

FICCI comments on Rail fare increase

New Delhi, 20 June, 2014: Reacting to the rail fare increase announced by the government for both passenger and freight traffic, **Mr. Sidharth Birla, President, FICCI** said *“If tariffs had been incrementally attended to over the years, to match rising expenditure and attending to the needs of this crucial link in our national infrastructure, an increase of this magnitude in one go would not have been necessitated. We of course hope and expect that there will be a concomitant improvement in both the quality and safety of services offered by Indian Railways.”*

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