

154. Endangering safety of persons traveling by railway by rash or negligent act or omission.- If any person in rash and negligent manner does any act, or omits to do what he is legally bound to do, and the act of omission is likely to endanger the safety of any person traveling or being upon any railway, he shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one year, or with fine of with both.

Comment

Section 153 and 154 respectively provide for punishment for endangering safety of persons traveling by railway by willful act or omission or negligent act or omission.

155. Entering into a compartment reserved or resisting entry into a compartment not reserved.- (1) If any passenger -

- (a) having entered a compartment wherein no berth or seat has been reserved by a railway administration for his use, or
- (b) having unauthorisedly occupied a berth or seat reserved by a railway administration for the use of another passenger, refuses to leave it when required to do so by any railway servant authorized in this behalf, such railway servant may remove him or cause him to be removed, with the aid of any other person, from the compartment, berth or seat, as the case may be, and he shall also be punishable with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

(2) If any passenger resists the lawful entry of another passenger into a compartment not reserved for the use of the passenger resisting, he shall be punishable with the fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Comment

Section 155 provides for punishment for a person for refusing to leave a reserved compartment in which no berth or seat is reserved for him or for resisting lawful entry into a reserved compartment.

156. Travelling on roof, step or engine of a train.—If any passenger or any other person, after being warned by a railway servant to desist, persist in traveling on the roof, step or foot-board of any carriage or on an engine, or in any other part of a train not intended for the use of passengers, he shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months, or with the which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both and may be removed from the railway by any railway servant.

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