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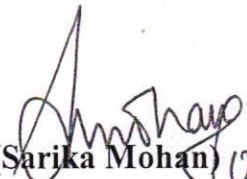
**Sub: Guidelines to conduct the selection for promotion in Driver Cadre
in RPF/RPSF.**

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of guidelines issued by the DG/RPF regarding selection for promotion in Driver Cadre in RPF/RPSF, which is self explanatory.

Provisions of the Guidelines may be meticulously followed in the forthcoming selection and wide publicity amongst concerned staff should be ensured.

This is for your kind information.

DA: As above.


(Sarika Mohan)
DIG/Establishment
Railway Board

Copy to :

1. SO/Sec(Spl)/RB for uploading on the official website.
2. SO/Sec(E)/RB for incorporating in new edition of RPF Establishment Manual.

Sent through email to RPF/Sec(RB) at 17/07/2023 at 05/04/2023

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In exercise of the powers conferred under Section 21 of the RPF Act, 1957, RPF (Amendment) Rules, 2021 have been notified and circulated to all concerned vide Railway Board's letter No. 2018/Sec(E)/PM/3/24 Pt. 1 dated 03.08.2021.

Amended Schedule-IV of RPF Rules, 1987 (as amended in 2021) provides for selection for promotion to the post of Head Constable (MT), Assistant Sub-Inspector (MT) and Sub-Inspector (MT) in RPF/RPSF.

Guidelines for the conduct of selection for promotion to the post of Head Constable (MT), Assistant Sub-Inspector (MT) and Sub-Inspector (MT) for Driver Cadre in RPF/RPSF are as under:

1. Eligibility Criteria:

The eligibility criteria for selection for promotion in Driver Cadre is prescribed in Schedule-IV of RPF Rules, 1987.

2. Nomination of Nodal Officer:

- a. DG/RPF shall nominate a Nodal PCSC/IG/CSC/DIG or Dy.CSC (whoever applicable) who will supervise the entire selection process and co-ordinate with other PCSCs in order to ensure timely, transparent and smooth conduct of selection.
- b. Nodal PCSC/IG/CSC/DIG or Dy.CSC shall fix a common date for issuing notification by all Zones.
- c. Instruction of Nodal officer related to selection shall be binding for all zones.

3. Composition of Departmental Promotion Committees (DPC): Nodal PCSC/IG/CSC/DIG or Dy.CSC shall nominate members of the committee as prescribed in RPF Rules, 1987 on the basis of suggestion received from DG/RPF. In addition to the members of DPC, there shall be an expert to be co-opted in the DPC, who should be of higher rank to the post for which selection is being conducted. The expert may be co-opted from RPF/RPSF or Mechanical Department of Railway.

- i. One of the members of the DPC should belong to SC/ST community.
- ii. None of the members of the DPC should be directly subordinate to another member of the said committee.
- iii. The senior most member of the DPC shall act as the Chairperson. However, the responsibility will devolve on all members of the Departmental Promotion Committee jointly and severally.



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