



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAIL WAYS (Railway Board)

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No.PC-VI/2008/I/RSRP/1/Pt. 3

New Delhi, dated 09.04,2009

The GMs/CAO(R)
All Indian Railways & Production Units
(As per mailing list)

Subject: Date of next increment in cases where Railway Servants are not able to join posts in a particular grade pay on promotion/appointment on 1st of January of a year due to Sunday or Gazetted Holiday – Clarification regarding

As per the provisions of Rule 10 of RS (RP) Rules, 2008 w.e.f 01.01,2006 in the case of all Railway employees there is a uniform date of increment, i.e. 1<sup>st</sup> of July of every year. Railway servants completing six months and above in the revised pay structure as on 1<sup>st</sup> of July are eligible to be granted the increment. From the above provision of RS (RP) Rules it flows that Railway servants who have rendered less provision of RS (RP) Rules it flows that Railway servants who have rendered less than 6 months of service as on 1<sup>st</sup> of July of a year will not be eligible to draw increment on that day and their date of increment will fall 12 months later on the next increment on that day and their date of increment will fall 12 months later on the next of July. Accordingly, all the Railway servants who join posts in a particular grade on account of promotion/appointment etc. on 1<sup>st</sup> of January of a year will be eligible on account of promotion/appointment etc. on 1<sup>st</sup> of July of that year. However, those who join the posts between 2<sup>nd</sup> January and 30<sup>th</sup> June will not be eligible for the same.

In the light of the above position, clarification has been sought regarding the date of next increment in cases where Railway servants are not able to join posts in a particular grade pay on promotion/appointment on 1st of January of a year due to 1st of January falling on a Sunday or Gazetted holiday. It has been clarified by the 1st of January falling on a Sunday or Gazetted holiday. It has been clarified by the 1st of January falling on a Sunday or Gazetted holiday. It has been clarified by the 1st of January of Finance, Department of Expenditure that in the normal course, if a Ministry of a year, but he could not join the post only because 1st of January of the January of a year, but he could not join the post only because 1st of January of the January of a year, but he could not join the post only because 1st of January of the January of the January of the January of the 1st working day of the year will be treated to have completed 6 months of service on 1st of July of that year for the purpose of granting them annual increment on that day.

3. This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.

(U. K. Tiwari)

Dy. Director, Pay Commission-VI

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