

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

No. E(W)2016/ISM/3

New Delhi, dt. 14.08.2018

The General Manager (P),

Eastern Railway, Kolkata
Northern Railway, New Delhi
N.F. Railway, Guwahati
Southern Railway, Chennai
Western Railway, Mumbai

Sub: Engagement of AYUSH (Ayurveda, Yoga & Naturopathy,
Unani, Siddha and Homeopathy) Consultants under Staff
Benefit Fund (SBF), on contract basis.

Please refer to this office letter of even number dated 29.04.2016
directing to engage contract AYUSH doctors under SBF scheme, on
honorarium basis, in five Zonal Railways in the following hospitals:

- (i) B.R. Singh Hospital, Eastern Railway
- (ii) Northern Railway Central Hospital, Northern Railway
- (iii) Maligaon Central Hospital, NF Railway
- (iv) Central Hospital at Perambur, Southern Railway
- (v) J.R.H. Hospital, Western Railway

2. Competent Authority has now decided to augment the existing
AYUSH system in these hospitals. Accordingly, it is advised that:

- (i) Five AYUSH Consultants { i.e. two(02) Ayurvedic Consultants
in various Ayurvedic specialities and (one) 01 each in
Homoeopathy, Siddha and Unani} will be engaged on contract
basis (for 8 hourly dispensaries) in each of the
aforementioned five hospitals.
- (ii) Engagement of Consultants (i.e., one in Yoga and one in
Naturopathy), however, may be continued as per the terms
and conditions advised vide Board's aforesaid letter dated
29.04.2016 read with Board's letter No.E(W)/2013/ISM/1
dated 23.07.2014 and 07.07.2017.

- (iii) Such contract-basis Consultants shall have no right to seek absorption as regular Doctors in terms of Apex Court (Constitution Bench)'s judgment dated 10.04.2006 in the case "State of Karnataka vs Uma Devi" (Civil Appeal No.3595-3612/1999), as circulated by the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions vide OM No.49019/1/2006-Estt. Dated 11.12.2006 read with Board's letter No.E(LL)2006/AT/NRE/1 dated 23.06.2006.
- (iv) The essential qualification for engagement of these Consultants should be as per Act, Rules and Regulations issued by the Ministry of AYUSH and as recognized under the Indian Medicine Central Council Act, 1970.
- (v) Enrolment on the 'Central Register of Indian Medicine' or State Register of Indian Medicine should be a pre-condition of such engagement.
- (vi) Honorarium for aforementioned AYUSH Consultants i.e., two (02) Ayurvedic Consultants in various ayurvedic specialities and one(01) each in Homoeopathy, Siddha and Unani, with PG qualification will be Rs.50,000/- per month and honorarium for Consultants with non-PG qualification will be Rs.35,500 per month. Honorarium for engagement of Yoga and Naturopathy Consultants will be governed by Board's letter dated 07.07.2017.
- (vii) Shortfall in funds available through SBF should be augmented in terms of para 4 of Board's letter No.E(W)2016/ISM/9 dated 07.07.2017.

3. This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways (Railway Board).


(D.V. Rao)
Director Estt.(W)
Railway Board

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