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ALL CONCERNED

Sub: Recruitment of sportspersons on Zonal Railways / Production Units against sports quota.

Enclosed please find herewith the copy of Railway Board's letter No. 2012/ E(Sports)/ 4(1)/ 1/ Policy Clarifications dated 18<sup>th</sup> April, 2012 (RBE No. 52/2012 - Clarification/Corrigendum No. 24) communicating amendments/replacements of paras on the matter of recruitment of sportspersons against sports quota through Talent Scouting, which are to be implemented from the year 2012-13 i.e. 01/04/2012 onwards.

In this regard it may be mentioned that, copy of Railway Board's letter No. 2010/E(Sports)/4(1)/1(Policy) dated 31/12/2010 (RBE No. 189B/2010), as referred in Board's present letter, was communicated to all concerned vide CPO/CCC's Serial No. 05/2011.

The above letter is enclosed herewith for information, guidance and necessary action please.

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Copy of Railway Board's letter No. 2012/ E(Sports)/ 4(1)/ 1/ Policy Clarifications dated 18<sup>th</sup> April, 2012 (RBE No. 52/2012 - Clarification/Corrigendum No. 24) addressed to GM(P) All Zonal Railways & Others.

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Ref. :- Board's letter No. 2010/E(Sports)/4(1)/1(Policy) dt. 31.12.2010 (RBE No. 189B/2010) and Clarifications/Corrigendum issued thereto.

Board(MS), had formed a three Member Committee to examine and give suggestions for improvement to the existing procedure being followed on Zonal Railways / Production Units, for recruitment of sportspersons against sports quota, through the channel of Talent Scouting.

The recommendations of the Committee have been accepted by Board(MS) for implementation over all Zonal Railways and Production Units from the year 2012-13, i.e. 01.04.2012 onwards. Accordingly, the following paras of Board's letter dt. 31.12.2010 referred above, shall stand amended and replaced by Amended Para/New Para:-

Para No.	Existing Para	Amended / New Para
2.1	Recruitment of Sportspersons shall be done through Talent Scouting and Open Advertisement. 60% of the total quota, including the share of Railway Sports Promotion Board (RSPB), shall be through Talent Scouting and balance 40% shall be filled up by Open Advertisement. Distribution of quota for a financial year, amongst Railways, Units, RSPB and Workshops having staff strength of 4000 or more, shall be as under:-	Recruitment of Sportspersons shall be done through Talent Scouting and Open Advertisement. 30% of the total sports quota, including the share of Railway Sports Promotion Board (RSPB), shall be through Talent Scouting and the balance 70% shall be filled up through Open Advertisement.  All future recruitment (from 2012-13 onwards) against sports quota in Grade Pay Rs.1800 in scale Rs.5,200-20,200(PB-1), shall be only through the process of Open Advertisement.  Accordingly, the revised distribution of sports quota for a financial year, amongst Railways, Units, RSPB and Workshops having staff strength of 4000 or more, shall be as per Annexure-A.
2.14 (New Para)	...	The General Manager of Zonal Railway / Production Unit is competent to transfer the Talent Scouting Quota allotted to their Railway/Unit for recruitment of sportspersons in Grade Pay Rs.1900 to Rs.4200 to Open Advertisement, in case suitable sportspersons are not found through the process of Talent Scouting.  However, Open Advertisement Quota shall not be transferred to Talent Scouting.

2.15 (New Para)	...	<p>Game-wise distribution of Sports Quota:</p> <p>2.15.1 Zonal Railways/Production Units must finalize game-wise distribution of sports quota allotted for a financial year, in the attached proforma (Annexure-B), latest by 30<sup>th</sup> June of that financial year, with the approval of the President of concerned Zonal Railway/Unit Sports Association, for recruitment of sportspersons both through Talent Scouting and Open Advertisement. No recruitment against sports quota shall be done without game-wise distribution of quota in attached proforma.</p> <p>A copy of game-wise distribution of sports quota in prescribed proforma, must be sent to RSPB, immediately after the approval of the Competent Authority.</p> <p>2.15.2 The sports quota distribution should be done through a proper justification and should invariably contain the following information, on file, while obtaining approval of the Competent Authority:-</p> <p>(i) Name of sports discipline : (e.g. Athletics/ Hockey/Boxing/Cricket, etc.)</p> <p>(ii) Event : (e.g. like 100m/Goalkeeper/54Kg./ Wicketkeeper, etc.)</p> <p>2.15.3 Any deviation from declared sports quota distribution is permissible only after the approval of the President of Sports Association of concerned Railway/Unit.</p>
4.1(m) - Notes (New Para)	...	<p>In team sports, only sportspersons who have actually played the sport in field, shall only be eligible. Therefore, a sportsperson who represents as member of a team in any recognized sports event/championship but has actually not played in the field, shall not be considered for recruitment against sports quota.</p>
4.2.1	<p>For recruitment against sports quota, the sports achievements shall be in the immediate previous two years for both Talent Scouting and Open Advertisement and sportspersons shall be an active player. For this purpose previous two financial years from the date of receipt of application or date of notification, as the case may be, shall be taken in to account. For example, for applications received in 2010-11 (i.e. from 01.04.2010 to 31.03.2011) for recruitment through Talent Scouting or notification issued</p>	<p>For recruitment against sports quota, recognized sports achievements should be in the current and/or immediate previous one financial year in the case of Talent Scouting and in the current and/or immediate previous two financial years in the case of Open Advertisement; and sportspersons should be an active player.</p> <p>For this purpose, the period shall be counted from the date of receipt of application in the case of Talent Scouting and from the date of notification in the case of Open Advertisement.</p> <p>For example, in the case of recruitment through Talent Scouting, applications received during 2012-13 (i.e. from 01.04.2012 to 31.03.2013), the sports achievements in recognized championships/events on or after 01.04.2011 shall only be considered for appointment, in the extant case.</p>



