USER GUIDE FOR INDIAN RAILWAY E-TICKET BOOKING & CANCELLATION





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A GUIDE for e-TICKET BOOKING

- Registered with First Flight Tours & Travels as Authorised E-Ticket Franchisee.
- Download Class 3 Digital Certificate or Software from software CD.
- Insert e-token in the USB port of the system and wait for 1 Min. (In case if you have taken Digital Signature in USB Token Format.
- Go on homepage of IRCTC <u>www.irctc.co.in</u> and click on Agent Login.
- A window will appear stating your name. Highlight the name and click ok to continue.
- Insert the USER ID and password given by IRCTC. Click login to Continue.
- The "Plan my travel and Book tickets" page appears.
- Use help option for any help required to book tickets.
- Select your train from the list that appears on the screen.
- If the From/To station selected by you are correctly in the route of the train then:
- Select e-Ticket option.
- The list of e-ticket trains will be highlighted.

The identification details are not required at the time of booking now. The ID card will be required during journey. One of the passenger booked on an e-ticket should have any of the five identity cards(Voter identity card / Passport / Pan card / Driving license / Photo I/d card of Central / State Government issued to their employees) during train journey in original.



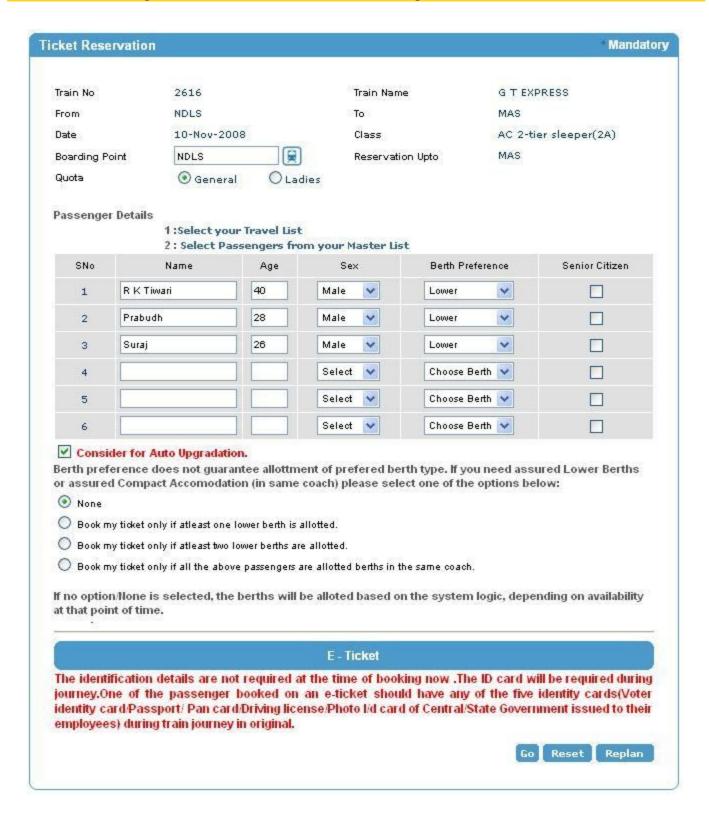
Time table of several trains are being updated from July 2008, Please check exact train starting time from boarding station before embarking on your journey.

- For normal I-Ticket, booking is permitted at least two clear calendar days in advance of date of journey.
- For e-Ticket, booking can be done upto chart Preparation approximately 4 to 6 hours before departure of train. For morning trains with departure time upto 12.00 hrs charts are prepared on the previous night.
- Opening day booking (90th day in advance, excluding the date of journey) will be available only after 8 AM, along with the counters.





