Sl.No. 50/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/75/Re-engagement :::::: Asansol dated 28/04/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E.368/0/Re-engagement, dated 10/04/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch. OS/Reeling 28/9/23
DPO
May Pl. Sign. 28/09/23 O/C

01/5/23
for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

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Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E. 368/0/Re-engagement, dated 10/04/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub: Re-engagement of retired State Government officials in exigencies of services in project where land acquisition is involved.

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A copy of Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) letter bearing no. E(NG)II/2020/RC-4/2 (Pt.2), dated 03/03/2023 (RBE No. 39/2023) on the above cited subject is circulated herewith for information and further necessary action. Board's earlier letters dated 28/11/2019 (RBE No. 207/2019) and 22/12/2020 (RBE No. 113/2020) mentioned therein were circulated under this office serial nos. 252/2019 and 132/2020 respectively.

DA: As above.

10/4/23

(S.K. Chattopadhyay)
Sr. Personnel Officer/HQ
For Pr. Chief Personnel Officer
Phone No. 24122 (Rly.)
10/4/23.

Index No.1060: Guidelines regarding engagement of retired State Govt. officials from forest/revenue departments on contract basis for work related to Survey, updation of land records, coordination with State Govt. agencies for forest/wild life clearances in projects where land acquisition is involved, valid upto one year beyond 21/02/2023 i.e. 21/02/2024.

RBE No. 39/2023

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

No. E(NG)II/2020/RC-4/2 (Pt.2) New Delhi, dated: 03.03.2023

The General Manager (P),
All Zonal Railways/PUs,
(As per standard mailing list).

Sub: Re-engagement of retired State Government officials in exigencies of services in projects where land acquisition is involved.

Ref: (i) Board's letter No. E(NG)II/2007/RC-4/CORE/1 dated 28.11.2019 (RBE No. 207/2019)
(ii) Board's letter No. E(NG)II/2020/RC-4/2(Pt.2) dated 22.12.2020(RBE No. 113/2020).

It had been decided vide Board's letter dated 22.12.2020 that no retired employees should be re-engaged after 02.12.2020 except in para medical category.

2. It has now been decided to permit Railways to engage retired State Government officials from forest/revenue departments on contract basis for work related to Survey, updation of land records, coordination with State Government agencies for forest/ wild life clearances in projects where land acquisition is involved.

3. The total number of such engagements may be restricted to 10 in each Zonal Railway. The scheme has been extended for a period of one year beyond 21.02.2023 i.e. upto 21.02.2024. Powers for such engagement shall be exercised by the General Managers only with Finance concurrence.

4. As regards remuneration, allowances and leave, these will be as per OM No. F.No. 3-25/2020-E.IIIA dated 09.12.2020 of Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, Government of India which are as under –

(i) A fixed monthly amount shall be admissible as remuneration during the contract period, arrived at by deducting the basic pension from the pay drawn at the time of retirement. The amount of remuneration so fixed shall remain unchanged for the term of the contract.
(ii) No increment, Dearness Allowance and HRA shall be allowed during the term of the contract.
(iii) An appropriate and fixed amount as Transport Allowance for the purpose of commuting between the residence and the place of work shall be allowed not exceeding the rate applicable to the appointee at the time of retirement. The amount so fixed shall remain unchanged during the term of appointment. However, they may be allowed TA/DA on official tour, if any, as per their entitlement at the time of retirement.
(iv) Paid leave of absence may be allowed at the rate of 1.5 days for each completed month of service.

5. The re-engaged retired employees shall sign an agreement of confidentiality with the Railway containing a clause on Ethics and Integrity.

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Sl.No. 50/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/75/Re-engagement :::::: Asansol dated 28/04/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E.368/0/Re-engagement, dated 10/04/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

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10/4/23

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

No. E(NG)II/2020/RC-4/2 (Pt.2)

New Delhi, dated: 03.03.2023

The General Manager (P),
All Zonal Railways/PUs,
(As per standard mailing list).

Sub: Re-engagement of retired State Government officials in exigencies of services in projects where land acquisition is involved.

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Sl.No. 51/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/57P-II/DA

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Asansol dated 12/04/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E.70/0/Pt.V, dated 10/04/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch.OS/Ruling 12/4/23
DPO
may pl. sign. 12/4/23 O/C

12/4/23
for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E.70/0/Pt.V, dated 10/04/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub: Grant of Dearness Allowance to Railway employees - Revised Rates effective from 01/01/2023.

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A copy of Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) letter bearing File no. PC-VII/2016/I/7/2/1, dated 10/04/2023 (RBE No. 50/2023, PC-VII No.206) on the above cited subject is circulated herewith for information and further necessary action. RBE No. 121/2022 dated 04/10/2022 mentioned therein was circulated under this office serial no.140/2022.

DA: As above.

10/4/23

(S.K. Chattopadhyay)
Sr. Personnel Officer/HQ
For Pr. Chief Personnel Officer
Phone No. 24122 (Rly.)

10/4/23.

Index No.1031: Dearness Allowance payable to Railway employees shall be enhanced from the existing 38% to 42% of the Basic Pay with effect from 1st January, 2023.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
RAILWAY BOARD

PC-VII No.- 206

RBE No : 50/2023

File No. PC-VII/2016/I/7/2/1

New Delhi, dated: 10.04.2023

The General Manager/CAOs(R),
All India Railways & Production Units,
(As per mailing list)

Sub: - Grant of Dearness Allowance to Railway employees – Revised Rates effective from 01.01.2023.

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Ministry's letter RBE No. 121/2022 dated 04.10.2022 (F.No. PC-VII/2016/I/7/2/1) on the subject mentioned above and to say that the President is pleased to decide that the Dearness Allowance payable to Railway employees shall be enhanced from the existing rate of **38% to 42% of the Basic Pay with effect from 1st January, 2023.**

2. The term 'Basic Pay' in the revised pay structure means the pay drawn in the prescribed Level in the Pay Matrix as per 7th CPC recommendations accepted by the Government, but does not include any other type of pay like special pay, etc.

3. The Dearness Allowance will continue to be distinct element of remuneration and will not be treated as pay within the ambit of Rule 1303 (FR 9(21)), Indian Railway Establishment Code, Volume –II (Sixth Edition – 1987) – Second Reprint 2005.

4. The payment on account of Dearness Allowance involving fractions of 50 paise and above may be rounded to the next higher rupee and the fractions of less than 50 paise may be ignored.

5. This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of Ministry of Railways.

10/4/23

(Jaya Kumar G)
Deputy Director, Pay Commission-VII & HRMS
Railway Board
e-mail: jaya.kumarg@gov.in
Ph. No: 011-47845125

File No. PC-VII/2016/I/7/2/1

New Delhi, dated: 10.04.2023

Copy (with 40 spares) forwarded to the A.D.A.I., Railways, New Delhi.

10/04/23

For Member (Finance), Railway Board

Sl.No. 49/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/27/Quarter Retention :::::: Asansol dated 12/04/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of No.E.886/0/Vol.IX, dated 30/03/2023, dated 10/04/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch. OS/Ruling 12/4/23
DPO

may Pl. Sign. 12/4/23 O/C

12/4/23
for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

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Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E.886/0/Vol.IX, dated 30/03/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub: Retention of railway accommodation at the previous place of posting in favour of officers/staff posted to Jammu-Udhampur-Srinagar-Baramulla Rail link (USBRL) Project.

Ref: Railway Board's Letter no. E(G) 2001 QR 1-14 dated 24.03.2023 (RBE No.47/2023).

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Copy of Board's letter No. E (G) 2001 QR 1-14 dated 24.03.2023 (RBE No.47/2023) issued by Director Establishment (G), Railway Board on the above subject is attached herewith for information, guidance and strict compliance.

Railway Board's earlier letters dated 27.09.2010 (RBE No. 142/2010), 14.12.2012 (RBE No. 145/2012) and 11.06.2018 (RBE No. 84/2018) as mentioned therein were all circulated vide this office serial No. 116/2018.

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Index No.1062 : Officers/staff posted at Jammu-Udhampur-Srinagar-Baramulla Rail link (USBRL) project may be permitted to retain railway accommodation at previous place of posting beyond 31.03.2023 on normal rent for a further period of one year i.e. up to 31.03.2024 or completion of the project, whichever is earlier.

20/3/23

(S.K. Chattopadhyay)
Senior Personnel Officer/HQ
for Principal Chief Personnel Officer

DA: As above.

O/C
Ramanta
SPO/ Ruling.

RBE No. 47 /2023

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

No. E(G) 2001 QR 1-14 New Delhi, dated 24.03.2023

The General Manager/Director General
All Indian Railways/Production Units/RDSO-Lucknow
CAO/USBRL Project, Northern Railway, Jammu
(As per Standard mailing list).

Sub: Retention of railway accommodation at the previous place of posting in favour of officers/staff posted to Jammu-Udhampur-Srinagar-Baramulla Rail link (USBRL) Project.

In terms of Board's letter No.E(G) 2001 QR 1-14 dated 27.9.2010, 14.12.2012 and 11.6.2018, retention of Railway accommodation at the previous place of posting in favour of officers/staff posted to Jammu-Udhampur-Srinagar-Baramulla Rail link (USBRL) Project was permitted up to 31.3.2023.

2. The matter has been considered by the Full Board and in exercise of the powers vested in it to make reasonable relaxations in public interest for a class/group of employees in all or any of the provisions regarding house allotment/retention, the Full Board have now decided that the officers and staff posted at Jammu-Udhampur-Srinagar-Baramulla Rail link (USBRL) Project may be permitted to retain railway accommodation at previous place of posting beyond 31.3.2023 on normal rent for a further period of one year i.e. up to 31.3.2024 or completion of the project, whichever is earlier.

3. This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.

4. Please acknowledge receipt.

(Praveen Kumar)
Director Establishment (G)
Railway Board

No. E(G) 2001 QR 1-14 New Delhi, dated24 .03.2023

1. PFA, all Indian Railways and Production Units
2. PED (Finance) RDSO, Lucknow
3. Deputy Comptroller & Auditor General of India (Railways), Room No. 224, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi (copy with 46 spares).

For Member Finance/Railway Board

Contd....2/-

Sl.No. 47/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/72/APAR

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Asansol dated 06/04/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No. .E 246/0/1/Pt.IV, dated 29/03/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch.OS/Relting 06/4/23

DPO May Pl. Sign. 06/4/23

6/4/23

for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E 246/0/1/Pt.IV, dated 29/03/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub: Introduction of provisions for writing of APAR of Railway Employees working in Grade Pay Rs. 1800/Level-1.

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A copy of Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) letter no. E(NG)I-2023/CR/1, dated 23/03/2023 (RBE No. 45/2023) is circulated herewith for information and further necessary action. Board's earlier letter dated 11/01/2019 (RBE No.09/2019) mentioned therein was circulated under this office serial no.14/2019.

DA: As above.

29/3/23

(S.K. Chattopadhyay)
Sr. Personnel Officer/HQ
For Pr. Chief Personnel Officer
Phone No. 24122 (Rly.)

29/3/23.

Index No. 1021: Revised provisions for writing of APAR of Railway employees working in GP Rs. 1800/Level-1.

भारत सरकार/GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
रेल मंत्रालय/MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(रेलवे बोर्ड/RAILWAY BOARD)

No. E(NG)I-2023/CR/1

New Delhi, dated 23.03.2023

The General Manager (P),
All Zonal Railways and PUs etc,
(As per standard list).

Sub: Introduction of provisions for writing of APAR of Railway Employees working in Grade Pay ₹1800/Level-1.

Attention is invited to instructions contained in Board's letter No. E(NG) 1/2013/CR/1 dated 11.01.2019, through which APARs for employees in Level 1 was introduced. The proforma for APARs enclosed with the instructions provides for awarding points ranging from 1 to 5 for 8 attributes under three sections B2, B3 & B4 of Section-B i.e. Assessment of Performance, with a note that, the total points (B5) will be the 'record of service' marks for assessment purpose.

2. One of the Zonal Railways has pointed out that conversion of the total numerical points for the column B5 in the APARs generated for the employees in Level-1, for selections in which the employees of Level 1 are considered for promotion along with employees of higher Levels, gives the employees in Level 1 an advantage over their counterparts in Level 2 and above in the merit-based selections. The matter has been examined in consultation with the Zonal Railways, and it has been decided that the grading of B4 i.e. Overall Performance in the APAR proforma for Level-1 employee may be taken for assessment purposes, where they are considered for promotion along with employees of higher pay levels. The field B5 has therefore been done away with. The revised APAR proforma amended accordingly, is enclosed herewith.

3. This disposes off S. C. Railway's letter No.SCR/P-HQ/170 (a)/JE/P.Way/LDCE/Vol-III dated 06.12.2022.

Encl: As above.

Sanjay 23/3/23

(Sanjay Kumar)
Deputy Director Estt.(N)
Railway Board
Tele No. 23303658

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भारत सरकार/GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
रेल मंत्रालय/MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(रेलवे बोर्ड/RAILWAY BOARD)

No. E(NG)I-2023/CR/1

New Delhi, dated 23.03.2023

The General Manager (P),
All Zonal Railways and PUs etc,
(As per standard list).

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Encl: As above.

Sanjay 23.3.23

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(लेवल-1 में कार्यरत कर्मचारी के लिए एपीएआर का संशोधित प्रारूप)

Revised Format of APAR for Staff Working In Level-1

अवधि/For the period.....

