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Sub: Remuneration to Railway officers acting as Arbitrators.

Ministry of Railways have reviewed the rate of honorarium payable to Railway servants appointed to act as Arbitrators in disputes between the Govt. of India and private parties as laid down in letter No. E(G)90 HO1-18 dated 17/10/91. The matter was discussed in full Board Meeting held on 27/11/2003 wherein a decision has been taken to enhance the honorarium payable to Railway servants acting as Arbitrators in supercession of Board's letter dated 17/10/91. It has been decided that honorarium shall be paid to Railway servants appointed to act as an Arbitrator to settle the disputes @ Rs.300/- per day or Rs.150/- per half day subject to a maximum of Rs.10,000/- per case. For this purpose a day means more than two hours continuous work on any date and half day means work for 2 hours or less. The officer working as Arbitrator shall record a certificate in writing indicating whether he has worked for a half day or for full day on a particular day. The above honorarium to a serving Railway officer acting as an Arbitrator shall be payable irrespective of the Deptt. to which the case pertains. However, while nominating Arbitrator, it should be ensured that the officer should not have dealt with that particular case previously.

This has the sanction of the President and issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.

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