

Government of India (Bharat Sarkar)  
Ministry of Railways (Rail Mantralaya)  
(Railway Board)

No. 2020/E(Sports)/4(1)/14/Gr.D

New Delhi, 04.01.2023

The General Managers (P),  
All Zonal Railways & PUs.

**Sub:** Recruitment of sportspersons on Zonal Railways/Production Units against Sports Quota in Pay Level-1 (Erstwhile Group 'D' in GP Rs. 1800/- as per 6<sup>th</sup> CPC).

**Ref:** (i) Board's letters no. 2010/E(Sports)/4(1)/1 (Policy) dated 31.12.2010 (RBE No. 189/2010) and clarifications / Corrigendum issued thereto.

(ii) Board's letters no. 2015/E(Sports)/4(1)/11 dated 25.05.2016, 31.07.2017, 20.06.2018 & 18.06.2019.

Recruitment of sportspersons in the erstwhile Group 'D' quota allotted in Grade Pay Rs. 1800/- (as per 6<sup>th</sup> CPC) was frozen for the year 2016-17 vide this office's letter no. 2015/E(Sports)/4(1)/11 dated 25.05.2016 and the freeze was continued in subsequent years.

2. The matter has been reviewed and Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) have decided to restart the recruitment in Pay Level-1 (in GP Rs. 1800/- as per 6<sup>th</sup> CPC) against the sports quota berths allotted to Railways & Production Units (Erstwhile Group D Category) with following revision in sports norms as contained in Board's letter referred (i) above and clarification / corrigendum issued thereto :

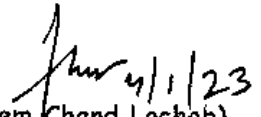
Para	Existing minimum sports norms for recruitment in Rs. GP 1800/-	Revised minimum sports norms for recruitment in Pay Level-1
4.1 (iv)	Represented the country in any of the category C Championships/events or	No change
	At least 3 <sup>rd</sup> position in federation cup championships (Senior category) or	No change
	Represented a state of equivalent unit, except in Marathon and cross country in Senior/ Youth/ Junior National championships or	Represented a state or equivalent unit, except in Marathon and Cross Country <u>with at least 8<sup>th</sup> position in Senior National championships only.</u>
	At least 3 <sup>rd</sup> position in Senior state Championships for all units and districts of the state.	Deleted.

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2.1 In Badminton, Table Tennis and Tennis : The revised sports norms for recruitment of sportspersons on the basis of their current Annual All India Rankings in Pay Level -1 (Grade Pay Rs. 1800/-) will be as under :

Para		Existing minimum sports norms for recruitment in GP 1800	Modified minimum sports norms for recruitment in Pay Level-1
4.1 (c)	Seniors	Singles	Upto 16 <sup>th</sup> position
		Doubles	Upto 6 <sup>th</sup> position
	Youth	Singles	Upto 8 <sup>th</sup> position
	Juniors	Singles	Upto 8 <sup>th</sup> position
Only the current Annual All India Ranking shall be considered for these purposes. For the purpose of recruitment the highest ranking may be considered valid for one year. Ranking in Mixed doubles shall be considered only in Badminton & not in Tennis & Table Tennis.			

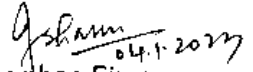
3. All other eligibility norms for recruitment in Pay Level-1 will be same as per existing eligibility norms for recruitment against sports quota in Grade Pay Rs. 1800/-.
4. These instructions issue with the approval of concurrence of the Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.

  
(Prem Chand Lochab)  
Executive Director/ E(Sports)  
Railway Board

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New Delhi, dated 04.01.2023

1. The PFA, All Zonal Railway and other units.

  
For Member Finance

No. 2022/E(Sports)/4(1)/14/Gr. D

New Delhi, dated 04.01.2023

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2. The General Secretary, NFIR, 3, Chelmsford Road, New Delhi.
3. The General Secretary, All India SC/ST Railway Employees Association, 7-GF, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
4. The General Secretary, All India OBC Railway Employees' Association, Room No. 48, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.

  
For PED(IR) /Railway Board

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1. The FA&CAO, All Zonal Railways and Production Units.
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