), Varanasi.
14. AM(Budget) and AM(Finance) *for arranging the disbursement of Rs. 5 crore* to IIT (BHU) towards endowment fund for the "Malaviya Chair", to be set up at IIT (BHU) in terms of approval of Hon'ble MR.
15. Computer Cell for uploading the aforesaid order in the official website.