(A)कर्मचारी विवरण (कार्यालय द्वारा भरा जाए) EMPLOYEE PARTICULARS (To be filled by office)			
1.	नाम Name		
2.	पिता का नाम Father's Name		
3.	Designation/Station		
4.	जन्म तिथि/Date of Birth		
5.	नियुक्ति तिथि /Date of appointment		
6.	शैक्षिक योग्यता/Educational qualification		
7.	वेतन/ ग्रेड पे/ पे लेवल Rate of Pay/Grade Pay/Level		
8.	अनु.जाति/अनु. जजा. (उल्लेख करें) SC/ST (Specify)		

(B) प्रदर्शन आकलन **ASSESSMENT OF PERFORMANCE**

B1		सत्यनिष्ठा Integrity If integrity is 'beyond doubt' write so. If there is doubt or suspicion, leave item blank & attach separate note on which as appropriate decision shall be taken as per procedure.	
		1 से 5 के स्केल में अंक Marks to be awarded in a scale of 1 to 5	
B2	सामान्य गुण General Qualities	1. उपस्थिति Attendance	
		2. सामान्य बुद्धिमता General Intelligence	
		3. शारीरिक फिटनेस Physical fitness	
B3	कार्यात्मक क्षमता Working Ability	1. नियमों का ज्ञान Knowledge of Rules	
		2. सुरक्षा चेतना (जहाँ प्रासंगिक) Safety Consciousness (where relevant)	
		3. कार्य गुणवत्ता Quality of Work	
		4. मुस्तैदी Promptness	
B4		समग्र प्रदर्शन Overall Performance	

(C) क्या अवधि के दौरान कोई पुरस्कार/शास्ति दी गई है, यदि है तो उल्लेख करें।
whether any award/penalty during the period if so mention.

Note: One (1) is the lowest & Five (5) is the highest in the assessment scale corresponding to "Below Average', 'Average', 'Good', 'Very Good' and 'Outstanding'.

हस्ताक्षर और कर्मचारी का नाम
Signature & Name of Employee

(रिपोर्टिंग अधिकारी)
(Reporting Officer)

(पुनरीक्षण अधिकारी)
(Reviewing Officer)

दिनांक Date:
स्थान Place:

Sl.No. 46/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/57P-II/Allowance :::::: Asansol dated 06/04/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No. .E PC-VII/2016/Policy(Vol.II), dated 29/03/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch.OS/Rating 06/4/23

DPO

May pl. sign. 06/04/23

O/C

6/4/23

for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E PC-VII/2016/Policy(Vol.II), dated 29/03/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub: Re-circulation of instructions reg. revision of the rates of Cycle(Maintenance) Allowance.

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A copy of Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) letter no. F(E)I/2023/AL-7/1, dated 16/03/2023 (RBE No. 44/2023, PC-VII No. 205) is circulated herewith for information, and further necessary action. Board's earlier letter dated 11/08/2017 (RBE No.93/2017) mentioned therein was circulated under this office serial no.101/2017.

DA: As above.

29/3/23

(S.K. Chattopadhyay)
Sr. Personnel Officer/HQ
For Pr. Chief Personnel Officer
Phone No. 24122 (Rly.)

29/03/2023

Index No. 1057: Re-circulation of instructions reg. revision of the rates of Cycle (Maintenance) Allowance for information and compliance.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA(भारत सरकार)
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (रेल मंत्रालय)
RAILWAY BOARD (रेलवे बोर्ड)

PC-VII No. 205
RBE No. 44/2023

No. F(E)I/2023/AL-7/1 **New Delhi, dated 16.03.2023**

The General Manager,
All Indian Railways/PUs,
(As per standard mailing list).

Sub: Re-circulation of instructions reg. revision of the rates of Cycle (Maintenance) Allowance.
Ref: Board's letter No.F(E)I/2017/AL-7/1 dated 11.08.2017

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Consequent to implementation of Seventh Central Pay Commission's recommendations, the rates of Cycle (Maintenance) Allowance were revised vide Board's letter mentioned under reference.

It has been brought to notice of Board that Board's instructions regarding grant of Cycle (Maintenance) Allowance are not being followed / have not been implemented by some of the Railways/ Divisions.

The instructions regarding Cycle (Maintenance) Allowance as contained in Board's letter No.F(E)I/2017/AL-7/1 dated 11.08.2017 are therefore being re-circulated for information/compliance.

Please acknowledge the receipt.

(Jitendra Kumar)
Deputy Director Finance (Estt.)I
Railway Board
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Tel. No. 011-23047023
Room No.445 / 4th Floor

Copy to: Deputy Comptroller and Auditor General of India (Rlys.), R.No.222, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.

for Member (Finance) / Railway Board.

Government of India
Ministry of Railways
(Railway Board).

PC-VII No. 40

RBE No. 93/2017

No. P(E)I/2017/AL-7/1

New Delhi, dated 11.08.2017

The General Managers,
All Indian Railways etc.
(As per Standard Mailing List)

Sub: Revision of the rates of Cycle (Maintenance) Allowance: Implementation of Seventh Central Pay Commission's recommendations.

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Consequent upon the decision taken by the Government on the recommendation of the 7th Central Pay Commission related to the above mentioned allowance and in supersession of Board's letter No. F(E)I/2008/AL-7/2 dated 18.09.2008, the President is pleased to revise the rates of Cycle (Maintenance) Allowance from Rs. 90/- to Rs. 180/- per month under Rule 1606 of IREC (Vol.II)-2005 Edition and the provisions contained in Railway Ministry's decision below this rule.

2. The admissibility of Cycle (Maintenance) Allowance will be subject to the following conditions:

(A) The official concerned maintains and uses his own cycle for official journeys.

(B) Travelling Allowance (i.e. daily and mileage allowance) to a Government servant in receipt of Cycle (Maintenance) Allowance under these orders will be regulated as under:

(I) For journeys within a radius of 8 kilometres from the usual place of duty.	No T.A.
(II) For journeys beyond a radius of 8 Kms. but not exceeding 16 Kms. from the place of duty.	
(a) If the destination point falls within the local jurisdiction.	No T.A.
(b) If the destination point falls outside the local jurisdiction.	T.A. admissible under normal rules provided the journey is performed otherwise than on a cycle.
(III) For journeys beyond a radius of 16 Kms. from the usual place of duty	T.A. admissible under the normal rules

(C) The allowance will not be admissible for the calendar month(s) wholly covered by leave, training, or temporary transfer.

(D) For any period of more than one month at a time during which a Railway servant in receipt of Cycle (Maintenance) Allowance does not maintain a cycle or the cycle maintained by him remains out of order or is not used for official journeys for any other reason, the Cycle (Maintenance) Allowance will not be admissible.

3. The Cycle (Maintenance) Allowance under these orders shall be granted by the sanctioning authority for a period not exceeding two years at a time and its continuance shall be reviewed sufficiently in advance of the expiry of such period. The sanctioning authority

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may, for this purpose, specify whenever necessary the local jurisdiction of a Railway servant at the time of sanctioning the allowance. They should also make a review of the posts under their control and decide the posts for which the Cycle (Maintenance) Allowance should be sanctioned. The Allowance may be sanctioned with reference to the posts and not to the individual incumbents

4. **These orders shall take effect from 1st July, 2017.**

5. Hindi version is enclosed.

Please acknowledge receipt.

(Sonali Chaturvedi)
Deputy Director Finance (Estt.),
Railway Board.

No. F(E)I/2017/AL-7/1 **New Delhi, dated 11 .08.2017**

Copy forwarded to Principal Financial Adviser, All Indian Railways, Production Units etc.

(Sonali Chaturvedi)
Dy. Director Finance (Estt),
Railway Board.

No. F(E)I/2017/AL-7/1 **New Delhi, dated 11 .08.2017**

1. The G.M, N.F.Railway(Const.), Southern Railway(Const.) and Central Railway(Const.)
2. Principal Financial Adviser, N.F. Railway (Const.), Central Railway (Const.) and Southern Railway(Const.)
3. The Director General and Ex.officio General Manager, RDSO/ Lucknow.
4. The General Manager and Principal Financial Adviser, Metro Railway/Kolkata.
5. The CAO and Principal Financial Adviser, COFMOW/New Delhi.
6. The General Manager and Principal Financial Adviser, CORE/Allahabad.
7. The Director General, NAIR/Vadodara.
8. The CAO(Const.), MTP (R) / Mumbai.
9. The CAO, Rail Coach Factory, Raebareli Project, Kishanganj, Delhi-7.
10. The CAO(Const.), MTP(R) /Chennai.
11. The Executive Director, CAMTECH/Gwalior-474020.
12. The Executive Director/ERP, Railway Board, Room No. 339A, Pragati Maidan Metro Station Building Complex, New Delhi.
13. The Chairman, RCT/Principal Bench, 13/15, Mall Road, Delhi.
14. The Chairman, Human Resources Reforms Committee, Railway Board, Room No. 325A, Pragati Maidan Metro Station Building Complex, New Delhi.
15. The Chairman,RRT, Chennai - 600008.
16. The Director, IRICEN/Pune, IRIEEN/Nasik Road, IRIMEE/Jamalpur, IRISET/Secunderabad.
17. The Managing Director, IRCON, IRFC, MRVC, IRWO, IRC&TC, CONCOR of India Limited, Executive Director, CRIS.
18. The Chairman –cum-Managing Director, KRC Limited, Rail Bhavan, New Delhi, Office of the Chief Project Administrator (Telecom), Indian Railway Central Organization for Telecom (IRCOT) Consultancy, Shivaji Bridge/ New Delhi.
19. The Director(Movement) Railways/Kolkata.
20. The Joint Director, Mil Rail, Ministry of Defence.
21. The Joint Secretary, Iron & Steel, 3 Kollaghat Street/Kolkata.
22. The Chief Mining Advisor, Ministry of Railway, Dhanbad, Jharkhand.
23. The Chairman, RCC, Lok Sabha Secretariat/New Delhi.

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Sl.No. 45/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/12/13/Promotion/Selection :::::: Asansol dated 06/03/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No. .E 1023/0/5(Vol.III), dated 29/03/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch'OS/Rly 06/4/23
DPO

6/4/23
for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

May Pl. Sign. 06/04/23 c/c

Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E 1023/0/5(Vol.III), dated 29/03/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub: Review of mode of promotion from "Selection" to "Non-Selection" for the post of Shunting Master, Grade-I in GP Rs.4200, Level-6 and Shunting Master, Grade-II in GP Rs.2400, Level-4.

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A copy of Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) letter No.E(NG)I/2015/PM 1/11/AIRF, dated 13/03/2023 (RBE No. 43/2023) is circulated herewith for information, guidance and further necessary action. Board's earlier instructions contained in letter dated 30/10/2001 and RBE No. 63/2019 mentioned therein were circulated under this office serial Nos. 171(11)/2001 and 95/2019 respectively.

DA: As above

29/3/23
(S.K. Chattopadhyay)
Sr. Personnel Officer/HQ
For Pr. Chief Personnel Officer
Phone No. 24122 (Rly.)
29/3/23.

Index No. 1063: Another onetime dispensation for filling up the post of Shunting Master, Grade-II in GP Rs.2400, Level-4 by "Non-Selection" process.

RBE No.43/2023

भारत सरकार/GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
रेल मंत्रालय/MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(रेलवे बोर्ड/RAILWAY BOARD)

No. E(NG)I/2015/PM1/11/AIRF

New Delhi, dated 13.03.2023

The General Manager(P)
All Zonal Railways/PUs
(As per standard mailing list)

Sub: Review of mode of promotion from "Selection" to "Non- Selection" for the post of Shunting Master, Grade-I in GP Rs.4200, Level-6 and Shunting Master, Grade-II in GP Rs.2400, Level-4.

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As the Railway Administrations are aware, in terms of instructions contained in Railway Boards letter No. E(NG)I/2000/PM 2/4 dated 30.10.2001, the classification of posts in the category of Shunting Masters is as under:-

SN	Category	Classification Selection
1.	Shunting Master, Grade-II in GP Rs.2400, Level-4.	Selection
2.	Shunting Master, Grade-I in GP Rs.4200, Level-6.	Non-Selection

One of the recognized Staff Federations (NFIR) has stated that there are many Pointsmen "A"/Cabinmen who have rendered more than satisfactory service for over 20 years and though they possess field knowledge, they are unable to pass the written examination for promotion as Shunting Master Grade-II.

The matter has been examined in consultation with the Zonal Railways as well as the Traffic Directorate of this office. To tide over this acute problem on most of the Railways, it has been decided that another one-time dispensation may be extended for filling up the posts of Shunting Master, Grade-II in GP Rs.2400, Level-4 by the "non-Selection" process. Similar one time dispensation was extended earlier also vide RBE No 63/2019. In case of any ongoing selection to the said post, Railways may decide at their level on continuing with the same or on adopting the "non-Selection" process as a onetime dispensation.

Hindi version will follow.

Please acknowledge the receipt.

DA: Nil.

13/03/23

(Sanjay Kumar)
Deputy Director Estt.(N)
Railway Board
E-mail: sanjay.kumar6@gov.in
Ph. No. 43658/01123303658

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Sl.No. 44/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/23Pt-II/DA for ex-gratia :::::: Asansol dated 05 /04/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E.787/0/PEN/Pt.XXX, dated 28/03/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch.OS/Dealing 06/4/23
DPO

May Pl. Sign. 05/04/23

6/4/23.
for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

O/C

Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E.787/0/PEN/Pt.XXX, dated 28/03/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub: **Grant of Dearness Relief to SRPF beneficiaries in receipt of ex-gratia payment- revised rates effect from 01.07.2021.**

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A copy of Railway Board's letter No. PC-V/2021/A/DR/1 (S. No. PC-VII/204, RBE No. 42/2023) dated 13.03.2023 alongwith a copy each of O.M. No. 1/1/2020-E-II(B) dated 23.04.2020 of Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure, DOP&PW's O.M. No. 42/07/2021-P&PW(D) dated 20.09.2021 and 23.11.2021 and O.M. No. 42/07/2022-P&PW(D) dated 11.05.2022 and 31.10.2022 of Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions (Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare) on the above subject matter is enclosed herewith for information, guidance and necessary action.

