



PBC No: 38/ 2025

**दक्षिण रेलवे Southern Railway**  
**प्रधान मुख्य कार्मिक अधिकारी का कार्यालय**  
**Office of the Principal Chief Personnel Officer**  
**मुख्य कार्यालय, कार्मिक विभाग, चेन्नै-600003**  
**Headquarters, Personnel Department, Chennai-600003**

सं/No: P(G)532/XVI/CBT

दिनांक/Dated:03.02.2025

All PHODs/ DRMs/ CWMs/ CEWE/ CAO/ CPM/ PDA/ Dy.CPOs/ Sr.DPOs/ Secy to GM,  
Chairman/RRB/MAS,TVC, Addl.Registrar/RCT/MAS, Secretary/RRT/MAS,  
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DPOs/SPOs/WPOs/APOs of HQ/Divisions /Workshops/Units.

**विषय/Sub: Promotions to Group 'C' to Group 'B' posts through 70%  
Selection – Centralized CBT.**

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A copy of Railway Board's letter No. E(GP)2024/2/28 (E.No.3466256) dated  
03.02.2025 is enclosed for information guidance and necessary action.

Railway Board's letter no. E(GP)2024/2/28 dated 08.10.2024 referred therein  
has been issued as PBC No. 211/2024.

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**SHIKHA LAL** Digitally signed  
by SHIKHA LAL

**(Shikha Lal)**  
**Deputy Chief Personnel Officer / Gaz**  
**For Principal Chief Personnel Officer**

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The General Secretary/AISCTREA  
The General Secretary/AIOBCREA  
The General Secretary/NFIR  
IT Section/PB/HQ - to upload in the SR website.

**RBE No.10/2025**

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS  
(RAILWAY BOARD)**

**No. E(GP)2024/2/28 (E.No.3466256)**

**New Delhi, dated: 03.01.2025**

**The General Managers,  
All Indian Railways & Production Units.**

**[Kind attn.: PCPOs / PFAs / Dy. CPO(G)s / Dy. CAO(G)s]**

**Sub.: Promotions from Group 'C' to Group 'B' posts through 70% Selection –  
Centralized CBT.**

**Ref.: Board's letter of even number dated 08.10.2024.**

In terms of Board's letter under reference, it was decided that for 70% Selections to Group 'B' posts in all Departments having Organized Services, all employees who are eligible and who volunteer for the Selection, should be considered without any limitation of number, as in the case of APO.

2. In continuation to the said instructions, it has been decided by Board that in the case of Group 'B' posts other than APO, the candidates for *Viva Voce* and assessment of Record of Service shall be called to the extent of 06 times the number of vacancies (category-wise) in the order of seniority. In case of APO, the existing procedure of calling candidates to the extent of 06 times the number of vacancies (category-wise) for *Viva Voce* and assessment of Record of Service in the order of merit shall continue.

3. Further, it has been decided to do away with the grading of candidates as 'Good' / 'Outstanding' and subsequent supersession (as contained in paras 204.8 and 204.9 of IREM Vol. I, Revised Edition 1989) in 70% Selections across all Organized Departments. The panels will be formed in the order of seniority.

4. These instructions should be widely circulated.

5. The receipt may please be acknowledged.

6. Hindi version will follow.



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New Delhi, dated :- 03.01.2025

Copy for information and necessary action to :

- (1) The Director General & ex-officio General Manager, R.D.S.O., Lucknow.
- (2) The C.A.O, PLW, Patiala.
- (3) The C.A.O, MTP (Rlys.), Mumbai and Chennai.
- (4) The Chairman, Railway Recruitment Board:  
Prayagraj/Ahmedabad/Ajmer/Bangalore/Bhopal/Bhubaneshwar/Kolkata/  
Chandigarh/Chennai/Gorakhpur/Guwahati/Jammu&Srinagar/Malda/  
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- (5) The Director General, NAIR, Vadodara.
- (6) The Director, IRISSET/Secunderabad, IRIMEE/Jamalpur, IRIEEN/Nasik, IRICEN/Pune,  
CAMTECH/Gawalior, IRIFM/Secunderbad, IRITM/Lucknow.
- (7) The Railway Liaison Officer, Jeevan Tara Building, Parliament Street, New Delhi.
- (8) The General Secretary, IRCA, New Delhi.
- (9) The C.A.O., COFMOW, Rly. Offices Complex, Tilak Bridge, New Delhi-110002.
- (10) The Secretary, Railway Rates Tribunal (Chennai), 50 MC.Nicholas Road, Chetput,  
Chennai.
- (11) The Exec.Director, CRIS, Safdarjung Rly.Stn.Building, Chanakyapuri, New Delhi.
- (12) The Director (Movement), Railways, 17 N.S.Road, Kolkata.
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2. The General Secretary, National Federation of Indian Railwaymen, Room No. 256-E, Rail Bhavan, New Delhi.
3. All Members, Departmental Council and National Council and Secretary, Staff Side, National Council, 13-C, Ferozshah Road, New Delhi.
4. The Secretary General, Federation of Railway Officers Association, Room No. 256-A, Rail Bhavan, New Delhi.
5. The Secretary General, Indian Railway Promotee Officers Association, Room No. 268, Rail Bhavan, New Delhi.
6. The General Secretary, All India RPF Association, Room No. 549, Rail Bhavan, New Delhi-110001.
7. Railway Board Secretariat Staff Associations.

*ASL 3.2.25*

For Principal Executive Director(IR)/Railway Board

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1. PSs to MR, MoSR(S), MoSR(R)
2. Sr.PPSs to CRB & CEO, M(Infra), M(TRS), M(O & BD), M(Finance)
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5. Dy. C & AG (Railways), Room No. 222, Rail Bhawan.
6. PSs/Adv.(Vig.), EDE, EDA, EDE(N), EDE(Res), JS, JS(E), JS(G), EDV(E), ED(Signal), EDV(S), EDF(E), EDE(T&MPP), EDE(RRB), EDPC-I, DV(P), DE(L), DE(Res), DE(G), D(IH), JD(MPP), JDE(R)I&II, JDE(Rep)I&II, JDE(D&A), JDE(P&A), JDE(L), JDE(N), DE(N)II, DDF(E)I, DDF(E)VI, DDV(A&P), E(NG)I, E(O)III, DDRS(G), DDE(LR)I, Sec(E), E&R, E(Trg.), E(MPP), V(SS), E(SCT)I&II.