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रेल मंत्रालय/Ministry of Railway
(रेलवे बोर्ड/Railway Board)

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No. E(P&A)I-2011/FE-4/1(Pt.)

New Delhi, dated 27.06.2019

✓ The General Secretary,
NFIR,
3, Chelmsford Road,
New Delhi – 110055.

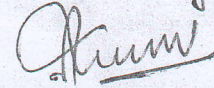
Sub:- Need for restoration of discontinued Allowances – Daily Officiating Allowance to staff in Railways-reg.

Sir,

The undersigned is directed to refer to your letter No. I/5(g)/Part VI dated 28.05.2019 on the above cited subject. In this context, a copy of OM dated 07.02.2019 vide which the proposal of restoration of Daily Officiating Allowance was forwarded to Ministry of Finance for their concurrence, is enclosed herewith.

DA:- As above.

Yours faithfully,



For Secretary, Railway Board

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NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDIAN RAILWAYMEN (N.F.I.R.)
3, Chelmsford Road, New Delhi

Dated: 05/07/2019

No. I/5(g)/Part VI

Copy together with the enclosure is forwarded to the General Secretaries of affiliated Unions of NFIR for information. The affiliates may take note that the subject was taken up by NFIR in the PNM forum at Railway Board's level vide Agenda Item No. 13/2018.

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Dr. M. Raghavaiah
General Secretary

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

No. E(P&A)I-2011/FE-4/1.

Dated 07.02.2019

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Restoration of discontinued Daily Officiating Allowance.

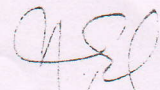
The undersigned is directed to invite the attention of the Ministry of Finance to their OM No. 291/1/2017-E.II(B) dated 11.07.2017, wherein vide para 2 of OM ibid, attention has been drawn to Para 8.2.5 of the Report of the 7th CPC wherein it has been mentioned that any allowance, not mentioned in the Report (and hence not reported to the Commission), shall cease to exist immediately. In case there is any demand or requirement for continuation of an existing allowance which has not been deliberated upon or covered in this report, it should be re-notified by the Ministry concerned after obtaining due approval of Ministry of Finance and should be put in the public domain.

2. It is mentioned here that prior to receipt of recommendation of 7th CPC, Daily Officiating Allowance was being paid to certain specified categories of non-gazetted staff on Indian Railways when a non-gazetted railway servant belonging to certain specified categories was put up to officiate (a) in posts in continuous shift duties; (b) from a lower grade to a higher grade; and (c) in vacancies where a change of category is involved (but not for change of grade only within the same category). However, consequent upon the decision taken by the Govt. on the recommendations of 7th CPC, this allowance has been discontinued vide Railway Board's letter No. E(P&A)-I-2011/FE-4/1 dated 05.09.2017 (copy enclosed)

3. It is stated here that certain posts in Indian Railways cannot be left unmanned even for a short duration and even for a single day due to operational reasons. Therefore, on demand of the Federations, viz., NFIR and AIRF, the issue has been considered in Railway Board's office and it has been decided to restore the payment of Daily Officiating Allowance to those specified categories of non-gazetted staff put to officiate as mentioned in para 2 above.

4. In view of the above, Ministry of Finance is requested to concur in with this Ministry's proposal regarding restoration of discontinued Daily Officiating Allowance.

5. The proposal is sent with the approval of Board (Member Staff and Financial Commissioner/Railways)..


(N P Singh)

Joint Director/Estt. (P&A)
Railway Board.

Ministry of Finance,
Department of Expenditure,
(Kind Attn.: Shri H. Atheli, DS/Expenditure)
Room No. 76, North Block,
New Delhi - 110001.

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

PC-VII No. 56

RBE No. 129/2017

New Delhi, dated 05.09.2017.

No. E(P&A)-I-2011/FE-4/1

The General Managers and Principal Financial Advisers,
All Indian Railways & Production Units.

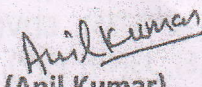
Sub: Payment on account of discontinued allowances – Daily Officiating Allowance.

Consequent upon the decision taken by the government on the recommendations of the Seventh Central Pay Commission, the President is pleased to decide that disbursement of all existing allowances which have not been specifically recommended for continuation in terms of the Ministry of Finance's Resolution dated 6th July, 2017 shall be discontinued from 1st July, 2017. Since, the Daily Officiating Allowance has not been specifically recommended for continuation in the said Resolution dated 6th July, 2017, it ceases to exist with effect from 1st July 2017.

2. It shall be the responsibility of the Heads of the Department to ensure that no bill relating to disbursement in respect of Daily Officiating Allowance is drawn by the Head of Office/Drawing & Disbursing Officers under their purview/jurisdiction. Pay and Accounts Officers shall ensure that no payment is effected if any such bill relating to the disbursement of the discontinued allowance is submitted to them. If such bills are received, they should be returned to the DDO and intimation thereof shall also be given to the Head of the Department and the Chief Controller of Accounts.

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

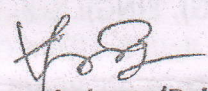
4. Please acknowledge receipt.


(Anil Kumar)
Dy. Director/E(P&A)-I
Railway Board.

No. E(P&A)-I-2011/FE-4/1

New Delhi, dated 05.09.2017

Copy to the Deputy Comptroller and Auditor General of India (Railways), Room-
No.224, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi (with 40 spares).


for Financial Commissioner/Railways

No. E(P&A)-I-2011/FE-4/1

New Delhi, dated 05.09.2017

Copy forwarded to:-

1. The General Secretary, AIRF, R.No.253, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.(with 35 spares).
2. The General Secretary, NFIR, R.No.256-E, Rail Bhawan, 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 60 spares).