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स्थापना क्रमांक/ Estt. Srl. No. 55/2016 पूतरे/कार्मिक/आर/ ECoR/ Pers/R/Selection. RBE No. 47/2016 दिनांक/Date: 27.05.2016

सेवा में,
सभी प्रमुख विभागाध्यक्षों/समन्वयक विभागाध्यक्षों, पू त रे/भुवनेश्वर
मं.रे.प्र/व.मं.का.अधिकरी/मं.का.अधिकारी-खोरधारोड,वालातेरू, संबलपुर,
मु;कारखाना प्रबंधक/कारखाना कार्मिक अधिकारी- मंचेश्वर, अतिरिक्त रजिस्ट्रार/रेल दावा अधिकरण,
व.का अधिकारी(नि)/भुवनेश्वर
महा सचिव/इकोर श्र. कां., महा सचिव/इकोर श्र. यू.,
महा सचिव/एआई ओ बी सी आर ई ए, महा सचिव/ ए आई एस सी एस टी आर ई ए

Clarification regarding exclusion of RPF/RPSF personnel from departmental विषय/ Sub:

पूतरे के विषय क्रमांक/ECoR's Subject Serial No.EPS-16/2016

उपर्युक्त विषय पर बोर्ड पत्र सं E(NG)I-2014/PM1/19 दिनांक 06.05.2016 की प्रतिलिपि सूचना, मार्गदर्शन एवं आवश्यक कार्रवाई हेतु अग्रेषित है।

A copy of the Board's letter No. E(NG)I-2014/PM1/19 dated 06.05.2016 on the above quoted subject is forwarded herewith for information, guidance and necessary action.

संलग्न/Encl: यथोक्त/As above,

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Dy. Chief Personnel Officer(IR&W)
कृते मुख्य कार्मिक अधिकारी
For Chief Personnel Officer

प्रतिलिपि प्रेषित/Copy to : महाप्रबंधक के सचिव/पूर्व तट रेलवे, भुवनेश्वर

- 1) मुकाधि/मुकाधि(प्रशा.), उप म.प्र, अध्यक्ष(रेलवे भर्ती प्रकोष्ठ)
- 2) उप मुख्य प्रबंधक(स्.प्रौ), उप मुकाधि(औ.सं.एवं कल्याण), वकाधि(इंजी.)
- वकाधि(मुख्या.), वकाधि(स्टाफ), वकाधि(राज. एवं न्याया.)मुकाधि के निजी सचिव/सहा.कार्मिक अधि.(मुख्या.-1),सहा.कार्मिक अधि.(कल्याण)

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

NO.E(NG)I-2014/PM1/19

ECoR The General Managers (P)
All Indian Railways & PUs.
(As per standard list)

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New Delhi, dated 06.05.2016

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Sub: Clarification regarding exclusion of RPF/RPSF personnel from

departmental selections.

Ref: Railway Board's letters No.E(NG)I-2002/PM2/9 dated 11.08.2003

24.03.2004 and 13.10.2004.

In terms of Board's above quoted letters, RPF/RPSF personnel are not to be allowed for appearing in GDCE and other departmental selections for promotion in departments other than RPF/RPSF. This decision of Railway Board is in consonance with observations made by Hon'ble CAT/PB and Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh, reflected in letters quoted above. It has, however, been observed that in spite of clear cut instructions on the subject, some Zonal Railways are still allowing RPF/RPSF personnel in departmental selections, causing a number of court cases in various parts of the country.

- 2. The matter has again been considered and in the light of Hon'ble High Court of Rajasthan, having explained the scope of Section 10 of the RPF Act in the matter of Om Prakash Vs Union of India 1995 Lab IC 1981 (Raj), it has been decided that in spite of the fact that members of the Railway Protection Force have been categorized as railway servants as per Section 10 of the RPF Act, 1957, but they are so only for the purpose of those facilities and conditions, which are not specifically provided by the provisions of RPF Act, 1957 and the Railway Protection Force Rules, 1987. In other words, as a class, the members of the Railway Protection Force are distinct to the other Railway employees because the other railway employees are not the members of the armed forces of the Union, which the members of RPF are.
- In view of above, RPF/RPSF personnel may not be allowed to appear in any of the departmental selections for departments other than RPF/RPSF and previous instructions in this regard may be scrupulously followed.
- Past cases decided otherwise may not be reopened, however in such selections/panels
 initiated, where RPF/RPSF candidates are allowed for any reason, but not finalized till date shall
 cease to exist.

Please acknowledge receipt of this letter.

Hindi version shall follow.

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Railway Board.