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The General Secretaries,
All Affiliated Unions,

Dear Coms.,

Sub: Long pending demands of the Railwaymen

On 18th, while discussing the issue of Cadre Restructuring with the Addl. Member(Staff), Railway Board, which remained inconclusive because of the discrepancies pointed out by the Staff Side in calculation, it was agreed that after revising the calculation, they will hold meeting with the Federations after 10 days.

It has come to our notice that because of our pressure, Full Board has discussed the issues relating to Running Staff and Supervisors in its meeting, wherein they have almost agreed to give benefit of 25% to Running Staff from the date the benefit has given to other categories. They have also discussed to provide GP Rs.4600 to Mail/Express Loco Pilots and provision of GP Rs.4800 to the Supervisors of apex grade. Besides, they have discussed that 30% posts of Group `B` category should be filled without Selection, based on "**Benchmark**" and 70% posts by holding "**Selection**" at par with **Limited Departmental Examination**. They have also discussed the issue of upgradation of 15% posts of GP Rs.4600 in Group `B` Gazetted Cadre.

All the above are in-house discussion of the Full Board, and for change in Grade Pay etc., if Railway Board agree, the case will be sent to MoF/DoP&T.

Since we have got this information, it is for your information, and it should not be presumed that the above has been done, until and unless orders are issued to this effect.

I also discussed the issue of implementation of recommendations of the Committee on Package to Trackmen(Gangmen) with the Member Staff, Railway Board, who had sent back the case to the Financial Commissioner(Railways), after that I meet the Chairman, Railway Board and requested him for early implementation of the same.

This is for your information.

Comradely yours,


(Shiva Gopal Mishra)