GOVERNMENT OF INDIA (Bharat Sahakar)
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (Rail Samralaya)
RAILWAY BOARD.

No. E(G)69PR-15. New Delhi, dated 30-10-76.
The General Managers;
All Indian Railways.

Sub: Allotment of quarters to essential running staff.

Reference Board's letter of even number dt. 30.8.69.
It was laid down in the instructions contained in that letter
that while allotting the existing quarters, Railways should
ensure that all quarters vacated by essential running staff
are ordinarily allotted to such staff.

The matter has been reviewed further in the light of
the varying practices followed by Railways, with a view to
ensuring that the instructions referred to above are imple-
mented uniformly. It has been decided by the Railway Ministry
that out of the quarters set apart for "essential" staff, a
separate pool of quarters should be maintained for the Running
staff, the number of quarters in such a pool should be propor-
tionate to the strength of "running" staff as against "non-
running essential" staff. Allotment of any quarters that fall
vacant in the pool will be made to "running" staff only in
their turn in the separate priority register maintained for
this purpose.

This disposes of Western Railway's letter No. EP58/O
dated 4.2.75 and other Railway's replies to Board's letter
of even number dated 9.10.75.

[Signature]
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