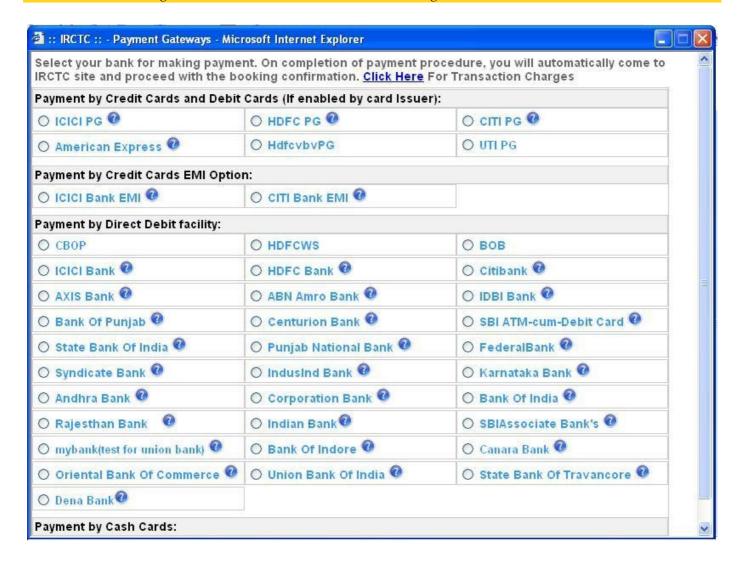
- If you wish to know the route and the timings, click on Show Route.
- If you want to know the availability of seats/berths, click on "Show Availability"
 To get the fare, click on "Get Fare" button. The fare appearing is for a single adult Passenger excluding the service charges charged by IRCTC and by the Bank(Credit Card/Direct Debit). To book tickets, click on "Book Ticket" button
- > If you wish to select other train, click on "Select Other Train" button.



- > Ticket reservation page appears; check whether the train name and the station names displayed on the top of the page are same as desired by you.
- ➤ Enter the names of the Passengers, age, sex and berth preference for each Passenger. The maximum length of names should be restricted to 15 characters. If the Passenger is a senior citizen (60 yrs and above) and wants to avail Senior Citizens' concession (30% of Base fare), click the box provided. Senior citizens are requested to carry some proof of age during their journey. A sample form is reproduced below. (The allotment of your required berth depends on the availability)

Ticket Reservation Train No. 2616 Train Name G T EXPRESS NDLS From To AC 2-tier sleeper Date 10-Nov-2008 Class (2A) NDLS Boarding Point Reservation Upto MAS Quota General SNo Berth Preference Senior Citizen Loyalty No Name Age Sex R K Tiwari 40 1 Male Lower No 2 Prabudh 28 Male Lower No Suraj 26 Male Lower No Ticket Amount: Rs.5991.0 Service Charges: Rs.30.0 (Including Service Tax) Total Amount: Rs.6021.0 Total Availability at IST 15:35 AVAILABLE- 0045 AC 2-tier sleeper(2A) Note1: This availability is for all berths, not of your prefered berth type. As tickets are booked throughout the country across PRS counters, any confirmed status shown above may decline into RAC/Waiting list status, while your payment is being processed. Make Payment Replan Click here to check comparitive performance report of banks Note: If for any reason, the reservation output details are not displayed on your screen after you have made payments, please check the details in "Booked Tickets" under "Booking History" in left navigation bar. You may also check your mail for the details of your booking. You are also advised to contact IRCTC before trying to book your ticket again.

- > The ticket details, availability of tickets at the particular time and the fare, including the service charge, appear on the screen, along with the payment option. Follow the instructions.
- Click on the button "Make Payment" and a pop-up window will give the list of payment options. Please choose one of the mode of payment. Please click on the payment option below for help regarding the payment procedure through each of these options



