भारतीय लेखापरीक्षा और लेखा विभाग प्रधान निदेशक लेखापरीक्षा का कार्यालय पूर्व रेलवे, कोलकाता 14, स्ट्रैंड रोड, न्यू कोयलाघाट बिल्डिंग (5वीं मंजिल) कोलकाता –700001



INDIAN AUDIT AND ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL DIRECTOR OF AUDIT EASTERN RAILWAY, KOLKATA 14, STRAND ROAD, NEW KOILAGHAT BUILDING (5th FLOOR), KOLKATA-700001

CIRCULAR No: 17

Headquarters' office vide their letter contained in email dated 19-03-2025 has expressed concerns over impleading the name of the Comptroller & Auditor General (C&AG) of India in court cases by IA&AD employees. Despite the fact that the C&AG of India as the Constitutional head of the IA&AD, does not have a direct role in the service/entitlement matters of IA&AD employees. The Deputy Comptroller and Auditor General (HR) i.e. DAI (HR) is the designated competent authority responsible for day-to-day decision making and overseeing service/entitlement matters including appointments, promotions, disciplinary actions and entitlements of IA&AD employees.

In view of the above, all the officials of this office may take due notice, and it is suggested to avoid impleading the name of the C&AG as a respondent in court cases.

This issues with approval of the Principal Director of Audit.

Sd/-Director (Administration)

No: Admn/31-Court Case/2023 (Part)/ 1663 Date: 20th May 2025

Copy forwarded for information to:

- 1. The Principal Director of Audit, Railway Production Units & Metro Railway, Kolkata.
- 2. The Director (Administration), O/o the PDA, ER, Kolkata.
- 3. The Dy. Director (Construction), O/o the PDA, ER, Kolkata.
- 4. The Dy. Director, O/o the PDA, RPU, CLW, Chittaranjan.
- 5. The Dy. Director, O/o the PDA, RPU, BLW, Varanasi.
- 6. The Sr. Audit Officer (Administration), O/o the PDA, RPU & Metro Railway, Kolkata.
- 7. All the Branch Officers (including Divisions and Co-ordination Wing -II at Liluah), O/o the PDA, ER, Kolkata.
- *****8. The Sr. Audit Officer (IT&EDP), O/o the PDA, ER, Kolkata with the request to upload this circular in the official website.
 - 9. Notice Board

10. Circular Register.

Sr. Audit Officer (Administration)