Railway Board's earlier letter Nos. PC-VII/2016/I/7/2/3 dated 27.04.2020, PC-V/2021/A/DR/1 dated 08.04.2021 (RBE No. 28/2021) and F(E)III/98/PN1/Ex.Gr./3 dated 15.11.2006 (RBE No. 170/2006) mentioned therein were circulated under this office Sl. Nos. 41/2020, 30/2021 and 144/2006 respectively.

DA: As above

28.3.2023

(Dharmendra Weekey)
Dy. Chief Personnel Officer (NG)
for Principal Chief Personnel Officer

Index No. 1058: Clarification regarding grant of Dearness Relief to SRPF beneficiaries in receipt of ex-gratia payment- revised rates effect from 01.07.2021

भारत सरकार/GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
रेल मंत्रालय/MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
रेलवे बोर्ड (Railway Board)

S.No. PC-VII/204
No. PC-V/2021/A/DR/1

RBE No. 42 /2023
New Delhi, dated 13.3.2023

The General Managers/ CAO(R),
All Indian Railways & PUs
(As per standard mailing list)

Sub:-Grant of Dearness Relief to SRPF beneficiaries In receipt of ex-gratia payment- revised rates effect from 01.07.2021.

A copy each of Office Memorandum No.1-1/2020-E-II(B) dated 23.04.2020 of Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure, DOP&PW'S,OM No. 42/07/2021 – P & PW (D) dt. 20.09.21 and 23.11.2021 and OM No. 42/07/2022 – P & PW (D) dt. 11.05.2022 and 31.10.2022 of Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions (Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare) on the above subject is sent herewith for your information and necessary action.

2. In pursuance of the enhanced rates of ex-gratia to the surviving SRPF(C) retirees issued vide Board's letter No. F(E)III/98/PN1/Ex-Gr./3 dated 15-11-2006, para 1(i) of above mentioned DoP&PW's O.M dated 20.09.2021, 23.11.2021, 11.05.2022 and 31.10.2022 may be read as under:-

"The surviving Group 'A', 'B', 'C' and 'D' SRPF (Contributory) beneficiaries who had retired from service during the period from 01.04.1957 to 31.12.1985 and have been sanctioned enhanced slab-wise ex-gratia @ `3000/-, `1000/-, `750/- and `650/- per month respectively w.e.f 01.11.2006, in lieu of uniform rate of `600/- p.m are entitled to Dearness Relief at the following rates :-

Date	Rate of Dearness Relief
01-07-2021	368%
01-01-2022	381 %
01-07-2022	396 %

3. A concordance of various instructions and orders referred to in the enclosed office memorandum with reference to corresponding Railway instructions is indicated below :-

S.No.	Para No. and Date of O.M	No. and date of Deptt. of Pension & Pensioners' welfare's O.M.	No. & date of Corresponding orders issued by Railway Board.
1.	Para-1 of OM dt. 20.09.2021	MOF/DOE's OM No.1/1/2020-E-II(B) dated 23.04.2020.	PC-VII/2016/I/7/2/3 dated 27.04.2020
2.	Para-2 of OM dt. 20.09.2021	DOP&PW'&OM No.42/04/2019-P&PW(D) dt.03.12.2019	PC-V/2021/A/DR/1 dated 08.04.2021
3	Para 1(i) of DOP&PW OM dt 20.09.2021	OM No.42/7/2021 P&PW(D) dt.20.09.2021	F(E)III/98/PN1/Ex.Gr./3 dt 15-11-2006

No. 1/1/2020-E-II (B)
Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Expenditure
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North Block, New Delhi
Dated the 23rd April, 2020.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Freezing of Dearness Allowance to Central Government employees and Dearness Relief to Central Government pensioners at current rates till July 2021.

The undersigned is directed to say that in view of the crisis arising out of COVID-19, it has been decided that the additional installment of Dearness Allowance payable to Central Government employees and Dearness Relief to Central Government pensioners, due from 1st January 2020 shall not be paid. The additional installments of Dearness Allowance and Dearness Relief due from 1st July 2020 and 1st January 2021 shall also not be paid. However, Dearness Allowance and Dearness Relief at current rates will continue to be paid.

2. As and when the decision to release the future installment of Dearness Allowance and Dearness Relief due from 1st July 2021 is taken by the Government, the rates of Dearness Allowance and Dearness Relief as effective from 1st January 2020, 1st July 2020 and 1st January 2021 will be restored prospectively and will be subsumed in the cumulative revised rate effective from 1st July 2021. No arrears for the period from 1st January 2020 till 30th June 2021 shall be paid.

3 These orders shall be applicable to all Central Government employees and Central Government pensioners.

(Annie George Mathew)
Additional Secretary to the Government of India

To

(i) **All Ministries/Departments of the Government of India (as per standard distribution list).**

(ii) **Ministry of Railways**

(iii) **Ministry of Defence**

Copy to: C&AG, UPSC, etc. as per standard endorsement list.

4. Payment of DR involving a fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee.

5. It will be the responsibility of the pension disbursing authorities, including the nationalized banks, etc. to calculate the quantum of DR payable in each individual case.

6. This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.

7. Hindi version is enclosed.

DA: As above

(Sudha A Kujur)
Dy.Director, Pay Commission
Railway Board

No. PC-V/2021/A/DR/1 New Delhi, dated 13 .3.2023

Copy (with 40 spares) forwarded to Deputy Comptroller and Auditor General of India (Railways), New Delhi

For Member (Finance) Railway Board

No. PC-V/2021/A/DR/1 New Delhi, dated 13 .3.2023

Copy forwarded to:-

1) The General Secretary, NFIR, Rail Bhavan, New Delhi (with 35 spares)
2) The General Secretary, AIRF, Rail Bhavan, New Delhi (with 35 spares)
3.) The Members of the National Council, Departmental Council and Secretary, Staff Side, National Council, 13-C, Ferozeshah Road, New Delhi (with 90 spares)
4) The Secretary General FROA
5) The Secretary, RBSS, Group 'A' Officers Association
6) The President, Railway Board Group 'B' Officers' Association
7) The Secretary General, All India RPF Association
8) The Secretary, Railway Board Ministerial Staff Association
9) The Secretary, Railway Board Class IV Staff Association
10) Railway Board Promottee Officers Association, Room No, 341-C,Rail Bhawan.
11) Secretary General, Indian Railway Promottee Officers Federation, Room No.268, Rail Bhawan.

For Principal Executive Director(IR), Railway Board

Copy to:-

No. 42/7/2021-P&PW(D)
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions
Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare

3rd Floor, LokNayakBhavan,
Khan Market, New Delhi - 110003
Dated 20th Sept,2021

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub:- Grant of Dearness Relief in the 5th CPC series effective from 01.07.2021 to CPF beneficiaries in receipt of basic ex-gratia payment-reg

The undersigned is directed to refer to Ministry of Finance (Department of Expenditure) OM No. 1/1/2020-E-II(B) dated 23.04.2020 vide which installments of dearness relief to CPF due from 01.01.2020, 01.07.2020 and 01.01.2021 were frozen and to say that the President is pleased to decide that the Dearness Relief admissible to the CPF beneficiaries in receipt of ex-gratia payment in the 5th CPC series shall be enhanced **w.e.f 01.07.2021**in the following manner :-

(i) The surviving CPF beneficiaries who have retired from service between the period 18.11.1960 and 31.12.1985, and are entitled to basic ex-gratia @ Rs.3000, Rs.1000, Rs.750 & Rs.650 for Group A, B, C & D respectively w.e.f 4th June,2013 vide OM No. 1/10/2012-P&PW(E) dtd. 27th June, 2013 shall now be entitled to enhanced Dearness Relief from **312%** of the basic ex-gratia to **356%**of the basic ex-gratia **w.e.f 01.07.2021.**

(ii) The following categories of CPF beneficiaries shall be entitled to enhanced Dearness Relief from **304%**of the basic ex-gratia to **348%**of the basic ex-gratia **w.e.f 01.07.2021**:-

(a) The widows and eligible children of the deceased CPF beneficiary who had retired from service prior to 1.1.1986 or who had died while in service prior to 1.1.1986 and are entitled to revised ex-gratia @ Rs.645/-p.m w.e.f 04 June, 2013 vide OM No 1/10/2012-P&PW(E) dated 27th June,2013.

(b) Central Government employees who had retired on CPF benefits before 18.11.1960 and are in receipt of Ex-gratia payment of Rs. 654/-, Rs.659/-, Rs.703/- and Rs.965/-.

2. The increase subsumes the additional installments arising on 01.01.2020, 01.07.2020 and 01.01.2021. The rate of Dearness Relief, earlier determined vide this Department's OM No. 42/04/2019-P&PW(D) dated 03.12.2019, shall remain at 312% of the basic ex-gratia for categories mentioned in para (i) above and 304% of the basic ex-gratia for the categories mentioned in para (ii) above for the period from 01.01.2020 till 30.06.2021.

3. Payment of DR involving a fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee.

4. It will be the responsibility of the pension disbursing authorities, including the nationalized banks, etc. to calculate the quantum of DR payable in each individual case.

5. In their application to the persons belonging to Indian Audit and Accounts Department, these orders are issue under Article 148(5) of the Constitution and after consultation with the Comptroller & Auditor General of India.

6. This issues in pursuance of Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure OM No. 1/3(2)/2008-E.II(B) dated 13th August, 2021

7. Hindi version will follow.

(Charanjit Taneja)
Under Secretary to the Government of India

1. All Ministries/Departments of the Government of India (as per standard distribution list)
2. Chief Secretaries and AGs of all States/Union Territories.
3. CMDs/CPPCs of all authorised Pension Disbursing Banks
4. C&AG of India, UPSC, etc. As per standard endorsement list.
5 Reserve Bank of India(RBI) for information.

No. 42/7/2021-P&PW (D)
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions
Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare

3rd Floor, Lok Nayak Bhavan,
Khan Market, New Delhi - 110003
Dated 23rd Nov, 2021

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub:- Grant of Dearness Relief in the 5th CPC series effective from 01.07.2021 to CPF beneficiaries in receipt of basic ex-gratia payment-reg

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's OM of even no. dated 20.09.2021 and to say that the President is pleased to decide that the Dearness Relief admissible to the CPF beneficiaries in receipt of basic ex-gratia payment in the 5th CPC series shall be enhanced **w.e.f 01.07.2021** in the following manner :-

(i) The surviving CPF beneficiaries who have retired from service between the period 18.11.1960 and 31.12.1985, and are entitled to basic ex-gratia @ Rs.3000, Rs.1000, Rs.750 & Rs.650 for Group A, B, C & D respectively w.e.f 4th June,2013 vide OM No. 1/10/2012-P&PW(E) dtd. 27th June, 2013 shall now be entitled to enhanced Dearness Relief from **356%** of the basic ex-gratia to **368%** of the basic ex-gratia **w.e.f 01.07.2021.**

(ii) The following categories of CPF beneficiaries shall be entitled to enhanced Dearness Relief from **348%** of the basic ex-gratia to **360%** of the basic ex-gratia **w.e.f 01.07.2021**:-

(a) The widows and eligible children of the deceased CPF beneficiary who had retired from service prior to 1.1.1986 or who had died while in service prior to 1.1.1986 and are entitled to revised ex-gratia @ Rs.645/-p.m w.e.f 04 June, 2013 vide OM No 1/10/2012-P&PW(E) dated 27th June,2013.

(b) Central Government employees who had retired on CPF benefits before 18.11.1960 and are in receipt of Ex-gratia payment of Rs. 654/-, Rs.659/-, Rs.703/- and Rs.965/-.

2. Payment of DR involving a fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee.

3. It will be the responsibility of the pension disbursing authorities, including the nationalized banks, etc. to calculate the quantum of DR payable in each individual case.

4. In so far as the persons serving in the Indian Audit and Accounts Department, are concerned, these orders are issued in consultation with the Comptroller and Auditor General of India, as mandated under Article 148(5) of the Constitution of India.

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5. This issues in pursuance of Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure OM No. 1/3(2)/2008-E.II(B) dated 1st November, 2021

6. Hindi version will follow.

(Charanjit Taneja)
Under Secretary to the Government of India

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4. C&AG of India, UPSC, etc. as per standard endorsement list.
5. Reserve Bank of India (RBI) for Information.

No. 42/07/2022-P&PW (D)
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions
Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare

3rd Floor, Lok Nayak Bhavan,
Khan Market, New Delhi - 110003
Dated 11th May, 2022

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub:- Grant of Dearness Relief in the 5th CPC series effective from 01.01.2022 to CPF beneficiaries in receipt of basic ex-gratia payment-reg

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's OM of even no. dated 23.11.2021 and to say that the President is pleased to decide that the Dearness Relief admissible to the CPF beneficiaries in receipt of basic ex-gratia payment in the 5th CPC series shall be enhanced **w.e.f 01.01.2022** in the following manner :-

(i) The surviving CPF beneficiaries who have retired from service between the period 18.11.1960 and 31.12.1985, and are entitled to basic ex-gratia @ Rs.3000, Rs.1000, Rs.750 & Rs.650 for Group A, B, C & D respectively w.e.f 4th June,2013 vide OM No. 1/10/2012-P&PW(E) dtd. 27th June, 2013 shall now be entitled to enhanced Dearness Relief from **368%** of the basic ex-gratia to **381%** of the basic ex-gratia **w.e.f 01.01.2022.**

(ii) The following categories of CPF beneficiaries shall be entitled to enhanced Dearness Relief from **360%** of the basic ex-gratia to **373%** of the basic ex-gratia **w.e.f 01.01.2022**:-

(a) The widows and eligible children of the deceased CPF beneficiary who had retired from service prior to 01.01.1986 or who had died while in service prior to 01.01.1986 and are entitled to revised ex-gratia @ Rs.645/-p.m w.e.f 04 June, 2013 vide OM No 1/10/2012-P&PW(E) dated 27th June,2013.

