

**Government of India
Ministry of Railways
(Railway Board)**

No. E(W)2019/PS5-6/2

New Delhi, dated: 02.02.2022

The General Manager (P),
All Indian Railways.

Sub: Distribution of blank Complimentary Card Passes (CCPs) for various categories of persons

In terms of existing instruction, Complimentary Card Passes to various categories of persons viz. Freedom Fighters, Gallantry Awardees (Defence), and Gallantry Awardees (Police) are issued and/or renewed at ZR Headquarters or DRM offices. Until now, the blank supply of these CCPs was being supplied by Railway Board to Zonal Railways based on the demand of each Railway. In respect of sports persons, these Passes were being issued and renewed by Railway Board.

2. It has since been decided to delegate the work of printing of Complimentary Card Passes for all the above categories (including sport persons) to **Northern Railway**, who would henceforth get the Card Passes printed after ascertaining the requirement from each Zonal Railway and distribute them accordingly. In order to facilitate smooth transaction of this work one-time bulk supply of blank Card Passes is being provided to each Zonal Railway as per the details given below:

Categories of CCPs	No. of CCPs being given to each Railway
1. Freedom Fighters	218
2. Gallantry (Police)	62
3. Gallantry (Defence)	50
4. Sports persons	95
Total	425

3. Railways are advised to depute an official to collect the above supply of blank Card Passes from **Room No. 535, Rail Bhawan**. The official so deputed should bring along with him a suitable carry bag.

4. In respect of categories at Sl. No. 1, 2 & 3, Zonal Railways already have in place the system of issue/renewal of CCPs to the eligible persons in accordance with the Board's instructions. For issue/renewal of CCPs to category 4 (Sports persons), Railways are advised to follow Board's guidelines issued vide letter No. E(W)95/PS5-6/61 dated 23.02.1996 and subsequent clarifications issued thereon regarding Complimentary Card Passes to Sports awardees, which are available on the website of Ministry of Railways. **All future requirements of blank CCPs should be advised to Northern Railway.**


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