

Additional Member (Staff)

D.O. No. 2008/AC-II/21/20

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(RAILWAY BOARD) NEW DELHI-110001

Dated 💐 8.07.2011

My dear '

As you are aware, the instructions received from Department of Pension and Pensioner Welfare circulated vide Board's letter no. F(E)III/2008/PN1/12 8.9.08 envisage suo-motu revision of all PPOs by the pension sanctioning authorities within two months of these instructions. Feedback received from railways revealed that Personnel Department had found it difficult to revise the PPOs at their own for want of updated details viz address and bank account number etc. Therefore, CPOs have invited applications from the pensioners through news paper advertisement for obtaining the requisite updated personal details to facilitate revision of the PPOs.

The progress report of the revision of PPOs received from your Railway has revealed that so far 23545 applications (19,041 pre 2006 and 4,504 post 2006) have been received by Personnel department on your Railway, of which 22,935 cases (18,526 pre 2006 and 4,409 post 2006) have only been sanctioned for revision and sent to Accounts department for issue of revised PPAs so far. delay has invited several references from the Federations and the Pension Association also besides individual pensioners.

I would, therefore, request you to make an action plan to complete this task at the earliest. Advertisement may be given in the national and local news papers. As a onetime measure, Personnel Inspector may be deputed to visit all pre- 2006 pensioners to get these details, which would also ensure detection of fake beneficiaries, if any. Special cells may also be formed to receive and process the applications from the pensioners in a time bound manner

If required additional hands may be provided in the concerned branches of Personnel department by reallocating the duties within the existing staff strength to complete the work without further delays. The monthly position of progress may be reported in the monthly DO to Member Staff in enclosed format.

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With bost wisher,

→ Yours sincerely

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