

Eastern Railway
(Personnel Department)
17 N. S. Road, Kolkata - 700 001

Serial Circular No.72/2021

No. E.352/O/1/Pt.II

Kolkata, Dated: 19/08/2021

All Concerned

(as per standard list)

Sub: Clarifications on Children Education Allowance (CEA) during Covid-19 epidemic Lockdown period.

A copy of Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) letter bearing no. E(W)2017/ED-2/3, dated 12/08/2021 (RBE No. 49/2021, PC-VII No. 172) on the above cited subject along with its enclosures, is sent herewith for information, guidance, and necessary action. Board's earlier letter dated 13/08/2018 (RBE No. 114/2018) mentioned therein was circulated under this office serial no. 153/2018.

DA: As above.

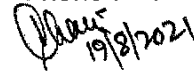


(Pallavi Goswami)

Dy. Chief Personnel Officer/HQ

For Pr. Chief Personnel Officer

Phone No. 24106(Rly.)



Index No. 1057: The CEA claims may be considered through self-declaration or through printout of e-mail/SMS of result/report card/fee payment, in addition to the prescribed modes only for the academic years ending March, 2020 and March, 2021.

RBE No.49/2021
PC-VII No.172

भारत सरकार Government of India
रेल मंत्रालय Ministry of Railways
रेलवे बोर्ड (Railway Board)

No. E(W)2017/ED-2/3

New Delhi, dated: 12.08.2021

The General Manager(P)
All Indian Railways and
Production Units.


Sub : Clarifications on Children Education Allowance(CEA) during Covid-19
epidemic Lockdown period.

Please refer to Railway Board's letter of even number dated 13.08.2018 circulating
therewith consolidated instructions on the subject of Children Education Allowance (CEA) &
Hostel Subsidy to Government Servants.

2. Now Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel &
Training) vide their OM No.A-27012/02/2017-Estt.(AL) dated 01.07.2021 have issued a
clarification on Children Education Allowance during COVID-19 epidemic Lockdown period
(copy enclosed). The same is circulated herewith for guidance of all concerned. These
instructions shall apply mutatis-mutandis to Railway employees.

Please acknowledge receipt.

DA: As above



12/08/2021.
(Ashutosh Garg)
Dy. Director Estt.(Welfare)II
Railway Board

No.E(W)2017/ED-2/3

New Delhi, dated : 12.08.2021

Copy to :

The Deputy Comptroller and Auditor General of India (Railways), Room No.224, Rail Bhavan,
New Delhi(with 40 spares)


12/08/21
for Member(Finance)/Railways Board

No.A-27012/02/2017-Estt.(AL)
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions
Department of Personnel & Training

Block-IV, Old JNU Campus, New Delhi.

Dated: 1st July, 2021

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Clarifications on Children Education Allowance (CEA) during COVID-19 epidemic Lockdown period.

This Department has been receiving several references/queries from Central Government employees stating that in the prevailing pandemic situation, result/report cards were not sent to the parents by the School through SMS/email, and fee is also being deposited online, and the parents are having difficulty in claiming CEA.

2. The matter has been considered and it has been decided that in relaxation of para 2(b) of this Department's OM No.A-27012/02/2017-Estt.(AL) dated 17th July, 2018, the CEA claims may also be considered through a self-certification made from the concerned employees or through printout of e-mail/SMS of result/report card/fee payment, in addition to the prescribed modes of claims only for the academic years ending March, 2020 and March, 2021.

3. Cases already settled in favour of the Central Government servant need not be reopened.

Hindi version will follow.



(Sunil Kumar)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

Tel:26164316

To

1. Ministries/Departments of the Government of India.
2. NIC with a request to upload the OM on the website of DoPT.