(b) Central Government employees who had retired on CPF benefits before 18.11.1960 and are in receipt of Ex-gratia payment of Rs. 654/-, Rs.659/-, Rs.703/- and Rs.965/-.

2. Payment of DR involving a fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee.

3. It will be the responsibility of the pension disbursing authorities, including the nationalized banks, etc. to calculate the quantum of DR payable in each individual case.

4. In so far as the persons serving in Indian Audit and Accounts Department are concerned, these orders are issued in consultation with the Comptroller and Auditor General of India, as mandated under Article 148(5) of the Constitution of India.

5. This issues in pursuance of Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure's OM No. 1/3(2)/2008-E.II(B) dated 7th April, 2022.

6. Hindi version will follow.

(Charanjit Taneja)
Under Secretary to the Government of India

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No. 42/07/2022-P&PW(D)
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions
Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare

3rd Floor, Lok Nayak Bhavan,
Khan Market, New Delhi - 110003
Dated 31st Oct, 2022

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub:- Grant of Dearness Relief in the 5th CPC series effective from 01.07.2022 to CPF beneficiaries in receipt of basic ex-gratia payment-reg

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's OM of even no. dated 11.05.2022 and to say that the President is pleased to decide that the Dearness Relief admissible to the CPF beneficiaries in receipt of basic ex-gratia payment in the 5th CPC series shall be enhanced **w.e.f 01.07.2022** in the following manner :-

(i) The surviving CPF beneficiaries who have retired from service between the period 18.11.1960 and 31.12.1985, and are entitled to basic ex-gratia @ Rs.3000, Rs.1000, Rs.750 & Rs.650 for Group A, B, C & D respectively w.e.f 4th June,2013 vide OM No. 1/10/2012-P&PW(E) dtd. 27th June, 2013 shall now be entitled to enhanced Dearness Relief from **381%** of the basic ex-gratia to **396%** of the basic ex-gratia **w.e.f 01.07.2022.**

(ii) The following categories of CPF beneficiaries shall be entitled to enhanced Dearness Relief from **373%** of the basic ex-gratia to **388%** of the basic ex-gratia **w.e.f 01.07.2022**:-

(a) The widows and eligible dependent children of the deceased CPF beneficiary who had retired from service prior to 01.01.1986 or who had died while in service prior to 01.01.1986 and are entitled to revised ex-gratia @ Rs.645/-p.m w.e.f 04 June, 2013 vide OM No 1/10/2012-P&PW(E) dated 27th June,2013.

(b) Central Government employees who had retired on CPF benefits before 18.11.1960 and are in receipt of Ex-gratia payment of Rs. 654/-, Rs.659/-, Rs.703/- and Rs.965/-.

2. Payment of DR involving a fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee.

3. It will be the responsibility of the pension disbursing authorities, including the nationalized banks, etc. to calculate the quantum of DR payable in each individual case.

4. In so far as the persons serving in Indian Audit and Accounts Department are concerned, these orders are issued in consultation with the Comptroller and Auditor General of India, as mandated under Article 148(5) of the Constitution of India.

5. This issues in pursuance of Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure's OM No. 1/3(2)/2008-E.II(B) dated 12th October, 2022.

6. Hindi version will follow.

(Charanjit Taneja)
Under Secretary to the Government of India

1. All Ministries/Departments of the Government of India (as per standard distribution list).
2. Chief Secretaries and AGs of all States/UTs.
3. CMDs/CPPCs of all authorised Pension Disbursing Banks
4. C&AG of India, UPSC, etc. as per standard endorsement list.
5. Reserve Bank of India (RBI) for Information.

R.B.E. No. 170/2006

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

No. F(E)III/98/PN1/Ex.Gr./3 NEW DELHI, Dt. 15.11.2006

The GMs/ FA&CAOs,
All Indian Railways/Production Units,
(As per Mailing List)

Sub: Grant of enhanced ex-gratia to the surviving State Railway Provident Fund (contributory) [SRPF(C)] retirees.

Based on the recommendations of Vth Central Pay Commission as accepted by the Government, instructions were issued vide Board's letter No. F(E)III/97/PN1/Ex.Gr./5 dated 27.1.1998 for grant of basic ex-gratia at the rate of Rs. 600/- per month w.e.f. 1.11.1997 to the surviving SRPF(C) beneficiaries who retired between the period from Ist April, 1957 to 31st December, 1985 subject to the condition that such persons should have rendered at least 20 years of continuous service prior to their superannuation. The SRPF(C) retirees, who have been sanctioned ex-gratia in terms of these instructions, are also entitled to Dearness Ex-gratia and Dearness Relief as per the instructions issued from time to time.

2. This Ministry has since been receiving representations from the SRPF(C) retirees, who are in receipt of ex-gratia in terms of the above instructions, to enhance the amount of ex-gratia. The matter has also been raised in the DC/JCM meeting by the Staff Side. The matter has now been considered and the President is pleased to enhance the existing amount of ex-gratia of Rs. 600/- p.m. being paid to the surviving SRPF (C) retirees at the following rates w.e.f. Ist November, 2006:

Group of service to which SRPF(C) retiree belonged at the time of retirement	Enhanced amount of basic ex-gratia.
(i) Group 'A' Service	Rs. 3000/-
(ii) Group 'B' Service	Rs. 1000/-
(iii) Group 'C' Service	Rs. 750/-
(iv) Group 'D' Service	Rs. 650/-

These beneficiaries shall be entitled to payment of dearness ex-gratia @ 50% of the enhanced basic ex-gratia and dearness relief @ 29% of enhanced ex-gratia

plus dearness ex-gratia w.e.f. Ist November, 2006. They shall also be entitled to receive dearness relief at revised rates as and when the rates of dearness relief undergo upward revision.

3. These instructions shall not be applicable to families of deceased SRPF(C) retirees. The entitlement of families of such deceased SRPF(C) retirees shall continue to be governed by the instructions contained in Board's letter No. F(E)III/97/PN1/Ex.gratia/3 dt. 31.12.1997 and the related instructions on dearness ex-gratia as also dearness relief issued from time to time.

4. The head of office or department, which sanctioned existing ex-gratia payment authority, shall prepare revised ex-gratia payment authority at the enhanced rates as in para 2 above suo motu, in lieu of the existing ex-gratia payment authority of Rs. 600/-. As indicated in Board's letter No. F(E)III/2001/PN1/Ex-gratia/6 dated 14.2.2001, the names of spouse and dependent children, who may become eligible for ex-gratia on the death of SRPF(C) retirees, shall also be included in the revised ex-gratia payment authority with further authorization for release of ex-gratia to the spouse @ Rs. 605/- per month along with dearness ex-gratia and dearness relief on production of certificate of death of SRPF(C) retiree and a certificate to the effect that the spouse has not remarried. The head of office shall send the revised ex-gratia authority to the concerned Accounts Officer. The Accounts Officer, after exercising necessary checks, shall cause the revised ex-graia payment authority to be issued. The payment of ex-gratia to the dependent children at the rate as applicable to the spouse as and when their turn comes, shall be authorized on receipt of application from them.

5. Necessary action to issue revised ex-gratia payment authority at the enhanced rates of ex-gratia in terms of these orders may be taken immediately and a report on group-wise number of cases so revised may be sent to Board's office.

6. Please acknowledge receipt.

(S.SREERAM)
Joint Director Finance (Establishment)
Railway Board.

No. F(E)III/98/PN1/Ex.Gr./3

NEW DELHI, Dt. 15.11.2006

Copy to Deputy Comptroller and Auditor General of India (Railways), Room No. 224, Railway Bhavan, New Delhi (40 spares).

(S.SREERAM)
for Financial Commissioner/Railways.

Sl.No. 43/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/12/Promotion :::::: Asansol dated 03/04/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No. E.834/0/Pt.II, dated 29/03/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch.OS/Ruling 06/4/23
DPO May Pl. sign. 05/04/23

6/4/23.
for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E.834/0/Pt.II, dated 29/03/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub: Corrigendum - Revision of promotion (AVC) of non-gazetted staff of various categories - Medical Departments - reg.

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A copy of Corrigendum on the above cited subject issued vide Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) vide their letter no. E(NG)I-2017/PM1/13, dated 01/03/2023 is circulated herewith for information and guidance. Board's earlier letter dated 22/10/2019 and 22/05/2015 (RBE No.49/2015) mentioned therein were circulated under this office serial nos.223/2019 and 70/2015 respectively.

DA: As above.

29/3/23
(S.K. Chattopadhyay)
Sr. Personnel Officer/HQ
For Pr. Chief Personnel Officer
Phone No. 24122 (Rly.)
29/3/23

Index No. 1060: Corrigendum

भारत सरकार/GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
रेल मंत्रालय/MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(रेल बोर्ड/RAILWAY BOARD)

No E(NG)I-2017/PM1/13 New Delhi dated 01.03.2023

The General Managers (P),
All Zonal Railways & Production Units

Corrigendum

Sub Revision of channels of promotion (AVC) of non-gazetted staff of various categories-Medical Department-reg.

Ref 1 Board's letter of even number dated 22.10.2019.
2 Board's letter no. E(NG)II/2001/RR-1/45 dated 22.05.2015 (RBE 49/2015).

Reference is invited to Board's letter of even number dated 22.10.2019 on the above subject.

2. One of the recognized Federations (NFIR) has brought to Board's notice that the minimum educational qualification of Dietician category (level-7) for direct recruitment has not been indicated correctly in the AVC issued vide Board's letter dated 22.10.2019 ibid. In terms of Board's letter under reference (2) above, the educational qualification for Dietician category (level-7) as mentioned in the aforesaid letter may be corrected to read as under:

"B Sc (Science Graduate) with Post Graduate Diploma in Dietetics (one year course) from a recognized Institution plus three months Internship Training in a Hospital

Or

B Sc (Home Science)+ M.Sc/Home Science (Food & Nutrition) from a recognized Institution"

Signed by Sanjay Kumar
Date: 01-03-2023 17:43:29
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Sl.No. 42/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/12/Promotion :::::: Asansol dated 29/03/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.SP/GAZ/Panel/Pt.VI, dated 14/03/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch.OS/Ruling → out

DPO may pl. sign. 29/3/23 O/C

29/3/23

for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.SP/GAZ/Panel/Pt.VI, dated 14/03/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub: -Reservation in Promotion to the Persons with Benchmark Disabilities (PwBDs) - Promotion from Group- 'C' to Group- 'B' posts.

The instructions of Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) on the above subject issued vide their letter No. E(GP)2022/2/20, dated 13.03.2023 is communicated herewith for information, guidance and wide publicity.

Rly. Board's letter No. E(GP)2022/2/20 dated 18.08.2022 (RBE No. 97/2022) has been circulated under PCPO's Sl No.112/2022 accordingly, which may be connected.

DA – As stated

(Priyanka Vardhan)
Dy. Chief Personnel Officer (Gaz.)
for Pr. Chief Personnel Officer.

O/C
14/3/23

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(RAILWAY BOARD)

No. E(GP)2022/2/20

New Delhi, dt:13/03/2023

The General Managers,
All Indian Railways and Production Units.

(Kind attn.: PCPOs/PFAs/Dy.CPO(G)/Dy.CAO(G))

Sub.: Reservation in Promotion to the Persons with Benchmark Disabilities (PwBDs)- Promotion from Group 'C' to Group 'B' posts.

Ref.: Board's letter no.E(GP)2022/2/20 dated 18.08.2022.

In terms of Board's aforementioned letter dated 18.08.2022, instructions issued by DOP&T vide their OM No.36012/1/2020-Estt.(Res.II) dated 17.05.2022 have been adopted mutatis mutandis for grant of reservation to PwBD in promotion from Group 'C' to Group 'B' posts

2. In this regard subsequent to issuance of these instructions, few field units have referred the issue of procedure to be followed for carrying forward of unfilled vacancies due to non-availability of PwBD candidates for promotion in a particular recruitment year. The issue was examined and was referred to DOP&T. In this regard, a copy of DOP&T's OM No.36035/38/2022-Estt(Res -II) dated 23.02.2023 tendering their advice on the issue is enclosed for information and necessary action.

3. This also disposes off query raised in S.E.C.Railway's letter no.P-HQ/RUL/105/1 dated 3.2.2023.

DA:As above

M. Saluja 13.3.23

(Meenakshi Saluja)
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No. 36035/38/2022 - Estt. (Res-II)
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions
Department of Personnel & Training
Establishment (Res) Section
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North Block, New Delhi
Dated, the 23rd February, 2023

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:- Reservation in promotion to Persons with Benchmark Disabilities (PwBDs).-reg.

The undersigned is directed to refer to OM, dated 17.2.2023, received from Ministry of Railways seeking clarification on DoPT OM dated 17.5.2022 regarding reservation in promotion to Persons with Benchmark Disabilities.

