

Government of India (Bharat Sarkar)
Ministry of Railways (Rail Mantralaya)
(Railway Board)

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The General Managers,
All Indian Railways.

Commercial Circular No. 109/2006

Sub : Members of Selection Board for filling up of the vacancies of licensed porters - reg.

Instructions were issued vide Board's letter No. 73/TG.II/1010/56 dt. 7.6.1974 regarding constitution of a Selection Committee for filling up the vacancies of licensed porters. Board have now decided that the Selection Committee for filling up the vacancies of licensed porters would comprise of two Junior Scale Officers one each from Commercial and Personnel Departments. The committee shall satisfy itself about the antecedents and physical fitness of the candidates to perform the duties of licensed porter. The selection will be done on the basis of the recommendations of the Selection Committee.

In order to ensure that the passengers do not find any difficulty in securing the services of licensed porters, railways should review the strength of the licensed porters at various stations on the basis of the traffic handled at the station and the requirement of the passengers. On the basis of the above assessment, if the number of licensed porters are considered inadequate at a particular station, Railways may initiate the process of engaging additional licensed porters. For this purpose, applications from the willing candidates may be called for through Press Notifications.

Kindly acknowledge the receipt.


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