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[Attention: Sr.DPOs/Dy.CPO/WPOs]

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
Sub: Coverage under Railway Services (Pension) Rules, 1993, in place of National Pension System, of those Railway employees whose selection for appointment was finalized before 01/01/2004 but who joined Railway service on or after 01/01/2004 - Clarification reg.

A reference has been received in this office from one of the Divisions, seeking clarification regarding what the term 'result' means in the context of switching over from NPS to OPS in the case of any Railway employee in terms of instructions contained in RBE No. 28/2020 circulated under this office serial no. 33/2020.

The matter has been examined. It is clarified with the approval of the competent authority (PCPO) that declaration of result in the context of instructions contained in RBE No. 28/2020 *ibid*, would mean the recommendation of the Panel to the Railway after completion of all recruitment process by RRB/RRC. As a corollary, the option for switching over from NPS to OPS as per these instructions would not be available to those Railway employees in whose cases results in the form of panel for recruitment were declared on or after 01/01/2004.

All Units are advised to ensure implementation of the above clarification. In case of any deviation, corrective action may be taken immediately.

(This disposes of DRM/ASN's letter no. E(PR)/23 Pt.II/NPS to OPS, dated 26/11/2021)


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