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Appeal from General Secretary IRTSA

Dear Zonal Secretaries, CEC office bearers and active members,

1) 61st All India Annual Conference & Central General Body Meeting of IRTSA:

61st AIAC & CGB Meeting of IRTSA will be hosted by IRTSA RWF Zone at Bangalore of 2nd & 3rd November 2026. Preparatory works for the conference has been started by office bearers and members of IRTSA RWF. **Sri.V.Somanna Hon'ble Minister of State for Railways agreed to grace the conference as Chief Guest.** Members of IRTSA from all zones and PUs are requested to participate in the conference in large number. CGB Meeting gains significant importance particularly in the period of 8th CPC and Government's reluctance to address the issues of grant of Group-B status for SSEs, creation of posts in Technical Supervisory category, creation of posts in Group-B, restoration PCO allowance for SSEs in level-8, including training period for the purpose of MACPS, etc. All the demands and action programme for achieving the demands will be deliberated in the CGB & CEC meeting.



1.2) IRTSA RWF even though small in size, making bold determinant efforts to make the Conference grand success. Apart from contribution for annual membership contribution and struggle fund, Zones and sub-units are requested to make financial contribution for IRTSA RWF, particularly ICF, RCF, SWR & others. I hope 61st AIAC & CGB Meeting will be a grand success by all your contribution and participation.

2) **Central quota of annual membership & struggle fund:** The year 2026 is very hectic for GS IRTSA and other office bearers engaged in submission of memorandum to 8th CPC & making PPT in front of 8th CPC. GS IRTSA vigorously campaigned at New Delhi in the months of April, June & August to pursue the demands. Central President camped New Delhi in the month of July. IRTSA got the judgement from CAT Chennai to refer the pay anomaly of Technical Supervisors to 8th CPC. IRTSA organised mass dharana at Jantar Mantar New Delhi on 2nd April 2026 to highlight our demands. Many representations were made to Ministers, Members of Parliament, CRB, Members of Railway Board and other high-level officer in persuasion of demands. But the same vigour has not been reciprocated by the members. Membership contribution is the measure for any Union or Association.

2.2) Approval for amendments made in the Constitution of IRTSA & Annual returns of IRTSA for current year and for previous years were given by Registrar Trade Union, New Delhi after many visits to RTI office by GS & CT IRTSA. Changes & observations made by RTI in the constitution of IRTSA will be discussed in the CGB. We have disclosed our registration details including number of members to 8th CPC. Judgements of the Court cases are considered by Government based on the currency of registration mentioned in the application.

2.3) Annual membership contribution by all members is very much essential & indispensable for IRTSA to have strong footing and make claims, representation, negotiation, etc. Every JE, SSE, CMA, CMS, DMS, CDMS, JE(IT) and SE(IT) should ensure their participation in the activities of IRTSA and by **contribution of membership subscription @ Rs.400 per annum and struggle fund Rs.500.** All units & sub units are requested to submit their share of membership subscription and struggle fund.

Expecting your full cooperation.

Long live IRTSA

K.V.RAMESH
General Secretary, IRTSA