

महाप्रबंधक कार्यालय कार्मिक विभाग जबलपुर . 482001 General Manager's office Personnel Department Jabalpur - 482001

L.No.WCR/P-HQ/501/IR/SBE-2024/Final Mod.

Date 10.09.2024

All Concerned West Central Railway

Sub: Corrigerndum No. 1 to 'Final Moadalities' issued vide no. 2024/SBEC-III/Elections dated 09.09.2024 for Secret Ballot Elections-III.

- Ref 1. Railway Board's letter no.2024 SBEC-III/Elections dated 09.09.2024
 - 2. Railway Board's letter no.2024 SBEC-III/Elections dated 10.09.2024

रेलवे बोर्ड ने संदर्भित पत्र क. 1 के तहत सीकेट बैलेट इलेक्शन हेतु Final Moadalities जारी की थी। उसी कम में संदर्भित पत्र 2 के तहत कुछ बिन्दुओ पर संशोधन पत्र जारी किया है जो कि आवश्यक कार्यवाही तथा कड़ाई से अनुपालन किये जाने हेतु सर्वसंबंधितो को परिपत्रित किया जा<u>ता है।</u>

DA:- As above

(Sanjay Kumar) Y Dy.CPO(IR)

For PCPO-WCR-JBP

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भारत सरकार GOVERNMENT OF INDIA रेल मंत्रालय MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (रेलवे बोर्ड RAILWAY BOARD)

No.2024/SBEC-III/Elections

Dated: 10.9.2024

The General Managers All Zonal Railways (Open Line) Metro Railway, Kolkata Production Units (CLW& RCF).

Subject: Corrigendum No. 1 to 'Final Modalities' issued vide No.2024/SBEC-III/Elections dated 09.09.2024 for Secret Ballot Elections-III.

In terms of provisions of Section 22 of Final Modalities, the SBEC has approved following modifications in the 'Final Modalities':

I. Inclusion of all deputed Motormen of Metro Railway Kolkata in the Voters' list of Metro Railway Kolkata: As per section 10(b) of Part-II of Annexure VI on Postal Ballot System, it is provided that Railway Servants working on deputation outside their lien railway shall be allowed facility of postal ballot system, which would enable them to vote in their lienholding Railways. A large number of the Motormen of Metro Kolkata are originally from other Railways such as ER, SER, SECR etc and have been working on the Metro for a very long time. Metro Railway Kolkata, vide its letter no. MRTS/E.326/Secret Ballot/Pt.III dated 06.08.2024, has justified inclusion of such voters in the Voters' list of Metro Railway Kolkata and not on their lien railway. They have stated that even in 2013 election, such Motormen had voted in the Metro Railway itself.

General Manager, Metro Railway has proposed that the same protocol, which was followed in 2013 elections, should be followed this time also for Motormen. Considering the above, the SBEC agrees to allow the Motormen only of Metro Railway to vote in that organisation itself.

R 0 10/9/24 In view of above, following lines should added at the end of Section 10(b) of Part -II of Annexure VI of 'Final Modalities':

"However, as far as deputed Motormen to Metro Railway, Kolkata is concerned, they will be eligible to vote in Metro Railway itself. Therefore, Lien-holding Railways of such Railway Servants should not include such Motormen in their Voters List. Metro Railway should co-ordinate with lien-holding Railways to ensure the above."

II. Facilities to Trade Unions: (a) The Section 7.0 and Annexure III of the Final Modalities is modified to align (i) with provisions of Railway Board's letter No. 2023/SBEC-III/Policy/1 dt 30.8.2024, issued for freezing facilities available to the recognised unions as well as with (ii) with provisions followed in 2013 elections on this subject.

Therefore, existing Section 7.0 of Final Modalities should be read as under:

"Section 7.0: Level playing field to contesting Trade Unions: Certain facilities have been provided to the existing recognised TUs. In order to provide level playing field to all contesting TUs in these elections, TUs which are in possession of any railway facilities/privileges such as office premises provided free of rent under PREM [erstwhile CEG scheme], Card Passes etc. are barred from using them for their electoral purposes. Trade Unions would not use such premises provided under PREM scheme for storing advertising or election-related material. No election meeting shall be held at these premises. An affidavit (as per Annexure-III) shall be furnished by the contesting Unions that they shall not use these facilities for above purposes."

(b) Accordingly, Annexure III of the Final Modalities is modified as under:

"Annexure -III to Final Modalities,2024 for SBE-III Section 7 of Final Modalities

Affidavit to be given on Rs 100 value Non-Judicial Stamp Paper Regarding non-use of facilities available to contesting Trade Unions

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(The matter as below should be printed on the Stamp Paper, as applicable)

Trade Union agrees not to avail any of the facilities provided by the railway, such as office premises provided free of rent under PREM [erstwhile CEG scheme], Card Passes etc. for electoral purposes. Trade Union will not use these facilities for storing advertising or election-related material. Moreover, no election meeting shall be held on these premises.

OR

Trade Union does not possess any of premises/facilities.

(Name & Signature of General Secretary) Trade Union's name:

Stamp"

(Rajiv Gandhi) ED/RRB & Convener

Secret Ballot Election-III

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