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All Concerned
(as per standard list)

Sub: State Railway Provident Fund-Rate of interest during the 4th Quarter of Financial year 2025-26 (1st January, 2026 - 31st March, 2026).

A copy of Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) letter bearing number F(E)III/2003/PF-1/1, dated 18/02/2026 on the above cited subject is circulated herewith along with its enclosure, for information and further necessary action.

DA: As above.


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26/02/26

Index No. 1061: Rate of interest to State Railway Provident Fund (SRPF) during the period from 1st January, 2026 - 31st March, 2026 has been prescribed as 7.1 % (Seven-point one percent).

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(RAILWAY BOARD)

No. F(E)III/2003/PF-1/1

New Delhi, Dated: 18 .02.2026

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

Subject: State Railway Provident Fund-Rate of interest during the 4th
Quarter of Financial year 2025-26 (1st January, 2026 – 31st March,
2026).

A copy of Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance's Resolution F.NO. 5(3)-B(PD)/2023 dated 09th January, 2026 prescribing interest at the rate of 7.1%(Seven point one per cent) w.e.f. 1st January, 2026 to 31st March, 2026 on accumulations at the credit of the subscribers to State Railway Provident Fund, is enclosed for information and necessary action.

(G. Priya Sudarsani)
Director, Finance (Estt.)
Railway Board

D.A : As above

No. F(E)III/2003/PF-1/1

New Delhi, Dated: 18 .02.2026

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Deputy Comptroller and Auditor General of India (Railways), Room No. 222, Rail
Bhawan, New Delhi

For Member Finance, Railway Board.

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New Delhi, Dated: 18.02.2026

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2. The General Secretary, NFIR, Room No. 256-E, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
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4. The Secretary General, FROA, Room No. 256-A, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
5. The Secretary General, IRPOF, Room No. 268, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
6. The Secretary, RBSS, Group 'A' Officers Association, Rail Bhawan.
7. The Secretary, RBSS, Group 'B' Officers Association.
8. The General Secretary, RBSSA, Room No. 451-A, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
9. The Secretary, Railway Board Ministerial Staff Association.
10. The Secretary, Railway Board Class IV staff Association.
11. The General Secretary, All India SC/ST Railway Employees Association, Room No. 7, Ground Floor, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi
12. The General Secretary, All India O.B.C. Railway Employees Federation (AIOBCREF), Room No.48, Rail Bhawan.

For Principal Executive Director (IR) /Railway Board.

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PSOs/Sr.PPSs/PPSs to CRB, MF, M/O&BD, M/Infra, M/TRS, Secretary/RB.
DG/HR, DG/Safety, DG(RHS), DG(RPF).

All Addl. Members, PEDs, All EDs, JSs.

Pay & Accounts Officer, M/o Railways (Railway Board)

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4. The Vice Chairman, Rail Land Development Authority, New Delhi.
5. The Registrar, RCT/Delhi.
6. Chairmen of all RRBs
7. The Chief Commissioner of Railway Safety/ Lucknow

(भारत के राजपत्र के भाग 1, खण्ड 1 में प्रकाशनार्थ)
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भारत सरकार
वित्त मंत्रालय
आर्थिक कार्य विभाग
(बजट प्रभाग)

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक 9 जनवरी, 2026

संकल्प

आम जानकारी के लिए यह घोषित किया जाता है कि वर्ष 2025-26 के दौरान सामान्य भविष्य निधि तथा उसी प्रकार की अन्य निधियों के अभिदाताओं की कुल जमा रकमों पर दी जाने वाली ब्याज दर 1 जनवरी, 2026 से 31 मार्च, 2026 तक 7.1% (सात दशमलव एक प्रतिशत) होगी। यह दर 1 जनवरी, 2026 से लागू होगी। संबंधित निधियां निम्नलिखित हैं:

1. सामान्य भविष्य निधि (केंद्रीय सेवाएं)।
2. अंशदायी भविष्य निधि (भारत)।
3. अखिल भारतीय सेवा भविष्य निधि।
4. राज्य रेलवे भविष्य निधि।
5. सामान्य भविष्य निधि (रक्षा सेवाएं)।
6. भारतीय आयुध विभाग भविष्य निधि।
7. भारतीय आयुध कारखाना कामगार भविष्य निधि।
8. भारतीय नौसेना गोदी कामगार भविष्य निधि।
9. रक्षा सेवा अधिकारी भविष्य निधि।
10. सशस्त्र सेना कर्मिक भविष्य निधि।

2. आदेश दिया जाता है कि यह संकल्प भारत के राजपत्र में प्रकाशित किया जाए।

(व्यासन आर.)

संयुक्त सचिव, भारत सरकार

सेवा में,

प्रबंधक, (तकनीकी शाखा)
भारत सरकार मद्रासालय,
मिंटो रोड, दिल्ली।

फा.संख्या 5(3)-बी(पी.डी.)/2023

भारत सरकार के सभी मंत्रालयों/विभागों, राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय, उप-राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय, प्रधानमंत्री कार्यालय, लोक सभा सचिवालय, राज्य सभा सचिवालय, मंत्रिमंडल सचिवालय, संघ लोक सेवा आयोग, उच्चतम न्यायालय, निर्वाचन आयोग और नीति आयोग को प्रति प्रेषित।

निम्नलिखित को भी प्रति प्रेषित:-

1. भारत के नियंत्रक और महालेखापरीक्षक और उनके नियंत्रणाधीन सभी कार्यालय।
2. अध्यक्ष, पेंशन निधि विनियामक और विकास प्राधिकरण।
3. महालेखा नियंत्रक (10 प्रतियां)।
4. कर्मिक, लोक शिकायत और पेंशन मंत्रालय (पेंशन यूनिट/अखिल भारत सेवा प्रभाग)।
5. मंत्रालयों/विभागों के वित्तीय सलाहकार (6 प्रतियां)।
6. मंत्रालयों/विभागों के मुख्य नियंत्रक/लेखा नियंत्रक।
7. रक्षा लेखा महानियंत्रक।
8. सभी राज्य सरकारों और संघ राज्य क्षेत्रों के वित्त सचिव।
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10. सचिव स्टाफ पक्ष, राष्ट्रीय जेसीएम परिषद।
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(लेखन नायर)

उप निदेशक (बजट)

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F.No. 5(3)-B(PD)/2023
Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Economic Affairs
(Budget Division)

New Delhi, the 9 January, 2026

RESOLUTION

It is announced for general information that during the year 2025-26, accumulations at the credit of subscribers to the General Provident Fund and other similar funds shall carry interest at the rate of 7.1% (Seven point one percent) w.e.f. 1st January, 2026 to 31st March, 2026. This rate will be in force w.e.f. 1st January, 2026. The funds concerned are:

1. The General Provident Fund (Central Services).
2. The Contributory Provident Fund (India).
3. The All India Services Provident Fund.
4. The State Railway Provident Fund.
5. The General Provident Fund (Defence Services).
6. The Indian Ordnance Department Provident Fund.
7. The Indian Ordnance Factories Workmen's Provident Fund.
8. The Indian Naval Dockyard Workmen's Provident Fund.
9. The Defence Services Officers Provident Fund.
10. The Armed Forces Personnel Provident Fund.

2. Ordered that the Resolution be published in Gazette of India.

(व्यासन आर.)
Joint Secretary to the Govt. of India

To,

The Manager, (Technical Branch)
Government of India Press, Minto Road, Delhi.

F.No.5(3)-B(PD)/2023

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(लेखन नायर)
Deputy Director (Budget)