

Copy of letter No. E(NG)60RR1-5, dated 12-2-1962 from Asstt. Director, Establishment, Railway Board's Ministry of Railways, New Delhi addressed to the General Managers, all Indian Railways, etc.

Sub.—Direct Recruitment for Railways through Union Public Service Commission/Railway Service Commissions—Serving Railway Employees.

The Rly. Board had had under consideration the question regarding the date of effect of the orders contained in their letter of even number dated 7-2-1961, as amended by corrigendum dated 9-5-1961. After careful consideration, it has been decided that those orders will be applicable to all railway servants who were in service on 8-2-1961 in so far as the benefit of continuity of service for retirement benefits is concerned provided any amount received by them as retirement benefit is refunded by them. In other matters, the benefit will be admissible only to those railway servants who were permitted to apply for posts on other railway administrations on or after 8-10-1954, but earlier cases dealt with otherwise shall not be re-opened.

This has the sanction of the President.

Serial No. 1550.—Circular No. 220-E/O-IV(Eiv), dated 24-4-1962.

Sub.—Age and fee concession to the displaced persons from Pakistan.

Reference is invited to Railway Board's letter No. E(NG)61RC1/166, dated 4-1-1962 circulated under this office letter of even number dated 15-1-1962. It has been clarified by the Railway Board that in the absence of any orders regarding extension of age and fee concessions to the displaced persons from unliberated areas of Jammu & Kashmir, these should be treated as having automatically lapsed on 31-12-1961.

(Authority :—Railway Board's letter No. E(NG)61RC1/166, dated 7-3-1962.)

Serial No. 1551.—Circular No. 5E/11-II(Eiv), dated 25-4-1962.

Sub.—Loan to members of the E.P. Railway Refugees Rehabilitation and House Building Co-operative Society Ltd. for the purpose of plots on the land to be allotted by the Delhi Administration.

A copy of Railway Board's letter No. F(P)60-PF.-1/29, dated 2-4-1962 is reproduced below for information and guidance.

“Reference your letter No. 5-E/11-II(Eiv), dated 13-3-1962, on the above noted subject. In the circumstances stated, sanction of the President is communicated to the relaxation of the condition regarding possession of the title to land, in the case of displaced persons who are members of the E.P. Railway Refugees Rehabilitation and House Building Co-operative Society Ltd., Delhi, who may be permitted advances from Provident Fund for purchase of house-sites from the said society from the land to be allotted by the Delhi administration vide the Railway Board's letter of even number dated 27-12-1961.

As regards the displaced Government servants who may be members of the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government servants Co-operative House Building Society, mentioned in your letter, the Board desire that their cases should be dealt with under the normal rules".

2. Railway Board's letter dated 27-12-1961 was circulated under this office endorsement No. 5E/11-II(Eiv), dated 30-1-1962.

Serial No. 1552.—Circular No. 940-E/O-II(Eiv), dated 25-4-1962.

Sub.—Transfer of Railway Staff whose conduct is under investigation.

A copy of the Railway Board's letter No. E(D&A)62RG6-15, dated 29-3-1962 is reproduced below for information and guidance:—

"Cases have come to Board's notice where staff, whose conduct was under investigation, were transferred from one Railway to another, which made it difficult to finalise departmental proceedings. The Board have, therefore, decided that non gazetted staff whose conduct is under investigation for charges meriting dismissal/removal from service, including those under suspension should not be transferred from one Railway administration to another till after the finalisation of the departmental or criminal proceedings against them."

While forwarding applications from non-gazetted staff for transfer to Foreign Railways/other Departments it should be certified that no disciplinary case is pending against the employee.

Serial No. 1553.—Circular No. 433-E/1-III(Eiv), dated 23-4-1962.

Sub.—Combination of special casual leave with regular leave granted to the office bearers of Unions.

A copy of Railway Board's letter No. E(L)60UT1-141, dated 24-3-1962 is reproduced below for information and guidance.

"The Railway Board have had under consideration the question whether special casual leave granted to the office bearers of the unions for attending the meetings of the Unions/Federation should be allowed to be combined with the regular leave and it has now been decided to allow combination of special casual leave with regular leave in the case of office bearers of Unions/Federations when such special casual leave is granted for Union/Federation purposes just before the commencement or immediately after the expiry of regular leave. In permitting such combination, each case should be decided on its merits as and when it arises.

This has the sanction of the President."