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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (RAILWAY BOARD)

No. E(W)95PS5-1/33

Rail Bhavan, New Delhi dt.06.01.2000

The General Managers (Commercial/Personnel/Accounts) All Indian Railway.

> Sub: Widow Pass and Passes issued on medical grounds-Validity for travel on Rajdhani/Shtabdi train.

Passes are issued to widows of Railway servants in terms of instructions contained in Board's letter No. E(W)85PS5-8/2 dated 30.06.1987 and No. E(W)95PS5-1/29 dated 24.04.1998. Similarly passes on medical grounds are also available to serving and retired Railway employees as per Board's letter No. E(W)95PS5-1/33 dated 06.08.1999.

- 2. It has since been decided by Board that passes issued to these two categories i.e. widows and on medical grounds shall be valid for travel in Rajdhani/Shtabdi Express trains, on the same conditions as are applicable to Railway employees of equivalent status. A special endorsement to this effect shall be made by the Pass Issuing Authority, also indicating the class and number of berths allowed in the pass.
- 3. This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of Ministry of Railways.
- 4. Receipt of this letter may be acknowledged.

(P.N. KUMARAN) Dy. Director Estt.(Welfare) Railway Board

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