

Eastern Railway

No.E.1023/0/Pt.VII

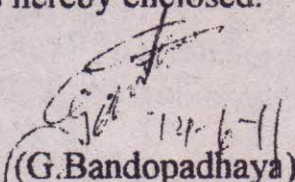
Kolkata, 14th June 2011

All Concerned

Sub: Conducting of Selection/Suitability test in regional language.

Railway Board's letter No.E (NG) I-2004/PM1/41 dated 25.04.2011(RBE No.52/2011) is forwarded for information, guidance and necessary action. Board's earlier letter no. E (NG) I-90/PM1/41 dtd.08.07.1992 is hereby enclosed.

DA: As Above.


(G. Bandopadhyaya)
Asstt. Personnel Officer: /E&R
For Chief Personnel Officer

Board's letter no. E (NG) I-2004/PM1/41 dated 25.04.2011(RBE No.52/2011) addressed to GMs' All Indian Railways and others.

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It was represented by the staff side in DC/JCM meeting held on 1st and 2nd July 2010, that the orders of the Railway Board in regard to the above quoted subject have not been implemented in the Zonal railways.

Board desire that the instructions as envisaged in Railway Board's letter no. E (NG) I-90/PM1/41 dtd.08.07.1992 should be implemented positively.

Index No.1063: Reiteration of the circular mentioned above regarding use of
"Regional Language"

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA/BHARAT SARKAR
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS/RAIL MANTRALAYA
(RAILWAY BOARD)

D.C.No.7 M.C .311No.

No.E (NG) I – 90/PM1/41

New delhi,dt.8/7/92

The General Manager (P) s
All Indian railways etc.
(AS PER STANDARD LIST)

Sub: Optional use of Regional Language for answers in Departmental Tests
And examinations – incorporation in Master circular No.31.

The following Para may be added as item no.6-A of Para III of Master Circular
No.31, circulated under Board's letter of even number dated 21.8.91:-

“Use of regional Languages in lieu of English may be permitted in all selections
and suitability tests subject to the condition that where necessary, knowledge of English
may be separately tested to ensure that the person would understand the instructions
relating to requirement of his job, the competent authority, may, however, insist upon
such tests being conducted in English in these special cases, which should be few in
number, where it is considered that knowledge of English would be essential.

The term “Regional Language” as used here means official language of the State in
which the office where the employees concerned are working is located.”

Sd/-

(K.B.Lal)

Joint director, Establishment (N)
Railway Board