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भारत सरकार Government of India रेल मंत्रालय Ministry of Railways रेलवे बोर्ड (Railway Board)

No. E(W)2009/PS 5-10/2

New Delhi, dated: 22-07-2013

The General Manager (P), All Zonal Railways.

> Sub: Issue of one 1st Class/2nd AC Complimentary Cheque Pass once in a year to recipients of President's Police Medal for Gallantry (PPMG) and Police Medal for Gallantry (PMG) valid for travel by Rajdhani/ Shatabdi trains.

> Ref.:-Railway Board's letters No.E(W)96/PS 5-6/22 dated 23.02.96, 04.07.96, 29.10.96 and subsequent clarifications/modifications on the facility of Complimentary Card passes to Defence/Police gallantry awardees.

As per extant policy Ministry of Railways provides 1st Class/2nd AC Complimentary Card passes to Police personnel recipients of gallantry awards of Presidents' Police Medal for Gallantry (PPMG) and Police Medal for Gallantry (PMG) and to widow of posthumous awardees of said gallantry awards. The aforesaid Card pass entitles them to life long free rail travel for self and one companion over all Indian Railways (except Metro Railway/Kolkata) in 1st Class/2nd AC by any train other than Rajdhani/Shatabdi trains. The said Card pass facility is also extended to the widow of the gallantry awardee after his death.

- The issue of providing rail travel facility by Rajdhani/Shatabdi trains to Police gallantry awardees had been under consideration of the Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) and it has been now decided that Police personnel recipients of President's Police Medal for Gallantry (PPMG) and Police Medal for Gallantry (PMG), besides being entitled to Complimentary Card passes as under the extant policy, shall also be provided one 1st Class/2nd AC Complimentary Cheque Pass once in a year valid for travel by 2A/3A in Rajdhani trains and Chair Car (CC) in Shatabdi trains, for one to and fro journey by self and a companion over all Indian Railways. This Complimentary Cheque pass shall be issued from the Zonal Railway Hqrs./Divisional Offices from where the Card pass has been issued to the Police awardee, upon receipt of a formal application/request from him indicating details of intended journey. Details of such Complimentary Cheque passes issued to Police gallantry awardees should be furnished to Railway Board alongwith the monthly statement of Complimentary Card passes issued/renewed in respect of Defence/Police gallantry awardees.
- This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Directorate of Ministry of Railways.

Please acknowledge receipt.

(Debasis Mazumdar) Director Establishment (Welfare) Railway Board.

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