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रेल मंत्रालय MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(रेलवे बोर्ड Railway Board)

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No. W/98PSS-1-114

New Delhi, dt. 21-05-98

The General Manager(P)
All Indian Railways

Sub: Grant of Widow Pass to the widow of a Railway employee who has suddenly
Disappeared and whose whereabouts are not known.

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स्थान	नई दिल्ली
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विषय	रेलवे कर्मचारी के पत्नी के लिए विधवा पास

Instructions regarding payment of settlement dues to eligible family members of Railway employees who have suddenly disappeared and whose whereabouts are not known have been issued from time to time, the last one being Board's letter No. E(E)III.86 PN1-17 dated 21.01.94 (RBE No. 3/94). A reference has been received regarding the procedure to be followed in the matter of grant of passes to the wife of a railway employee/pensioner in similar circumstances. The matter has been examined and it is clarified that the procedure adopted in the matter of granting settlement dues may be followed for the purpose of grant of passes also. i.e. eligibility for grant of Widow Pass may be reckoned from the date the wife of missing railway employee/pensioner becomes entitled for family pension.

This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.

Receipt of this letter may please be acknowledged.

(This disposes of Eastern Railway's letter No. G.470/115/Misc..P dated 04.02.98).

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