

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA (भारत सरकार)
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (रेल मंत्रालय)
(RAILWAY BOARD) (रेलवे बोर्ड)

No. E(Sports)2008/Policy/1(SCL/Duty)

New Delhi, 28th May 2009

The General Manager (P),
 All Zonal Railways, including CLW, DLW, ICF, RWF, RCF, Metro/Kolkata.

The CAO(R)/DMW/Patiala.
 The DG/RDSO/Lucknow.

**Sub.-: Special Casual Leave / On Duty to Chess players for participation
 in National / International Chess Tournaments.**

Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) have reconsidered the issue of sparing the Railway Chess players on "Special Casual Leave / On Duty" for participation in the National / International level Chess tournaments and it has been decided that the same rules and criterion shall be followed for Chess as is being followed in the case of other games.

However, in the case of participation of Railway chess player in International Tournament, recognized by World Chess Federation (FIDE) for International Master and Grand Master titles and for garnering ELO points; Sports Association of concerned Zonal Railway / Production Unit may send a proposal to Railway Sports Promotion Board (RSPB) for his/her sparing, along with a letter from All India Chess Federation about the recognition of the tournament for said purposes.



(SUNIL KUMAR SINGH)
 Dy. Director / Estt.(Sports)

No. E(Sports)2008/Policy/1(SCL/Duty)

New Delhi, 28th May 2009**Copy to :**

1. The FA&CAO, All Zonal Railways and Production Units.
2. The Hony. General Secretaries, Sports Associations of all Zonal Railways and Production Units.
3. The General Secretary, AIRF, 4, State Entry Road, New Delhi.
4. The General Secretary, NFIR, 3, Chelmsford Road, New Delhi.



(SUNIL KUMAR SINGH)
 Dy. Director / Estt.(Sports)