Transaction Charges Details				
Payment by Credit Cards				
AXIS PG	For all Master / Visa credit cards issued by any bank. Transaction charges of $\bf 1.65\%$			
ICICI PG	For all MASTER / VISA Credit Cards (Not International Credit Cards) / HDFC, ICICI, AXIS, SBI, Deutsche Bank, KVB(Karur Vysya Bank) Visa debit cards. Transaction Charges 1.8%			
HDFC PG	For all MASTER / VISA Credit Cards (Not International Credit Cards) / HDFC, AXIS, SBI, Deutsche Bank, KVB(Karur Vysya Bank) Visa debit cards. Transaction Charges 1.8%			
CITI PG	For all MASTER / VISA / DINERS CLUB CREDIT CARDS / HDFC, AXIS, SBI, Deutsche Bank, KVB (Karur Vysya Bank) Visa debit cards. Transaction Charges 1.8%			
American Express	For all credit cards issued by American Express. Transaction Charges $\textbf{1.8\%}$			
Payment by Credit Cards EMI Option				
ICICI BANK EMI	Pay in 3 installments with your ICICI Bank Credit Cards. Transaction charges 4.65% .			
CITI Bank EMI	Pay in 3 installments with your Citibank/Diners Club Credit Cards. Transaction charges 2.8% .			
Payment by Direct Debit Facility				
Canara Bank	Transaction Charges of Rs. 10/-			
HDFC Bank	Transaction Charges of Rs. 10/- \pm service tax and education cess as applicable.			
ICICI BANK	Transaction Charges of Rs. 10/-+Service Tax as applicable.			
Citibank	Transaction charges of Rs.10/-			
AXIS Bank	Transaction Charge of Rs.10/- + taxes per transaction.			
ABN Amro Bank	Transaction Charge NIL			
IDBI Bank	Transaction charges of Rs.10/-			
SBI ATM-cum-Debit Card	Transaction charges of Rs.10/-			
State Bank of India	Transaction charges of Rs.10/-			
Punjab National Bank	Transaction Charge NIL			
Federal Bank	Transaction Charge NIL			
Syndicate Bank	Transaction Charge NIL			
Indusind Bank	Transaction Charge NIL			
Karnataka Bank	Transaction Charge NIL			
Andhra Bank	Transaction charges of Rs.10/-			
Corporation Bank	Transaction charges of Rs10/ per transaction			
Bank of India	Transaction Charge NIL			
Rajasthan Bank	Transaction Charge Rs. 15			
Indian Bank	Transaction Charges of Rs. 10/-			
SBI Associates	Transaction Charge Rs. 10 per Transaction			
Oriental bank of commerce	Transaction charges of Rs.10/- At selected branches of OBC			
Union Bank Of India	Transaction Charge NIL			
Bank of Baroda	Transaction Charge NIL			
Payment by Cash Cards				
ITZ Cash Card	Transaction charges of 1.5%			

Congratulations. You have successfully made an e-Reservation with these details.

Please print the slip and carry it along with the relevant photo ID card while travelling.

Thank you for using IRCTC's services.

Ticket Reservation IRCTCs e-Ticketing Service Electronic Reservation Slip Transaction ID: 0004130072 PNR No : 2201072099 Train No. & Name: 2616/GTEXPRESS Date of Journey: 10-11-2008 Date Of Boarding:10/11/2008 Class: 2A From: NEW DELHI(NDLS) To : CHENNAI CENTRAL(MAS) Boarding NEW DELHI (NDLS) Resv Upto: CHENNAI CENTRAL(MAS) Coach No: HA1 Distance: 2183 KM Seat No: 0001/LB 0003/LB Adult: 3Child: 0 0002/UB Total Fare: Rs. 5991.0 Scheduled Departure: 18:40 Details of Passengers SNO. Name Sex Age RKTIWARI Male 040 PRABUDH 028 Male SURAL 026 Male

<u>Important</u>

- One of the passenger booked on an E-ticket is required to present any of the five identity cards noted below
 in original during the train journey and same will be accepted as a proof of identity failing which all the
 passengers will be treated as travelling without ticket and shall be dealt as per extant Railway Rules. Valid
 lds:- Voter Identity Card / Passport / PAN Card / Driving License / Photo ID card issued by Central / State
 Govt. for their employees.
- The accommodation booked is not transferable and is valid only if one of the ID card noted above is
 presented during the journey. The passenger should carry with him the Electronic Reservation Slip print out. In
 case the passenger does not carry the electronic reservation slip, a charge of Rs.50/- per ticket shall be
 recovered by the ticket checking staff and an excess fare ticket will be issued in lieu of that.
- E-ticket cancellations are permitted through <u>www.irctc.co.in</u> by the user. In case e-ticket is booked through an agent, please contact respective agent for cancellations.
- Just dial 139 from your landline, mobile & CDMA phones for railway enquiries.
 Contact us on:- 24*7 Hrs. Customer Support at 011-23340000, MON SAT(10 AM 6 PM) 011-23345500/4787/4773/5800/8539/8543, Fax no. 011-23345900, Chennai Customer Care 044 25300000.or Mail To: care@irctc.co.in

For cancellation and Refund:

Passenger should access the website www.irctc.co.in only for cancellation as no cancellation is permitted at railway counters for electronic tiplests.

