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## PART I: SECTION (I) — GENERAL

### Government Notifications

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#### The Railways Ordinance

RULE made, with the concurrence of the Minister of Finance, by the Minister of Transport and Works by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 3 of the Railways Ordinance (Chapter 153), as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947.

Colombo, 6th April, 1950.

J. N. ARUMUGAM,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Transport and Works.

#### RULE

The Rules for Passenger and Goods Train Traffic and Rates and Classification of Goods, published in the *Supplement to Gazette* No. 7,514 of February 26, 1926, as amended from time to time, are hereby further amended in the Part relating to the Conveyance of Traffic by Passenger Trains, under the heading "Passengers", as follows:—

(1) in rule 18—

- (a) by the omission of paragraphs (m) and (o), and
- (b) by the re-lettering of paragraph (n) as paragraph (m);

(2) in rule 21, by the substitution, for paragraphs (a) and (b), of the following new paragraphs:—

"(a) Any person, other than a railway official on duty, who is found in a railway carriage or found travelling on the railway—

- (i) without having previously paid his fare, or
- (ii) with a ticket which is out of date, or
- (iii) in a carriage of a higher class than that for which he has paid his fare,

shall be liable to pay, in addition to twice his fare or twice the additional or excess fare due from him, as the case may be, a penalty of an amount calculated at the following rates:—

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(i) if he is found or is travelling in the first class .. .. .	10 0
(ii) if he is found or is travelling in the second class .. .. .	7 50
(iii) if he is found or is travelling in the third class .. .. .	5 0

(b) Any person, other than a railway official on duty, who is found in a railway carriage or found travelling on the railway beyond the station for which he has paid his fare without having previously either paid his fare for the additional distance or obtained the sanction of the guard of the train shall be liable to pay, in addition to twice his fare or twice the additional or excess fare due from him, as the case may be, a penalty of an amount calculated at the rate of Rs 2.50 for every unit of 25 miles or part thereof of the additional distance beyond the distance for which he has paid his fare:

Provided, however, that if he is travelling in a carriage of a higher class than that for which he has paid his fare, he shall also be liable to pay a further penalty of an amount calculated at the rates set out in paragraph (a)."; and

(3) in rule 24 by the omission of paragraph (b).