

## OIL & NATURAL GAS CORPORATION (WOU) KARMACHARI SANGHATANA

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To
The ED - CDS, Shallow Water,
ONGC, WOU,
11 High, Bandra Sion Link Road,
Sion,
Mumbai- 400017.

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Subject: Permission to travel by "CSMT Suvidha Express", subsequently reimburse the requested train fare.

Respected Sir

We are in a receipt of request from **Shri. Abrar Ahmed, CPF No. 96474** working as **Field Operator** on Rig Sagar Vijay. He joined ONGC on 24.11.2001 and was posted on Rig Sagar Vijay. Since his joining he is doing regular on/off duty to offshore from last 23 (twenty three) years.

Shri. Abrar Ahmed is doing up down from **village-Chata, Tal.- Chapia, Dist. Sivan, State-Bihar.** As your authority is aware Field Operator are entitle to travel by train in sleeper class, to get the reservation on train for sleeper class is quite difficult. Therefore, he has to pay **Rupees Two thousand** in excess every time one way for confirmation of reservation and to ensure he doesn't miss his duty cycle. No need to mention, Field Operator salaries are meagre as compare to regular employees.

The said train, "CSMT Suvidha Express" (Train No. 82355) runs from Mumbai to Patna and back. The sleeper class's ticket of above mentioned train is approximately Rs. 2625/- (Rupees Two Thousand Six Hundred Twenty Five Only). This being a premium train fares are increases when travel date is closer from booking, tickets are available on this train at the last moment also. Shri. Abrar Ahmed can be allowed to travel by "CSMT Suvidha Express" as train fare of Rs. 2625/- is for sleeper class only. It is pertinent to mention here that our regular employees are entitle to travel by Air irrespective of his designation. We are hereby requesting to sanction the fare for sleeper class of the train i.e. of "CSMT Suvidha Express".

Your esteemed authority is requested to kindly allow Shri. Abrar Ahmed to travel by "CSMT Suvidha Express" as he is the only "Field Operator" in Mumbai Region doing up down from Bihar state. The financial implication for allowing him by "CSMT Suvidha Express" is negligible and Shri. Abrar Ahmed has dedicated 23 years of sincere service to ONGC. His performance can be verified as he is very regular and punctual in his service. By allowing him to travel by "CSMT Suvidha Express" at least amount of Rupees Fifty Thousand per year can be saved by him which is a substantial amount for him being a Field Operator.

Hope your authority will take a favourable decision in the matter.

Thanking you,
Yours faithfully,

(Pradeep Mayekar)

**General Secretary** 

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- 4. Rig Manager, Sagar Vijay, ONGC WOU, 11 High, Sion, Mumbai 17