Please note that the provision for specifying I/D proof at the time of booking an e-ticket has been dispensed with. The accommodation booked is not transferable and is valid only if one of the passenger booked on an e-ticket in a transaction presents any of the five identity cards(Voter identity card/Passport/ Pan card/Driving license/Photo I/d card of Central/State Government issued to their employees) during train journey in original and same will be accepted as proof of identity failing which the passengers will be treated as travelling without ticket and shall be dealt with as per extant Railway Rules.

Print ERS (English) Print ERS (Hindi) Print ERS Instructions

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- After successful payment and booking of accommodations, the User is shown the ticket confirmation details along with a "Print Reservation Slip" Button". On clicking the button ERS is shown with an option to print.
- The customer can subsequently also print Electronic Reservation Slip from the 'BOOKED TICKETS' link on the left navigation bar.



IRCTCs e-Ticketing Service Electronic Reservation Slip



Transaction ID: 0004130072		PNR No : 2201072099	
Train No. & Name: 2616/G 1	EXPRESS	Date of Journey:10-Nov-2008	
Class: 2A	Date of Booking:03-Nov-2008 03:35:54 PM	Date of Boarding:10-Nov-2008	
From: NEW DELHI(NDLS)	To: CHENNAI CENTRAL(MAS)	Distance: 2183 KM	
Boarding: NEW DELHI(NDL	Quota: General		
Scheduled Departure: 18:40	Total Fare: Rs 5991.00	Adult: 3 Child: 0	

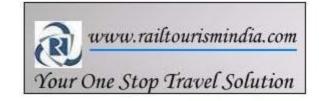
*Departure time printed on the ERS is liable to change. New time table from 01-07-2008

SNO	D. Name	Age	Sex	Status/ Coach No/ Seat No
1,	R K Tiwari	40	Male	CONFIRM / HA1 / 0001
2.	Prabudh	28	Male	CONFIRM / HA1 / 0003
3.	Suraj	26	Male	CONFIRM / HA1 / 0002

Service Charges

1-IRCTC service charge:-Rs 30.00





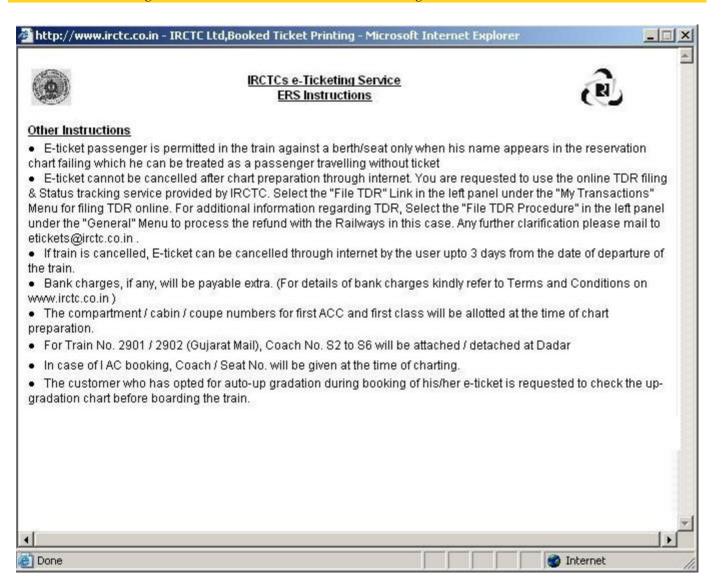
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Print Instructions

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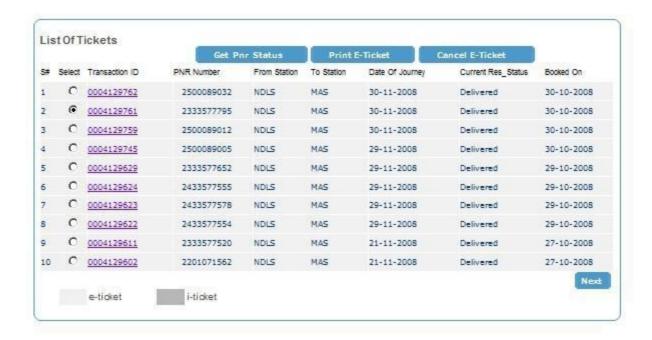


A GUIDE for e-TICKET CANCELLATION

If user wishes to cancel his e-ticket from 'BOOKED TICKETS' link on the left navigation bar, select the ticket to be cancelled and click on 'Cancel e-ticket' and can initiate the cancellation by selecting the passengers to be cancelled.



