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No.2016/H-1/11/69/Hospital Recognition New Delhi, dated 05.06.2020

The General Managers,
All Indian Railways.
(Including Production Units/ NAIR & RDSO).

Sub:-Entitlement of Hospital Wards for Railway Medical beneficiaries in Railway empanelled Hospitals.

Ref:-Board's letter even no. dated 08.05.2018.

In terms of Board's letter under reference the entitlement of hospital wards for Railway beneficiaries in Railway empanelled hospitals were revised in pursuance to the instructions contained in Ministry of Health & Family Welfare's O.M. no. S.11011/11/2016-CGHS(P)/EHS dated 09.01.2017.

Further, instructions contained in Para 5(iii) of the MoHFW's O.M. dated 09.01.2017 mentioned above states that ***"Entitlement of pensioners/family pensioners, who have already deposited their contribution for life time CGHS facility, will not be changed."***

In order to bring the policies in sync with MoHFW, Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) has decided that instructions contained in Para 5(iii) of the MoHFW's O.M. dated 09.01.2017 will be applicable to the RELHS beneficiaries as they also deposit one time subscription/contribution for lifetime at the time of their retirement. It, however, needs to be emphasized that entitlement of wards would be strictly as per MoH&FW's instructions and no separate nomenclature exclusive to Railways would be covered under these provisions.

This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways (Railway Board).

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