2. In this regard, it is submitted that in compliance of directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court, this Department issued OM No. 36012/1/2020-Estt.(Res.-II), dated 17.05.2022 providing detailed instructions regarding reservation in promotion to Persons with Benchmark Disabilities (PwBDs) in posts and services of Central Government. Para 13 of DoPT OM dated 17.5.2022, inter-alia, provides as under:

> *" In the event of non availability of candidates even in the extended zone, the vacancy shall not be filled and be carried forward to the subsequent year....."*

3. Therefore, unfilled vacancies in case of promotion under the PwBD category are to be carried forward in the succeeding recruitment year. But, PwBD reservation is horizontal in nature (Para 14 of OM dated 17.5.2022) and it cut across vertical reservation and persons selected/promoted against the quota for PwBDs have to be placed in the appropriate category viz. SC/ST/Unreserved, depending upon the category to which they belong in the roster meant for SCs or STs. It is clear that until the PwBDs, are selected for promotion, it would not be possible to identify whether they belong to SC or ST or will they be treated as unreserved. It is obvious that in case of unfilled vacancies for PwBDs, it is not possible to identify beforehand that how many vacancies for SCs, STs or UR will be carried forward to the subsequent recruitment year. Section 34(2) of the RPwD Act, 2016 does not provide for any mechanism how the unfilled vacancies for PwBDs will be carried forward to the subsequent year.

4. As in the case of promotion, if the PwBD candidates are not

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available for promotion in a particular recruitment year, same numb of vacancies reserved for PwBDs shall not be dispensed with and sh be added to the succeeding recruitment year, by way of carryi forward of reservation.

5. This issues with the approval of Additional Secretary (Estt.)

Encls.: As above.

Signed by Sitanshu Mohar Routray
Date: 23-02-2023 14:28:53
(Sitanshu Mohan Routra
Deputy Secretary to the Government of In
Ph. 230931

To
Ms. Meenakshi Saluja
Dy. Director, Estt.(GP)-III
Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi

Sl.No. 41/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/12/Promotion :::::: Asansol dated 22/03/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.SP/GAZ/Panel/Pt.VI, dated 14/03/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch. OS/Ruling
DPO

22/3/23
for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

Mgj Pl. Sign. 22/03/23 O/C

Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.SP/GAZ/Panel/Pt.VI, dated 14/03/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub: -30% LDCE for Promotions to Gr. B posts on Indian Railways through Centralized Computer Based Objective type examination (CBT)- calling of candidates for viva-voce

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The instructions of Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) on the above subject issued vide their letter No. E(GP)2022/2/4, dated 06.03.2023 is communicated herewith for information, guidance and wide publicity.

Rly. Board's letter No. E(GP)2022/2/4 dated 28.06.2022 has been circulated under PCPO's Sl No.81/2022 accordingly, which may be connected.

DA – As stated

(Priyanka Vardhan)
Dy. Chief Personnel Officer (Gaz.)
for Pr. Chief Personnel Officer.

14/3/23

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(RAILWAY BOARD)

No. E(GP)2022/2/4

New Delhi, dt: 06/03/2023

The General Managers,
All Indian Railways & Production Units

(Kind Attn.:PCPO/PFA/Dy.CPO(G)/Dy.CAO(G))

Sub.: 30% LDCE for Promotions to Group 'B' posts on Indian Railways through Centralized Computer Based Objective type examination (CBT)- calling of candidates for viva-voce.

Ref.: Board's letter no.E(GP)2022/2/4 dated 28.06.2022.

Please refer to this office letter of even number dated 28.06.2022 advising that the 70% Selections & 30% LDCEs for promotion to Group 'B' posts in Organised departments shall be conducted by Centralised CBT inter-alia also modifying the pattern of examination for 30% LDCE. In this regard, Board has now decided that for the viva-voce conducted as part of 30% LDCEs held for promotion to Group 'B' posts, candidates should be called to the extent of 5 times the number of respective vacancies (community-wise) in the order of merit. However, in case two or more candidates score equal marks in the exam and vie for the last spot, they may be allowed to appear in the viva irrespective of the fact that the number of candidates goes beyond the limit of 5 times the number of respective vacancies.

M. Saluja
06/03/23

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Serial No. 40/2023

Eastern Railway

No. E(PR)/23/Pt.II /NPS to OPS

:::::::

Asansol dated 17/03/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

Sub:- Coverage under Railway Services (Pension) Rules,1993, in place of National Pension System, of those Railway employees who were recruited against the posts/vacancies advertised/notified for recruitment, on or before 22.12.2003.

The following copy of PCPO/ER's letter No. E. 787/0/PEN/Pt.XXX dated 14.03.2023 (Sl. No. **40/2023**) is forwarded for information and necessary action please.

The last date of exercising option for conversion from NPS to OPS in connection with the above is **31.08.2023**. Option once exercised will be treated as FINAL.

DA : As refd to.

for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer,
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

Sub: Coverage under Railway Services (Pension) Rules, 1993, in place of National Pension System, of those Railway employees who were recruited against the posts/vacancies advertised/notified for recruitment, on or before 22.12.2003

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A copy of Railway Board's letter No. D-43/12/2018-F(E)III dated 10.03.2023 (RBE No. 41/2023) alongwith a copy of Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare (DOP&PW's) O.M. No. 57/05/2021-P&PW(B) dated 03.03.2023 on the above subject matter is enclosed herewith for information, guidance and necessary action.

Railway Board's earlier letter Nos. F(E)III/2003/PN1/24 dated 31.12.2003 (RBE No. 225/2003) and D-43/12/2018-F(E)III dated 03.03.2020 (RBE No. 28/2020) mentioned therein were circulated under this office Sl. Nos. 9(1)/2004 and 33/2020 respectively.

Railway Board's earlier letter No. 2020/AC-II/21/7 dated 18.09.2020 (RBA No. 76/2020) is also attached herewith for ready reference.

DA: As above

14.3.2023

(Dharmendra Weekey)
Dy. Chief Personnel Officer (NG)
for Principal Chief Personnel Officer

Index No. 1058: Guidelines regarding Coverage under Railway Services (Pension) Rules, 1993, in place of National Pension System, of those Railway employees who were recruited against the posts/vacancies advertised/notified for recruitment, on or before 22.12.2003

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

New Delhi, dated: 10.03.2023.

No. D-43/12/2018-F(E)III

The General Managers/Principal Financial Advisers,
All Zonal Railways/Production Units etc.,
DGs of RDSO and NAIR.

Subject: Coverage under Railway Services (Pension) Rules, 1993, in place of National Pension System, of those Railway employees who were recruited against the posts/vacancies advertised/notified for recruitment, on or before 22.12.2003.

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A copy of Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare (DoP&PW's) O.M. No. 57/05/2021-P&PW(B) dated 03rd March, 2023 is enclosed herewith for compliance and guidance. These instructions shall apply *mutatis mutandis* on the Railways also. Central Civil Services (Pension) Rules, 1972 correspond to the Railway Services (Pension) Rules, 1993. The Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance Notification No. 5/7/2003-ECB & PR, dated 22.12.2003, mentioned in DoP&PW's O.M. dated 03.03.2023 has been circulated vide this office letter No. F(E)III/2003/PN1/24, dated 31.12.2003.

2. Similar to the amendments made in the Central Civil Services (Pension) Rules, 1972, and other connected rules, as mentioned in para 1 of the DoP&PW's O.M. dated 03.03.2023, the Railway Services (Pension) Rules, 1993 and other connected rules were also amended vide Notification No. F(E)III/2003/PN1/38 dated 30.12.2003. Further, DoP&PW's O.M. No. 57/04/2019-P&PW(B) dated 17.02.2020 was circulated to all Zonal Railways/PUs vide letter of even number dated 03.03.2020.

3. The Railway servants who exercise option in terms of DoP&PW's O.M. dated 03.03.2023 to switch over to the pension scheme under Railway Services (Pension) Rules, 1993, shall be required to subscribe to the State Railway Provident Fund (SRPF). As regards accountal of the corpus in the NPS account of the Railway servant, the instructions issued vide Board's letter No. 2020/AC-II/21/7, dated 18.09.2020, may be followed.

(Sanjay Prashar)
Deputy Director, Finance(Estt.)-III
Railway Board

D.A.: as above

No. 57/05/2021-P&PW(B)
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions
Department of Pension and Pensioners' Welfare

Lok Nayak Bhawan, Khan Market,
New Delhi, the 03rd March , 2023

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Coverage under Central Civil Services (Pension) Rules, in place of National Pension System, of those Central Government employees who were recruited against the posts/vacancies advertised /notified for recruitment, on or before 22.12.2003.

The undersigned is directed to say that consequent on introduction of National Pension System (NPS) vide Ministry of Finance (Department of Economic Affairs) Notification No. 5/7/2003-ECB & PR dated 22.12.2003, all Government servants appointed on or after 01.01.2004 to the posts in the Central Government service (except armed forces) are mandatorily covered under the said scheme. The Central Civil Services (Pension) Rules, 1972 and other connected rules were also amended vide Notification dated 30.12.2003 and, after the said amendment, those rules are not applicable to the Government servants appointed to Government service after 31.12.2003.

2. Subsequently, Department of Pension and Pensioners' Welfare in consultation with the Department of Personnel & Training, Department of Expenditure and Department of Legal Affairs in the light of the various representations/references and decisions of Hon'ble Courts, issued instructions vide OM No. 57/04/2019-P&PW(B) dated 17.02.2020 giving one time option to Central Government employees who were declared successful for recruitment in the results declared on or before 31.12.2003 against vacancies which occurred before 01.01.2004 and were covered under the National Pension System on joining service on or after 01.01.2004, to be covered under the CCS(Pension) Rules, 1972 (now 2021). There was fixed time schedule for different activities under the aforesaid OM dated 17.02.2020.

3. Representations have been received in this Department from the Government servants appointed on or after 01.01.2004 requesting for extending the benefit of the pension scheme under Central Civil Services (Pension) Rules, 1972 (now 2021) on the ground that their appointment was made against the posts/vacancies advertised/notified for recruitment prior to notification for National Pension System, referring to court judgments of various Hon'ble High Courts and Hon'ble Central Administrative Tribunals allowing such benefits to applicants.

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4. The matter has been examined in consultation with the Department of Financial Services, Department of Personnel & Training, Department of Expenditure and Department of Legal Affairs in the light of the various representations/references and decisions of the Courts in this regard. It has now been decided that, in all cases where the Central Government civil employee has been appointed against a post or vacancy which was advertised/notified for recruitment/appointment, prior to the date of notification for National Pension System i.e. 22.12.2003 and is covered under the National Pension System on joining service on or after 01.01.2004, may be given a one-time option to be covered under the CCS(Pension) Rules, 1972 (now 2021). This option may be exercised by the concerned Government servants latest by 31.08.2023.

5. Those Government servants who are eligible to exercise option in accordance with para-4 above, but who do not exercise this option by the stipulated date, shall continue to be covered by the National Pension System.

6. The option once exercised shall be final.

7. The matter regarding coverage under the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 (now 2021), based on the option exercised by the Government servant, shall be placed before the Appointing Authority of the posts for which such option is being exercised for consideration, in accordance with these instructions. In case the Government servant fulfills the conditions for coverage under the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 (now 2021), in accordance with these instructions, necessary order in this regard shall be issued latest by 31st October, 2023. The NPS account of such Government servants shall, consequently, be closed w.e.f. 31st December, 2023.

8. The Government servants who exercise option to switch over to the pension scheme under CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 (now 2021), shall be required to subscribe to the General Provident Fund (GPF). Regarding accountal of the corpus in the NPS account of the Government servant, Controller General of Accounts (CGA) has furnished the following clarification vide letter No. 1(7)(2)/2010/cla./TA III/390 dated 14.11.2019 & I.D. Note No. TA-3-6/3/2020-TA-III/cs-4308/450 dated 23.12.2022:

i. **Adjustment of Employees' contribution in Accounts:** Amount may be credited to individual's GPF account and the account may be recasted permitting up-to-date interest (Authority-FR-16 &Rule 11 of GPF Rules).

ii. **Adjustment of Government contribution under NPS in Accounts:** To be accounted for as (-) Dr. to object head 70 - Deduct Recoveries under Major Head 2071 - Pension and other Retirement benefit - Minor Head 911- Deduct Recoveries of over payment (GAR 35 and para 3.10 of List of Major and Minor Heads of Accounts).

iii. **Adjustment of increased value of subscription on account of appreciation of investments** – May be accounted for by crediting the amount to Govt. account under M.H. 0071- Contribution towards Pension and Other Retirements Benefits 800- Other Receipts (Note under the above Head in LMMHA).

9. ***All Ministries/Departments are requested to give wide publicity to these orders without fail***. The cases of those Government servants who fulfill the conditions mentioned in this O.M. and who exercise option to switch over to the pension scheme under CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 (now 2021) may be settled by the administrative Ministries/Departments in accordance with these orders.

10. This issues in consultation with Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure vide ID Note No. 1(7)/EV/2019 dated 05.12.2022 & 07.02.2023 and in consultation with Controller General of Accounts vide their I.D. Note No. TA-3-6/3/2020-TA-III/cs-4308/450 dated 23.12.2022.

11. In so far as the persons serving in the Indian Audit and Accounts Department are concerned, these orders are issued in consultation with Comptroller and Auditor General of India, as mandated under Article 148(5) of the Constitution of India.

12. Hindi version will follow.

03.03.2023

(Sanjiv Narain Mathur)
Additional Secretary to Government of India

To,

1. All Central Government Ministries / Departments.
2. Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, North Block, New Delhi.
3. C&AG, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi.
4. Ministry of Railways, Railway Board, for information, New Delhi.
5. Department of Personnel and Training, North Block, New Delhi.
6. Department of Financial Services, Jeevan Deep Building, Parliament Street, New Delhi.
7. AD (OL) for Hindi version.
8. NIC for uploading on Department's website.