Check the PNR status to confirm cancellation of your ticket. On failure of cancellation of the ticket with repeated attempts please contact us immediately at 011-23340000 / 23345500 / 23344787 / 23344773 / 23345800 or email us at etickets@irctc.co.in



> User has to select only those passangers who are to be cancelled in case of partial cancellation of ticket. in case of partial cancellation the passanger should get a fresh printout of the ERS for the passangers continuing there journey.



> If the ticket is partially cancelled, a fresh Electronic Reservation Slip needs to be carried by the Passenger



Do's & Don'ts for the Franchisees Registered with IRCTC

Do's for the Franchisees

- The Franchisees should register only if minimum basic Infrastructure already exists. The Franchisees should have its own office with valid license for online ticket reservation and efficient staff to handle the booking/delivery of e-tickets as and when required.
- IRCTC's rules & regulations are to be read properly & followed strictly. Ignorance of the same cannot be considered a valid reason.
- Registration as an agent in IRCTC is issued for booking of E-Tickets only (except RTSA Franchisees, who are authorized by Railways).
- Franchisees should issue receipt on their own stationary for the amount collected from the customers.
- The receipt should contain details like Railway Fare, IRCTC's service charges, Franchisees service charges etc. (The service Tax as applicable on the Franchisees service charges should be shown separately in the receipt).
- The service charges to be collected by the Franchisees should be displayed prominently by the Franchisees.
- Change of address should be intimated to ORCTC immediately along with the original certificate issued by IRCTC in order to issue a fresh certificate.
- Franchisees if permitted by IRCTC, can keep a sign board outside their office in which IRCTC's logo can be displayed. IRCTC's logo (Soft copy) will be sent by mail on request.
- Certificate of Authorization issued by IRCTC should be prominently displayed at the Office.
- If cash cards are used, it is pertinent to retain the exhausted cards for refunds if any.
- Cancellation is a part of the service already extended to the Customer. Hence no extra charges should be collected when the customer approaches the Franchisee at a later date for cancellation of his ticket.
- Franchisee should refund the money to the customer immediately in all cases.
- Along with the refund, the refund details must be provided to the customer during cancellation.
- In case of refund of e-tickets which could not be cancelled on website, the Franchisee must inform the customer about the process, take contact details & remit the refund to the customer as and when it is credited in the Franchisee's account.
- The Franchisee must ensure that the transaction (Booking or cancellation) is done with the complete knowledge of the customer.
- The Franchisee must be fully aware of extant rules.
- Franchisee should practice good business ethics.

Don'ts for the Franchisees

- No advertisement in any form whether in print or press media is to be issued without prior permission from IRCTC in writing.
- Extra charges in any form whether for cancellation of the ticket or checking the availability status should not be collected from the customers.
- Booking of I-tickets is prohibited & punishable with minimum punishment of immediate deactivation of the user id.
- Transfer & re-sale of tickets is punishable user Indian Railway rules under Sec.142.
- Franchisees are prohibited to print reservation Application Forms with IRCTC Logo on top.
- Popularizing the organizations name as authorized Railway Agents is strictly prohibited. The Franchisees are IRCTC authorized E-Ticketing Agents.
- IRCTC's logo should not be used in Visiting Cards, Letterheads, and Pamphlets or in any other forms unless approved by IRCTC.
- Tickets should be booked only when the customer approaches.
- Login page should not be kept idle for a long time.
- Do not use back or refresh option while booking tickets.
- Do not book benami e-tickets (anybody doing so will be prosecuted).
- Blocking of accommodation by giving fictious names in ay train should not be done. As per the Indian Railways Act-1989 blocking of accommodation is a criminal offence and is punishable.
- The Electronic Reservation Slip (ERS) should not be modified. If brought to the notice, IRCTC will take necessary punitive steps.
- Do not cancel the tickets without the knowledge of the customer.
- Do not change the profile by entering new details Even if update profile link is available (rare cases) in the left panel in our website after logging in. If you update you will be reverted as individual user losing the functionality of agent booking.
- Do not lose the Digital Certificate as you will not be able to login without the certificate.