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संख्या 2077 Dated:- 21.08.2019
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1. CAO (Con.)/उत्तर एवं दक्षिण/पटना।
2. सभी PHOD/CHOD, पू.म.रे, हाजीपुर।
3. DRM/पूमरे/मुगलसराय, दानापुर, धनबाद, सोनपुर एवं समस्तीपुर।
4. मुख्य कार्मिक अधिकारी/प्रशासन/पूमरे/हाजीपुर।
5. मुख्यालय के सभी कार्मिक अधिकारी।
6. CWM/पीडी/मुगलसराय, यांत्रिक कारखाना/समस्तीपुर/हरनौत।
7. DPO/पूमरे/मुगलसराय, दानापुर, धनबाद, सोनपुर एवं समस्तीपुर।
8. उप महाप्रबंधक/विधि/पटना।
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10. सभी मुकामाधी/कार्याधी/पूमरे/हाजीपुर।

विषय : Adoption of instructions issued by DoP&T regarding restrictions of officiating pay under FR-35 (Rule 1329 IREC Vol.II) in the context of RS(RP) Rules, 2016 in lieu of Charge Allowance.

संदर्भ : Railway's Boards Lt.No.PC-VII/1/7/5/8 Dated: 08.08.2019

विषयांकित से संबंधित संदर्भित पत्र की छायाप्रति सूचना, मार्गदर्शन एवं अग्रोत्तर आवश्यक कार्रवाई हेतु प्रेषित की जा रही है।

A copy of above referred letter on the subject matter is being forwarded herewith for information guidance and needful onward action please.

संलग्नक : यथोपरि।

DA : As above.

(सौरभ सावर्ण) 21.8.19
वकाधि/ई.एस.एम
कृते महाप्रबंधक (कार्मिक)/हाजीपुर

प्रतिलिपि सूचनाथ. मार्गदर्शन एवं आवश्यक कार्रवाई हेतु प्रेषित :-

1. महासचिव/ईसीआरकेयू/पूमरे/हाजीपुर।
2. महासचिव/एस0.सी0./एस0.टी0./एशोसिएशन/पूमरे/हाजीपुर।
3. सहायि (एम.पी.पी.),पूमरे/हाजीपुर। कृपया इसे नेट पर अपलोड कराने की व्यवस्था करें।
4. महासचिव, आ.बी.सी.एशोसिएशन/पूमरे/हाजीपुर।

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA (BHARAT SARKAR)
Ministry of Railways (Rail Mantralaya)
(Railway Board)

PC-VII No. 142

RBE No. 127/2019

File No. PC-VII/2017/1/7/5/8

New Delhi, Dated: 08.08.2019

The General Managers/ CAOs(R),
All Indian Railways and Production Units,
(As per mailing list)

Subject: Adoption of instructions issued by DoP&T regarding restrictions of officiating pay under FR-35 (Rule 1329 IREC Vol. II) in the context of RS(RP) Rules, 2016 in lieu of Charge Allowance.

Consequent upon the decision taken by Government of India vide MoF's Resolution No. 1-2/2016-IC dated 25.07.2016, recommendations of 7th Central Pay Commission regarding all the Allowances (except Dearness Allowance) were referred to a Committee of Secretaries headed by the Finance Secretary. The Committee's recommendations were implemented w.e.f. 01.07.2017 vide MoF's Resolution No. 11-1/2016-IC dated 06.07.2017. In terms of Para 8.2.5 of 7th CPC's Report, all the allowances not mentioned in the 7th CPC's Report ceased to exist w.e.f. 01.07.2017.

2. It is observed that Charge Allowance, which is granted in Indian Railways to Officers officiating on a higher post in administrative exigencies, was also not included in the report of the 7th CPC and hence stands abolished w.e.f. 01.07.2017.

3. It has now been decided by the Railway Board that DoPT's Office Memorandum No. 1/4/2017-Estt.(Pay-I) dated 28.02.2019 (Annexure-I) regarding **Restriction of pay under FR-35 (Rule 1329 IREC Vol. II)** in the context of CCS(RP) Rules, 2016 may be adopted in *mutatis mutandis* manner in Indian Railways in context of RS(RP) Rules, 2016 in place of Charge Allowance w.e.f. 01.07.2017.