भारत सरकार GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
रेल मंत्रालय MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
रेलवे बोर्ड (RAILWAY BOARD)

RBA No. 76/2020

No. 2020/AC-II/21/7

New Delhi, dated 18.09.2020

General Managers/PFAs,
All Indian Railways & PUs etc.

Sub: **ACS No. 150**- Introduction of new detailed head in Indian Railway Finance Code Vol. II for Accountal of NPS Accumulation on Mobility of personnel amongst Central/State and Autonomous Bodies while working under Pensionable establishment.

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Please connect Board's letter No. F(E)III/2005/PN1/35 dated 19.08.2020 circulating Department of Pension and Pensioners' Welfare(DOP&PW)'s O.M. No. 28/30/2004-P&PW (B) dated 11.06.2020. As regards instructions with respect to para 9 of DOP&PW's letter ibid, the accountal of corpus of NPS account of Railway employees will be as follows:

S.No.	Issues	Adjustment process
1.	Adjustment of Employees contribution in Accounts	Account may be credited to individual SRPF Account and the account may be re-casted permitting up-to-date interest
2	Adjustment of Government contribution under NPS in Accounts	Amount may be credited to SMH 11 -940 Credits under NPS -941 – Adjustment of Government Contribution to NPS (New detailed head introduced vide **ACS No. 150** to F-II enclosed herewith)
3.	Adjustment of increased value of subscription on account of appreciation of investment	May be crediting to SMH 11 -940 Credits under NPS – 942 – Adjustment of increased value of subscription in NPS on account of appreciation of investment (New detailed head introduced vide **ACS No. 150** to F-II enclosed herewith)

Contents of the correction slip may please be circulated suitably. Kindly acknowledge receipt.

DA: As above.

(Sanjeev Sharma)
Director Finance/Accounts
Railway Board

Copy to:

1. Dy. C&AG (Railways) Room No. 224, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
2. DG/HR, AM(Revenue), EDFE
3. AC-I (Comp), AC-III (6 copies), AC-IV, Code Revision, Accounts Inspection, Accounts Appropriation, Finance (Budget), Pay & Accounts/Rly Bd.
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Advance Correction Slip No. 150

INDIAN RAILWAY FINANCE CODE - VOLUME - II
(Second Reprint Edition 2008).

Please introduce the following Detailed Head under Sub Major Head 11 (Erstwhile Demand No. 13) - Abstract 'L' Provident Fund, Pension and Other- Retirement Benefits - Minor Head - 900 Credits or recoveries - under Sub Head - 940 Credits under NPS for 'Adjustment of Government contribution under NPS' and 'Adjustment of increased value of subscription on account of appreciation of investment':

Minor Heads	Sub-Heads	Detailed Heads
900 Credits or recoveries	940 Credits under NPS	941 – Adjustment of Government Contribution to NPS 942 – Adjustment of Increased value of subscription in NPS on account of appreciation of investment

(Authority: Board's Letter No. 2020/AC-II/21/7 dated 18.09.2020 - RBA No. 76/2020)

Sl.No. 39/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/18/M.De-cate Staff :::::: Asansol dated 22/03/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No. No.E. 369/0/1/Pt.I, dated 14/03/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch. OS/Ruling →
DPO
May pl. sign. 22/03/23

22/3/23
for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

O/C

Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E. 369/0/1/Pt.I, dated 14/03/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub: Selection of Medical De-categorised staff against 20% LDCE quota.

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A copy of Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) letter no. E(NG)I-2023/PM4/2, dated 02/03/2023 (RBE No. 40/2023) on the above cited subject is circulated herewith for information and further necessary action.

DA: As above.

14/3/23
(S.K. Chattopadhyay)
Sr. Personnel Officer/HQ
For Pr. Chief Personnel Officer
Phone No. 24122 (Rly.)
14/03/23

Index No. 1060: Earlier service rendered by a medically decategorised staff in the previous unit in the relevant scale just prior to medical decategorisation be counted along with service in the alternative posts towards eligibility for all departmental examinations including LDCE.

RBE No. 40/2023

भारत सरकार/GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
रेल मंत्रालय/MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(रेलवे बोर्ड/RAILWAY BOARD)

No. E(NG)I-2023/PM4/2 New Delhi, dated 02.03.2023

The General Manager (P),
All Zonal Railways and PUs etc,
(As per standard list).

Sub: Selection of Medical De-categorized staff against 20% LDCE quota.

One of the Zonal Railways has sought clarification as to whether such medically decategorized staff who are absorbed in alternate posts in the ministerial cadre, may be allowed to count their service in their previous unit prior to decategorization, towards eligibility for 20 % LDCE in OS category.

2. The matter has been examined in Board's office in the light of provisions contained in para 1309 of IREM Vol. I., and it is clarified that earlier service rendered in the previous unit in the relevant scale (just prior to medical de-categorization) may be counted along with service in the alternative post towards eligibility for all departmental examinations including LDCE.

3. This disposes off N. C. Railway's letter No.797-E/NCR/JHS/05/20% LDCE dated 15.02.2023 cited above.

Sanjay 02/3/23

(Sanjay Kumar)
Deputy Director Estt.(N)
Railway Board
Tele No. 23303658

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Sl.No. 38/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/RMA/CCL/57P-II :::::: Asansol dated 22/03/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No. No.E. SPC/2008/Policy/Pt.III, dated 14/03/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch. OS/Ruling → out
DPO may pl. sign. 22/03/23

O/C

22/3/23
for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E. SPC/2008/Policy/Pt.III, dated 14/03/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub: Clarification on date of effectiveness of Ration Money Allowance (RMA) during Work Related Illness & Injury Leave (WRIIL) and Child Care Leave (CCL).

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A copy of Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) letter no.E(P&A)I-2005/ALL/RPF-2, dated 28/02/2023 (RBE No.38/2023) on the above cited subject is circulated herewith for information and further necessary action. Board's earlier letter dated 11/07/2022 (RBE No.79/2022) mentioned therein was circulated under this office serial no. 93/2022.

DA: As above.

14/3/23
(S.K. Chattopadhyay)
Sr. Personnel Officer/HQ
For Pr. Chief Personnel Officer
Phone No. 24122 (Rly.)
14/03/23

Index No. 1057: RBE No.79/2022 dated 11/07/2022 circulated under this office serial no.93/2022 regarding admissibility of Ration Money Allowance (RMA) during Work Related Illness & Injury Leave (WRIIL) and Child Care Leave (CCL) would be effective from a prospective date i.e. from the date of issue of the said instructions.

भारतसरकार/ GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
रेलमंत्रालय/ MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(रेलवेबोर्ड/RAILWAY BOARD)

RBE No. 38 /2023

No. E(P&A)I-2005/ALL/RPF-2 New Delhi, dated: 28 .02.2023

The General Managers,
All Indian Railways and
Production Units etc.

Sub: Clarification on date of effectiveness of Ration Money Allowance (RMA) during Work Related Illness & Injury Leave (WRIIL) and Child Care Leave (CCL).

Ref: Railway Board's letter No. E(P&A)I-2005/ALL/RPF-2 dated 11.07.2022 (RBE No. 79/2022)

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Attention is invited to Railway Board's letter referred above coveying a decision on admissibility of Ration Money Allowance (RMA) during Work Related Illness & Injury Leave (WRIIL) and Child Care Leave (CCL).

2. The issue of date of effectiveness of RMA during WRIIL and CCL has been examined in Board's office and it is stated that Board's instructions dated 11.07.2022 would be effective from a prospective date i.e from the date of issue of the said instructions.

3. This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of Ministry of Railways.

4. Please acknowledge receipt.

(N P Singh)
Director/E(P&A),
Railway Board
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Room No.10, 4th Floor

No. E(P&A)I-2005/ALL/RPF-2 New Delhi, dated 28 .02.2023

Copy forwarded to the Deputy Comptroller and Auditor General of India (Railways), Room No.224, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.

for Member (Finance)/Railway Board

Sl.No. 37/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/27/Quarter Retention :::::: Asansol dated 21/03/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No. No.E. 886/0/Vol.IX, dated 14/03/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch.OS/Ruling → out.
DPO
May pl. sign. 21/03/23

21/3/23
for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E. 886/0/Vol.IX, dated 14/03/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub: Provision of facility of retention of Railway accommodation to AM level (Level 16) officers posted outside Delhi

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Copy of letter No. E (G) 2020 RN 2-1 dated 27.02.2023 (RBE No.37/2023) issued by Director Establishment (G), Railway Board on the above subject is attached herewith for information, guidance and strict compliance.

Railway Board's earlier letter dated 01.07.2022 (RBE No. 75/2022) as mentioned therein was circulated vide this office serial No. 91/2022.

This Serial Circular is available on Eastern Railway's official website viz. URL No. *http://www.er.indianrailways.gov.in* under **About us → Department → Personnel → CODEs MANUALs and CPO's Serial Circulars → CPO's SERIAL CIRCULARS.**

Index No.1062 : AM level officers (Level-16) posted outside Delhi may be permitted to retain railway accommodation at previous place of posting subject to payment of License fee as stipulated.

DA: As above.

14/3/23
(S.K. Chattopadhyay)
Senior Personnel Officer/HQ
for Principal Chief Personnel Officer

14.3.23

RBE No. 37/2023

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

No. E(G) 2020 RN 2- 1

New Delhi, dated 27.02.2023

The General Manager/Director General
All Indian Railways/Production Units/RDSO-Lucknow
(As per Standard mailing list)

Sub: Provision of facility of retention of Railway accommodation to AM level(Level16) officers posted outside Delhi.

In exercise of the powers vested in it to make reasonable relaxations in public interest for a class/group of employees in all or any of the provisions regarding house allotment/retention, the Full Board have decided that AM level officers (Level-16) posted outside Delhi may be permitted to retain railway accommodation at previous place of posting. License fee for such retention of railway accommodation will be charged as per the provisions of para-3 of Board's letter No.E(G) 2021 RN 2-2 dated 01.7.2022.

2. This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.

3. Please acknowledge receipt.

(Harish Chander)
Director Establishment (G)
Railway Board

No. E(G) 2020 RN 2-1

New Delhi, dated 27.02.2023

1. PFA, all Indian Railways and Production Units
2. PED (Finance) RDSO, Lucknow
3. Deputy Comptroller & Auditor General of India (Railways), Room No. 224, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi (copy with 46 spares).

27/2/23

For Member Finance/Railway Board

Contd....2/-

Sl.No. 36/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/13/Selection :::::: Asansol dated 21/03/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No. No.E. 1001/0/S/Pt.IV, dated 14/03/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch.OS/Ruling → out
DPO

21/3/23

for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

May pl. sign.
21/03/23
O/C

Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E. 1001/0/S/Pt.IV, dated 14/03/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub : Relaxation in the condition of acquiring higher qualifications for grant of Selection Grade under CAS to miscellaneous category of teachers.

Ref : Railway Board's Letter No.E(P&A)I-2012/PS-5/PE-3, New Delhi , dtd: 24.02.2023.

In connection with earlier Railway Board's letter No.E(P&A)I-2012/PS-5/PE-3, New Delhi, dtd: 07.09.2022 (RBE No.110/2022) circulated under PCPO's Sl No. 128/2022 further clarification on above quoted subject under Railway Board's letter No.E(P&A)I-2012/PS-5/PE-3, New Delhi, dtd: 24.02.2023 (RBE No.36/2023) is enclosed herewith for kind information, circulation and necessary action please .

D.A. - As stated.

14.3.2023

(Dharmendra Weekey)
Dy. Chief Personnel Officer/NG
For Principal Chief Personnel Officer

INDEX No. 1063 : Relaxation in the condition of acquiring higher qualifications for grant of Selection Grade under CAS to miscellaneous category of teachers.

भारत सरकार/ GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
रेल मंत्रालय/ MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(रेलवे बोर्ड/ RAILWAY BOARD)

RBE No. 36 /2023

No. E(P&A)I-2012/PS-5/PE-3

New Delhi, Dated : 24.02.2023

The General Managers and the PFAs,
All Indian Railways and
Production Units.

Sub: Relaxation in the condition of acquiring higher qualifications for grant of Selection Grade under CAS to miscellaneous category of teachers.

Ref: Railway Board's letter No. E(P&A)I-2012/PS-5/PE-3 dated 07.09.2022 (RBE No. 110/2022)

Attention is invited to Railway Board's letter referred above relaxing the condition of acquiring higher qualifications for grant of Selection Grade under Career Advancement Scheme (CAS) to miscellaneous category of teachers.

2. On receipt of a reference from a Zonal Railway regarding date of effect of Board's letter dated 07.09.2022 (RBE No. 110/2022), the matter has been examined in Board's Office and it is stated that Board's instructions dated 07.09.2022 would be effective from the date of issue of the instructions i.e. 07.09.2022.

3. This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of Ministry of Railways.

4. Please acknowledge receipt.

(This disposes of NER's letter No. का /252 / 210 / वरिष्ठग्रेड / प्रवरण ग्रेड / भाग - I/II dated 30.01.2023.)

(N. P. Singh)
Director Estt.(P&A),
Railway Board
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No. E(P&A)I-2012/PS-5/PE-3

New Delhi dated 24 .02.2023

Copy to the Deputy Comptroller and Auditor General of India (Railways), Room No.224, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.

for Member Finance/Railway Board

No. E(P&A)I-2012/PS-5/PE-3

New Delhi, Dated : 24 .02.2023

Sl.No. 35/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/47/SBF :::::: Asansol dated 21/03/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No. No.E. 845/W/GIS/Pt.IV, dated 01/03/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch.OS / Ruling → out
DPO
May Pl. Sign. 21/03/23

21/3/23
for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

O/C

Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E. 845/W/GIS/Pt.IV, dated 01/03/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub: Central Government Employees Group Insurance Scheme, 1980 – Table of benefits for the saving Fund for the period from01.10.2022 to 31.12.2022.

