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

No. F(E)III/2008/LE-1/2

New Delhi, dated 19.04.2010.

The General Managers/FA&CAOs, All Indian Railways/Prod. Units etc. (As per Mailing List).

Subject: Recommendations of the Sixth Central Pay Commission relating to encashment of leave – regarding.

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Consequent upon implementation of the recommendations of the 6<sup>th</sup> Central Pay Commission, instructions were issued by the Department of Personnel & Training (DOP&T), vide their O.M. No.14028/3/2008-Estt.(L) dated 25.9.2008, circulated on the zonal Railways etc. vide this office letter of even number dated 8.10.2008, permitting Railway servants encashment of both LAP and LHAP subject to overall limit of 300 days at the time of retirement. These instructions were effective from 1.9.2008. Subsequently DOP&T vide their O.M. No.14028/3/2008-Estt.(L), dated 16.11.2009, circulated on the zonal Railways etc. vide this office letter of even number dated 24.11.2009, modified the effective date of their O.M dated 25.9.2008 to 1.1.2006, subject to the condition, inter-alia, that the benefit will be admissible in respect of past cases on receipt of applications to that effect from the pensioners concerned.

- 2. The aspect of grant of benefit of the above facility to the spouse/members of the family of such retirees, who retired during the period from 1.1.2006 till 31.8.2008 but expired before issue of letter dated 24.11.2009, has been examined in consultation with the DOP&T. It has been decided that the benefit of encashment of LHAP admissible in terms of the above instructions to such railway servants, who retired during the period from 1.1.2006 till 31.8.2008, but who expired before availing themselves of the benefit envisaged in this office letter of even number dated 8.10.2008, may be extended to the spouse/members of the family of such retirees on receipt of a written request from the spouse/eligible members of the family, on fulfillment of the prescribed conditions, subject to the overall limit of 300 days of both LAP and LHAP.
  - 3. Please acknowledge receipt.

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