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Dated 22.7.2009.

The Secretary (E),
Railway Board,
New Delhi.

Kind Attention: Sh. Sanjeev Sharma, JDA.

Dear Sir,

Sub:- (i) Enhancement of Pension on attaining 80 years.
(ii) Issue of revised PPO to Pre-2006 Pensioners.

6th Central Pay Commission has made provisions for enhancement of pension on attaining age of 80 years but Disbursing Authorities interpret this as on completion of 80 years. There is absolute emergency to clarify this aspect to all disbursing authorities immediately that "on Attaining of" signifies reaching and not completing 80 years. It can be easily presumed that a person reaching 80 years landmark age loses his patience and tolerance level at this stage remains negligible. This federation is receiving telephone calls daily from this category of pensioners and Pensioners Associations apart from written representations.

Complaints are being received in this federation continuously regarding non-issuance of Revised PPO's to Pre-2006 pensioners. Board are requested to issue immediate instructions and now fix a target date by which all Pre-2006 pensioners will receive their revised PPO's. This needs immediate action.

Federation awaits a positive and quick response.

Yours faithfully,


(Shiva Gopal Mishra)
General Secretary.

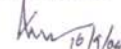
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Forwarded to GSP, all affiliated unions - for information.


(R.K. Mishra)
For General Secretary
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