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A copy of the Railway Board's letter bearing no. PC-III/2000/GIS/2 dated 14.02.2023 (RBE No.32/2023) is sent herewith along with its enclosures for information and further necessary action. Board's earlier letter dated 11.10.2022 mentioned therein was circulated under this office serial No.146/2022.

DA: As above

21.03.23
(D.C. Tikader)
Asstt. Personnel Officer/Co-ordn.
for Principal Chief Personnel Officer
Phone No.24162 (Rly.)

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
RAILWAY BOARD

RBE No. 32/2023

New Delhi, Dated: 14.02.2023

No. PC-III/2000/GIS/2

The General Managers,
All Zonal Railways & PUS
(As per mailing list).

Sub: Central Government Employees Group Insurance Scheme, 1980 - Tables of Benefits for the Savings Fund for the period from 01.10.2022 to 31.12.2022.

The Table of Benefits under CGEGIS-1980 for the period 01-07-2022 to 30-09-2022 issued by Ministry of Finance vide their OM Dt. 12.09.2022 was circulated to Zonal Railways/ Production Units etc. vide Board's letter of even number dated 11.10.2022/ RBE-124/2023.

In continuation of Board's letter ibid, a copy of Ministry of Finance's OM N 7(2)/EV/2016 dated 16-12-2022 circulating Tables of benefits for the period from 01-10-2022 to 31-12-2022 is enclosed herewith for information and necessary action

DA: As above

(V.N. Singh)
Deputy Director/Pay Commission-III
Railway Board
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Room No. 10, 4th Floor, Central Organization for Modernization of Workshops (COFMOW) Building, Tilak Bridge, New Delhi-110002

No. PC-III/2000/GIS/2 New Delhi, Dated: 14.02.2023

Copy forwarded to: Deputy Comptroller & Auditor General of India (Railways), Room No.224, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.

For Member Finance, Railway Board

No. PC-III/2000/GIS/2 **New Delhi, Dated: 14.02.2023**

Copy to:-

1. FA & CAOs, All Indian Railways, CLW, DLW, DMW, ICF, RWF, Metro Rail, Kolkata MTP (R), Delhi, Mumbai, Chennai, CORE/ Allahabad, (b) FA & CAOS (Construction), NF Railway, Maligon & Southern Railway, Bangalore
2. The Pay & Accounts Officer, Ministry of Railways (Railway Board)
3. Executive Director (Finance), RDSO, Lucknow,
4. The Chief Commissioner, Railway Safety, Lucknow
5. General Manager, Northeast Frontier Railway (Construction), Maligaon
6. Director General , NAIR, Vadodara

(V.N. Singh)
Deputy Director/Pay Commission-III
Railway Board

1359936/2023/PC III/MISC

PC-III/2000/GIS-2

No. 7(2)/EV/2016
Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Expenditure
E-V Branch

New Delhi, the 16th December, 2022

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Central Government Employees Group Insurance Scheme-1980 - Tables of Benefits for the savings fund for the period from 01.10.2022 to 31.12.2022.

The Tables of Benefits for Savings Fund to the beneficiaries under the Central Government Employees Group Insurance Scheme-1980, which are being issued on a quarterly basis from 01.01.2017 onwards, as brought out in this Ministry's OM of even number dated 17.03.2017, for the quarter from **01.10.2022 to 31.12.2022**, as worked out by IRDA based on the interest rate of 7.1% per annum (compounded quarterly) as notified by the Department of Economic Affairs as per their Resolution No. 5(4)-B(PD)/2021 dated 03.10.2022, are enclosed.

2. The Tables enclosed are of two categories as per the existing practice. As hitherto, the first Table of Benefits for the savings fund of the scheme is based on the subscription of Rs.10 p.m. from 1.1.1982 to 31.12.1989 and Rs.15 p.m. w.e.f. 1.1.1990 onwards. The second Table of Benefits for savings fund is based on a subscription of Rs.10 p.m. for those employees who had opted out of the revised rate of subscription w.e.f. 1.1.1990.

3. In so far as the persons serving in the Indian Audit and Accounts Department are concerned, these Orders are issued in consultation with the Comptroller and Auditor General of India, as mandated under Article 148(5) of the Constitution of India.

4. Hindi version of these orders is attached.

(Gulveena Badhan)
Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

To

1. All Ministries/Department of the Central Government as per standard list.

2. Copy with spare copies for information and necessary action to C&AG, UPSC, all State Government etc. as per standard list.

PC-III/2000/GIS-2

1359936/2023/PC III/MISC

CENTRAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES GROUP INSURANCE SCHEME 1980

Contribution @ Rs 10/- P.M upto 31 12 89 and Rs 15 throughout after 1 1 90

Accumulated value of contribution from 1st January of year of Entry to the month and year of cessation

Year of cessation of membership 2022

Month of cessation of the subscriber

Year of Entry	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
1982	45509.10	45787.42	46067.11	46348.78	46631.90	46916.69	47203.15	47491.35	47781.14	48072.69	48365.96	48660.95
1983	41519.10	41794.14	42070.47	42348.11	42627.07	42878.55	43190.37	43476.53	43765.44	43887.52	44156.17	44426.39
1984	37964.61	38198.41	38433.60	38670.16	38908.12	39147.48	39388.24	39630.43	39874.03	40119.07	40365.55	40613.48
1985	34751.20	34966.11	35182.28	35399.72	35618.44	35838.45	36059.75	36282.36	36506.27	36731.50	36958.05	37185.94
1986	31877.84	32075.85	32275.02	32475.36	32676.88	32879.59	33083.48	33288.58	33494.89	33702.42	33911.16	34121.13
1987	29293.52	29476.33	29660.21	29845.17	30031.22	30218.36	30406.60	30595.96	30786.42	30978.01	31170.74	31364.57
1988	26985.48	27154.71	27324.93	27496.16	27668.39	27841.64	28015.90	28191.19	28367.51	28544.87	28723.27	28902.72
1989	24898.47	25055.42	25213.30	25372.10	25531.84	25692.52	25854.15	26016.72	26180.25	26344.74	26510.20	26676.63
1990	23049.49	23195.57	23342.50	23490.30	23638.97	23788.52	23938.94	24090.25	24242.45	24395.54	24549.54	24704.44
1991	20575.68	20707.21	20839.51	20972.58	21106.45	21241.09	21376.53	21512.77	21649.81	21787.65	21926.31	22065.78
1992	18386.66	18505.31	18624.66	18744.71	18865.46	18986.93	19109.11	19232.01	19355.63	19479.98	19605.06	19730.88
1993	16431.41	16538.56	16646.34	16754.76	16863.81	16973.50	17083.84	17194.82	17306.46	17418.76	17531.72	17645.34
1994	14701.45	14798.47	14895.96	14994.08	15092.78	15192.05	15291.91	15392.36	15493.40	15595.03	15697.26	15800.09
1995	13167.75	13250.68	13333.12	13428.08	13517.56	13607.57	13698.11	13789.18	13880.79	13972.94	14065.63	14158.86
1996	11798.33	11878.23	11958.60	12039.44	12120.75	12202.55	12284.82	12367.58	12450.83	12534.57	12618.79	12703.52
1997	10578.41	10651.15	10724.30	10797.88	10871.90	10946.34	11021.23	11096.56	11172.33	11248.54	11325.21	11402.32
1998	9503.05	9569.44	9636.21	9703.41	9770.99	9838.96	9907.33	9976.11	10045.29	10114.87	10184.87	10255.27
1999	8538.17	8598.90	8659.97	8721.41	8783.21	8845.37	8907.90	8970.80	9034.07	9097.70	9161.72	9226.11
2000	7688.07	7743.79	7799.84	7856.22	7912.93	7969.97	8027.35	8085.07	8143.12	8201.52	8260.26	8319.35
2001	6931.47	6982.74	7034.32	7086.19	7138.37	7190.86	7243.66	7296.77	7350.19	7403.92	7457.97	7512.34
2002	6259.89	6307.21	6354.81	6402.69	6450.85	6499.29	6548.02	6597.04	6646.34	6695.93	6745.82	6796.00
2003	5642.25	5685.94	5729.89	5774.09	5818.55	5863.28	5908.27	5953.52	5999.04	6044.82	6090.88	6137.21
2004	5086.74	5127.16	5167.82	5208.72	5249.86	5291.24	5332.86	5374.73	5416.84	5459.20	5501.81	5544.67
2005	4573.54	4610.94	4648.56	4686.40	4724.47	4762.76	4801.27	4840.01	4878.98	4918.18	4957.61	4997.27
2006	4099.41	4134.02	4168.84	4203.86	4239.09	4274.52	4310.17	4346.02	4382.08	4418.36	4454.85	4491.55
2007	3661.39	3693.43	3725.65	3758.07	3790.67	3823.47	3856.46	3889.64	3923.02	3956.60	3990.37	4024.34
2008	3256.73	3286.39	3316.22	3346.23	3376.41	3406.77	3437.31	3468.03	3498.92	3530.00	3561.27	3592.72
2009	2882.89	2910.35	2937.97	2965.75	2993.69	3021.80	3050.07	3078.51	3107.12	3135.90	3164.84	3193.96
2010	2537.52	2562.94	2588.52	2614.24	2640.12	2666.15	2692.33	2718.67	2745.16	2771.81	2798.61	2825.57
2011	2218.44	2241.99	2265.68	2289.51	2313.47	2337.58	2361.83	2386.22	2410.76	2435.44	2460.26	2485.24
2012	1923.43	1945.25	1967.19	1989.26	2011.46	2033.79	2056.26	2078.85	2101.58	2124.44	2147.44	2170.57
2013	1652.36	1672.58	1692.92	1713.38	1733.96	1754.66	1775.48	1796.42	1817.49	1838.68	1859.99	1881.43
2014	1403.66	1422.42	1441.29	1460.26	1479.35	1498.55	1517.87	1537.30	1556.84	1576.50	1596.27	1616.16
2015	1175.58	1192.99	1210.51	1228.13	1245.85	1263.68	1281.61	1299.65	1317.80	1336.05	1354.41	1372.87
2016	966.30	982.48	998.76	1015.14	1031.61	1048.18	1064.84	1081.60	1098.47	1115.43	1132.49	1149.65
2017	774.28	789.33	804.48	819.71	835.03	850.44	865.94	881.54	897.22	913.00	928.87	944.84
2018	597.37	611.39	625.48	639.66	653.92	668.27	682.70	697.22	711.82	726.50	741.28	756.14
2019	433.49	446.54	459.67	472.87	486.15	499.51	512.95	526.47	540.06	553.74	567.50	581.33
2020	281.92	294.07	306.30	318.60	330.98	343.43	355.95	368.54	381.21	393.95	406.77	419.66
2021	141.42	152.75	164.15	175.62	187.15	198.75	210.42	222.16	233.97	245.84	257.79	269.80
2022	10.50	21.06	31.69	42.37	53.12	63.93	74.81	85.75	96.75	107.82	118.96	130.15

Note:

Basis Used

From	To	Interest*
1.1.82	31.12.82	10%
1.1.83	31.12.86	11%
1.1.87	31.12.00	12%
1.1.01	31.12.01	11%
1.1.02	31.12.02	9.50%
1.1.03	31.12.03	9.00%
1.1.04	30.11.11	8.00%
1.12.11	31.03.12	8.60%

From	To	Interest*
01.04.2012	31.03.2013	8.80%
1.4.2013	31.03.2016	8.70%
01.04.2016	30.09.2016	8.70%
01.10.2016	31.12.2016	8.70%
01.01.2017	31.03.2017	8.00%
01.04.2017	30.06.2017	7.90%
01.07.2017	31.12.2017	7.80%
01.01.2018	30.09.2018	7.60%
1.10.2018	31.12.2018	8.00%
1.1.2019	31.03.2019	8.00%

From	To	Interest*
1.4.2019	30.6.2019	8.00%
1.7.2019	30.9.2019	7.90%
1.10.2019	31.12.2019	7.90%
1.1.2020	31.03.2020	7.90%
1.4.2020	31.12.2022	7.10%

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CENTRAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES GROUP INSURANCE SCHEME 1980

Contribution @ Rs. 10/- throughout

Accumulated value of contribution from 1st January of year of Entry to the month and year of cessation

