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ANAND MATHUR
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ESTT.(N)

D.O.No.E(NG)I-2001/PM7/17 New Delhi. Dated 1-10-2002

Dear Shri CPOs,

Sub:- Filling up of vacancies in safety categories.

As you are aware, the position in regard to filling up of vacancies in safety categories is being monitored by the Board regularly. In the case of Drivers, Eastern Railway has, brought forth the following bottlenecks in filling up the vacancies in that category:-

- (i) Refusal on the part of Passenger Drivers and Goods Drivers to accept promotion in the category of Mail/Express Drivers and Passenger Drivers respectively as a result of which the selection/promotion process takes a long time to get finalized;
- (ii) Inadequate availability of trained personnel within the zone of consideration for filling up of vacancies of Goods Drivers and Passenger Drivers;
- (iii) Non-availability of suitable persons with two years residency period in the lower (feeder) grade for filling up vacancies of Mail/Express and Passenger Drivers.

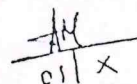
2. It has been proposed by the Railway that relaxation granted vide Board's letter No. E (NG)I-94/PM-7/16 dated 03-08-1995 to the effect that in respect of running categories, the two year's service condition for promotion be reduced to one year with the personal approval of the General Manager whenever found inescapable in the interest of administration, which was current for one year upto 02-08-1996, may be extended.

3. Kindly advise whether the above-mentioned bottlenecks exist on your Railway also in filling up the vacancies of Passenger and Mail/Express Drivers, and if so your views as to whether relaxation in residency period as contained in Board's letter dated 03-08-1995 for filling up vacancies in running categories, is warranted.

4. Since the position is to be put up to the Board for a decision immediately, I shall be grateful if you could kindly arrange to send the information by return FAX by 07-10-2002 positively.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,



(Anand Mathur)

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