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Clarification / Corrigendum No. 17

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(RAILWAY BOARD)

No. 2011/E(Sports)/4(1)/1/Policy Clarifications

New Delhi, 2nd December 2011

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.:- Educational Qualification for sports persons for recruitment against sports quota.

**Ref. :- Board's letter Nos. (i) 2010/E(Sports)/4(1)/1 Pt.(E.Q.) dt. 21.12.2010 (RBE No. 181/2010);
(ii) 2010/E(Sports)/4(1)/1(Policy) dt. 31.12.2010 (RBE No. 189B/2010); and
(iii) 2011/E(Sports)/4(1)/1/Policy Clarifications dt. 20.04.2011 (RBE No. 8/2011).**

Please connect Board's policy letters referred above. On the subject matter, Board's clarifications to queries raised by Eastern Railway; are as under:-

S. No.	Points Raised by the Railway	Clarifications
(i)	Whether, all sportspersons having requisite sports and other norms and who are only Class-VIII pass, can be considered for recruitment in (-)1S Pay Band, as per Board's letter dt. 21.12.2010 & 20.04.2011 referred above.	As per Board's letter dt. 21.12.2010 referred above, only the sportspersons having outstanding sports achievements and who are only Class-VIII pass; can be considered for recruitment in (-)1S Pay Band.
(ii)	If, only outstanding sportspersons are to be considered, then the criteria for determining outstanding sportspersons?	For considering the cases as per Board's letter dt. 21.12.2010 referred above, the sportspersons having the sports norms for recruitment in Grade Pay Rs.1900/2000 or above as per Board's policy letter dt. 31.12.2010 referred above, shall only be considered as "Outstanding".
(iii)	Whether such sportspersons can only be considered for recruitment in (-)1S Pay Band with GP Rs.1300 OR otherwise?	As advised by the Pay Commission Directorate of Railway Board, (-)1S Pay Band has been clarified by 6 th Central Pay Commission in Para 2.2.10 of their report. This pay band is Rs.4440-7440 and not supposed to carry any Grade Pay in respect of future recruits. Therefore, sportsperson recruited against sports quota in (-)1S Pay Band in scale Rs.4440-7440, shall not carry any Grade Pay.
(iv)	Whether, the exemption as granted to sportspersons from obtaining 50% marks in matriculation for their recruitments against sports quota as per Board's letters dt. 11.07.2001 and 10.07.2009, may still be continued?	The exemption to sportspersons as granted by Railway Board vide its letter Nos. E(Sports)2000/ POLICY/2 dt. 11.07.2001 and E(Sports)2007/ Policy/ 4 (Clarifications) dt. 10.07.2009, shall remain continued.

This also disposes ER's letter Nos. CPO/SC/SAS/Quota/Pt.II dt. 14.07.2011.

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