Year of cessation of membership - 2022

Month of cessation of membership

Year of Entry	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
1982	37824.38	38053.86	38284.69	38516.89	38750.44	38985.37	39221.68	39459.39	39698.49	39938.99	40180.91	40424.26
1983	33858.12	34064.28	34271.64	34480.23	34690.04	34901.09	35113.37	35326.91	35541.70	35757.76	35975.09	36193.69
1984	30280.53	30465.64	30651.84	30839.14	31027.53	31217.04	31407.66	31599.40	31792.26	31986.27	32181.41	32377.70
1985	27070.40	27236.63	27403.84	27572.03	27741.21	27911.38	28082.55	28254.74	28427.93	28602.14	28777.38	28953.65
1986	24187.83	24337.10	24487.25	24638.28	24790.21	24943.02	25096.74	25251.36	25406.88	25563.33	25720.69	25878.98
1987	21604.55	21738.62	21873.49	22009.15	22145.61	22282.87	22420.94	22559.82	22699.51	22840.03	22981.38	23123.55
1988	19300.04	19420.56	19541.79	19663.74	19786.40	19909.78	20033.89	20158.73	20284.31	20410.62	20537.67	20665.48
1989	17215.45	17323.71	17432.61	17542.15	17652.33	17763.16	17874.65	17986.79	18099.58	18213.05	18327.18	18441.98
1990	15360.07	15457.42	15555.34	15653.84	15752.91	15852.57	15952.82	16053.65	16155.08	16257.10	16359.73	16462.96
1991	13710.68	13798.32	13886.49	13975.17	14064.37	14154.09	14244.35	14335.13	14426.45	14518.31	14610.71	14703.65
1992	12247.13	12326.17	12405.67	12485.64	12566.08	12646.99	12728.38	12810.25	12892.60	12975.44	13058.76	13142.57
1993	10950.84	11022.26	11094.09	11166.34	11239.02	11312.13	11385.67	11459.64	11534.05	11608.89	11684.17	11759.90
1994	9793.94	9858.55	9923.54	9988.91	10054.66	10120.81	10187.34	10254.26	10321.57	10389.29	10457.39	10525.91
1995	8767.14	8825.70	8884.62	8943.88	9003.48	9063.44	9123.75	9184.42	9245.44	9306.82	9368.57	9430.67
1996	7856.48	7909.70	7963.22	8017.06	8071.22	8125.69	8180.49	8235.60	8291.05	8346.81	8402.91	8459.34
1997	7048.05	7096.50	7145.25	7194.27	7243.59	7293.20	7343.10	7393.29	7443.78	7494.56	7545.64	7597.03
1998	6327.89	6372.11	6416.59	6461.33	6506.34	6551.61	6597.14	6642.95	6689.02	6735.37	6781.99	6828.83
1999	5686.72	5727.16	5767.85	5808.78	5849.95	5891.35	5933.01	5974.91	6017.05	6059.44	6102.08	6144.98
2000	5125.15	5162.29	5199.66	5237.24	5275.05	5313.08	5351.33	5389.80	5428.51	5467.44	5506.60	5545.99
2001	4622.74	4656.93	4691.32	4725.92	4760.71	4795.72	4830.92	4866.34	4901.96	4937.80	4973.84	5010.10
2002	4170.78	4202.32	4234.03	4265.94	4298.03	4330.31	4362.78	4395.45	4428.30	4461.35	4494.59	4528.03
2003	3763.19	3792.33	3821.64	3851.11	3880.77	3910.59	3940.60	3970.77	4001.13	4031.67	4062.38	4093.27
2004	3391.16	3418.11	3445.21	3472.48	3499.90	3527.49	3555.24	3583.15	3611.23	3639.47	3667.88	3696.45
2005	3049.02	3073.96	3099.04	3124.27	3149.64	3175.17	3200.85	3226.67	3252.65	3278.79	3305.07	3331.51
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2008	2171.16	2190.93	2210.81	2230.82	2250.94	2271.18	2291.54	2312.02	2332.62	2353.34	2374.18	2395.14
2009	1921.93	1940.23	1958.64	1977.16	1995.79	2014.53	2033.38	2052.34	2071.41	2090.60	2109.90	2129.31
2010	1691.68	1708.63	1725.68	1742.83	1760.08	1777.43	1794.89	1812.44	1830.11	1847.87	1865.74	1883.71
2011	1478.96	1494.66	1510.45	1526.34	1542.32	1558.39	1574.55	1590.82	1607.17	1623.63	1640.18	1656.82
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2013	1101.58	1115.05	1128.61	1142.25	1155.97	1169.77	1183.65	1197.61	1211.66	1225.78	1239.99	1254.23
2014	935.77	948.28	960.86	973.51	986.23	999.04	1011.91	1024.86	1037.89	1051.00	1064.18	1077.44
2015	783.72	795.33	807.01	818.75	830.57	842.45	854.41	866.43	878.53	890.70	902.94	915.25
2016	644.20	654.99	665.84	676.76	687.74	698.78	709.89	721.07	732.31	743.62	754.99	766.43
2017	516.19	526.22	536.32	546.47	556.69	566.96	577.30	587.69	598.15	608.67	619.25	629.89
2018	398.25	407.59	416.99	426.44	435.95	445.51	455.13	464.81	474.54	484.34	494.19	504.09
2019	288.99	297.63	306.44	315.25	324.10	333.01	341.97	350.98	360.04	369.16	378.33	387.56
2020	187.94	196.05	204.20	212.40	220.65	228.95	237.30	245.69	254.14	262.63	271.18	279.77
2021	94.28	101.84	109.44	117.08	124.77	132.50	140.28	148.11	155.98	163.89	171.86	179.87
2022	7.00	14.04	21.12	28.25	35.41	42.62	49.87	57.17	64.50	71.88	79.31	86.77

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Sl.No. 34/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/12/Fixation of pay on Promotion :::::: Asansol dated 21/03/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No. No.E.85/0/Pt.XIII, dated 27/02/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch.OS / Ruling → out.
DPO
may Pl. Sign. 21/3/23 o/c

21/3/23
for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

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Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E. 85/0/Pt.XIII, dated 27/02/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub: **Fixation of pay of running staff on promotion to the 'General Posts' - clarification reg.**

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A copy of Ministry of Railway (Railway Board) letter bearing no E(P&A)II 2022 RS-2 dated 20/02/2023 (**RBE No. 34/2023**) on the above cited subject is circulated for information and compliance.

DA: As above.

(Dharmendra Weeley)
Dy. Chief Personnel Officer (W)
For Pr. Chief Personnel Officer
Phone No 24[illegible]

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Index No. 1068: The benefit of reckoning of 30% pay element for the purpose of fixation of pay of running staff on their promotion/appointment to the posts filled through 'General Selection' is not admissible

भारत सरकार GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
रेल मंत्रालय MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
रेलवे बोर्ड Railway Board

RBE No. 39/2023
No. E(P&A)II/2022/RS-2 New Delhi, dt. 20.02.2023

The General Managers/CAOs,
All Indian Railways & Production Units

Sub: Fixation of pay of running staff on promotion to the 'General Posts'- clarifications-reg.

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References from Zonal Railways and NFIR have been received in Board's office seeking clarifications regarding reckoning of 30% pay element for fixation of pay of such Running Staff who have been selected to the Stationary Post i.e non-running post upon promotion through General Selection.

2. The matter has been examined in consultation with Establishment and Finance Directorate(s) of Railway Board. It is advised that in absence of specific orders from the Board to this effect, the benefit of reckoning of 30% pay element for the purpose of fixation of pay of running staff on their promotion/appointment to the posts filled through General Section is not admissible. Further, the General Selection is voluntary in nature and the concerned staff are aware of the mode of fixation of pay on promotion/appointment to a post under General Selection. Hence in such cases, pay fixation has to be effected without taking into account the 'pay element'.

3. This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.

4. Hindi version is enclosed.

[This disposes off Western Railway's letter No.E/Legal/770/9/30(CLA)(efile260065), dated 02.06.2022 and Central Railway's letter No.P/CR/HQ/EC/Pay Fixation/CLA. dt. 03.06.2022.]

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Sl.No. 33/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/57Pt-IIIMACPS :::::: Asansol dated 20/03/2023
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ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No. No.E.368/0/ACP/Pt.IV, dated 17/02/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch.OS/Ruling → out
DPO
May Pl. Sig. 21/03/23

21/3/23
for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.E.368/0/ACP/Pt.IV, dated 17/02/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub: Grant of financial upgradation under MACPS by counting 50% Temporary Status of Casual Labour Service and 100% Temporary Status Service of Substitutes.

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A copy of Ministry of Railway (Railway Board) letter bearing no. PC-V/2021/MACP/23/NCR(E), dated 14/02/2023 (RBE No. 31/2023) on the above cited subject is circulated for information and further necessary action. Board's earlier letters dated 04/12/2009 (RBE No. 215/2009), 25/02/2010 (RBE No. 36/2010), 04/02/2020 (RBE No. 16/2020) and 30/04/2021 (RBE No.33/2021) mentioned therein were circulated under this office serial nos. 199/2009, 35/2010, 16/2020 and 34/2021 respectively.

DA: As above.

17.2.2023

(Dharmendra Weekey)
Dy. Chief Personnel Officer/HQ
For Pr. Chief Personnel Officer
Phone No. 24106(Rly.)
17/02/23.

Index No. 1060: Extant instructions regarding grant of financial upgradation under MACPS by counting 50% Temporary Status of Casual Labour Service and 100% Temporary Status Service of Substitutes stand withdrawn. Cases already decided need not be re-opened.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA/भारत सरकार
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS/रेल मंत्रालय
(Railway Board) रेलवे बोर्ड

S.No. PC-VII/ 203
No. PC-V/2021/MACP/23/NCR(E)

RBE No. 31 /2023
New Delhi, dated 14-02-2023

The General Managers (P), All
Indian Railways and PUs.

Sub:- Grant of financial upgradation under MACPS by counting 50% Temporary Status of Casual Labour Service and 100% Temporary Status Service of Substitutes.

On receipt of references from some of the Zonal Railways regarding counting or otherwise of 50% Temporary Status Casual Labour Service and 100% Temporary Status Service of Substitutes for the purpose of MACP, the matter has since been examined in consultation with DoP&T. Pointing out Para 3 of their OM No. DoP&T's OM No. 35034/3/2015-Estt. (D) dated 22-10-2019 (circulated vide Board's letter dated 04.02.2020/ RBE No. 16/2020) which stipulates that casual employees, including those granted 'temporary status' and employees appointed in the Government on ad-hoc or on contract basis, shall not qualify for the benefit under the Scheme, and Para 9 of Annexure-I to the said OM which provides that 'regular service' for the purpose of MACPS shall commence form the date of joining of a post in direct entry grade on a regular basis either on direct recruitment basis or on absorption / re- employment basis. Service rendered on casual, ad hoc / contract basis before regular appointment on pre-appointment training shall not be taken into reckoning, DoP&T has reaffirmed its decision communicated vide Item No. 6 of their OM dated 05-04-2021(circulated vide Board's letter dated 30-04-2021 / RBE No. 33/2021) regarding not counting 50 % of temporary status casual service for the purpose of MACPS. In light of DoP&T's above clarification the instructions issued vide Board's letter dated 04-12-2009/RBE No.215/2009 and Board's letter dated 25-02-2010/RBE No. 36/2010 stands withdrawn. However, the cases already decided need not be re-opened.

2. This has the concurrence of the Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.

3. Hindi version is enclosed.

(Sudha A. Kujur)
Deputy Director, Pay Commission
Railway Board

Sl.No. 32/2023

Eastern Railway

No.E(PR)/47/56/SBF/Honorarium :::::: Asansol dated 20/03/2023

ALL CONCERNED ON ASN DIVN.

The following copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No. SBF/Homoeo/Staff/Vol.X, dated 20/02/2023 addressed to ALL CONCERNED is forwarded for information, and necessary action please.

DA- As refd. to

Ch.OS/Reeling → out
DPO May Pl. sign. 20/3/23 O/C

21/3/23
for Sr. Divl. Personnel Officer
Eastern Railway, Asansol.

Copy of PCPO/ER/KOAA's letter No.SBF/Homoeo/Staff/Vol.X, dated 20/02/2023 'addressed to ALL CONCERNED is appended below :

Sub: Revision of Honorarium of Ayurvedic/ Homeopathic (ISM) Consultants engaged under Staff Benefit Fund (SBF).

A copy of Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) letter No.E (W) 2019/ISM/5, dt.16.02.2023 (RBE No.18/2023) on the above cited subject is circulated herewith along with its enclosure for information guidance and further necessary action. In this connection it is stated that Bd's letter dated 07.07.2017 as mentioned therein was circulated vide CPO's Sl.No. 77/2017.

DA: As above.

20/3/23

(S.K. Chattopadhyay)
Sr. Personnel Officer (HQ)
for Principal Chief Personnel Officer

Index No. 1051- Indigenous system of medicine- Homeopathic/Ayurvedic Dispensaries.

RBE No. 18/2023

आज़ादी का अमृत महोत्सव

भारत सरकार/GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
रेल मंत्रालय/MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(रेलवे बोर्ड) (RAILWAY BOARD)

Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav

No. E(W)2022/ISM-5

Now Delhi, dated:16-02-2023

The General Managers(P),
All Indian Railways & Production Units.

Sub: Revision of Honorarium of Ayurvedic/Homeopathic (ISM) Consultants engaged under Staff Benefit Fund (SBF).
Ref: Board's letter No. E(W)2016/ISM/9 dated 07.07.2017.

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The issue of enhancement in the amount of Honorarium admissible to the Ayurvedic/Homeopathic (ISM) Consultants engaged by SBF Committees on contract basis in the Ayurvedic/Homeopathic Dispensaries being run under the aegis of SBF was under examination in Board.

2. It has been decided with the approval of Competent Authority to revise the monthly Honorarium as an interim measure for Ayurvedic/Homeopathic (ISM) Consultants as follows:-

	8 hours duration	4 hrs duration
Ayurvedic/Homeopathic Consultants:	**Rs. 75,000/-**	**Rs. 37,500/-**

3. The aforesaid revision will take effect prospectively i.e. from the date of issue of these orders and past cases will not be re-opened.

4. This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of Ministry of Railways.

(Chhote Lal)
Jt. Director Estt. (Welfare)
Railway Board.
Phone No. :23047155
Email ID: saurabh.lal65@gov.in

No. E(W)2022/ISM-5

New Delhi, dated:16-02-2023

Copy to:-
The Deputy Comptroller and Auditor General of India (Railways), Room No. 224, Rail Bhavan, New Delhi.

For Member (Finance), Railway Board