Hindi version will follow.



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Deputy Director(Pay Commission) VII
Railway Board

No. 1/4/2017-Estt.(Pay-I)
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions
(Department of Personnel & Training)

North Block, New Delhi
Dated the 28th February, 2019

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:- Restriction of officiating pay under FR 35 in the context of CCS(Revised Pay) Rules, 2016-regarding

The undersigned is directed to state that in terms of the provisions contained in Fundamental Rule 35 (FR 35), the Central Government may fix the pay of an officiating Government servant at an amount less than admissible under the Fundamental Rules. Accordingly, orders have been issued from time to time indicating the circumstances and the extent to which provisions of FR 35 would apply. In this row, this Department vide OM No.1/4/2009-Estt(Pay-I) dated 08.03.2010 laid down the ceilings for restriction of basic pay under FR 35 in running pay bands and grade pay system in the 6th CPC scenario.

2. The question of revising these ceilings after implementation of CCS (RP) Rules, 2016 has been considered by the Government and the President is pleased to decide that the pay under FR 35 shall be restricted in a manner so that the increase in the basic pay of the post held by the Government Servant prior to the officiating appointment shall not exceed 12.5% subject to a maximum of Rs. 6700 per month. Any increase in excess of 12.5% of the basic pay with a further ceiling of Rs. 6700 per month shall be treated as substantial increase for the purposes of FR 35.

3. In case of appointment on promotion in the normal line within the cadre but which are not on regular basis, initially the pay may also be fixed under relevant rules. After such fixation of pay, if it is found that there is no substantial increase in the pay so fixed as defined in para 2 above, the restriction under FR 35 will not be applied as shown in *Illustration 1*. However, after such fixation of pay, if it is found that there is substantial increase in the pay so fixed, the restriction as mentioned in para 2 above will be applied. In that case, after restriction of basic pay if there is no such Cell equal to the amount so arrived after restriction is available in the Level of Pay Matrix of the officiating post, the officer shall be placed at the next higher Cell in that Level even if the limit for restriction mentioned in para 2 above is breached, as shown in *Illustration 2*. The Government servant will earn his annual increment on the basic pay so fixed after imposition of restrictions under FR 35.

4. However, in the cases where the pay of the officer after imposition of the restrictions in the manner indicated above is fixed at less than the value of the first Cell of the Level of the officiating post, in that case, his pay will be fixed in the Level of post held by him before such officiating appointment. If no such Cell equal to the amount so arrived after restriction is available in the Level of post held by him before such officiating

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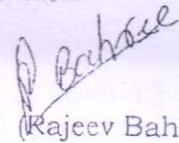
appointment, the officer shall be placed at the next higher Cell in that Level even if the limit for restriction mentioned in para 2 above is breached and he will draw his annual increment(s) in that Level of the lower post till he reaches the minimum of the Level of the officiating post. After one year of reaching/surpassing the minimum of the Level of the officiating post, the officer will become entitled to increment in the Level of the officiating post and his pay will be fixed in Cell 2 of the Level of the pay matrix of the officiating post as shown in **Illustration 3**.

5. In cases of appointments on promotion in the normal line within the cadre but which are not on regular basis, the pay shall be restricted under FR 35 in the manner given above. However, restriction of officiating pay under FR 35 will not be invoked in respect of regular cadre promotion where the employee who becomes due for promotion falls within the zone of consideration and fulfils all the conditions of eligibility prescribed in the Recruitment Rules for promotion.

6. The new rates will be applicable with effect from the date an employee draws pay in the revised scale of pay applicable in accordance with Central Civil Services (Revised Pay) Rules, 2016.

7. In so far as the persons serving in the Indian Audit and Accounts Department are concerned, these orders issue in consultation with the office of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India.

8. Hindi version will follow.



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To

All Ministries/ Departments of Government of India.

