SOUTH CENTRAL RAILWAY

Headquarters Office Personnel Branch Secunderabad. Date: 16.03.2018

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ALL CONCERNED

PERSONNEL BRANCH SERIAL CIRCULAR No. 43/2018

Copy of Board's letter No.F[E]Spl./2009/FR/1/3[Part-2] dated 06.03.2018 is forwarded for information, guidance and necessary action.

[K.RAVI KUMAR] Secy. to PCPO

For Principal Chief Personnel Officer

Copy of Board's ltr. No. F[E]Spl./2009/FR/1/3[Part-2] dated 06.03.2018

Sub: Clarification regarding making dual charge arrangement under 7th CPC.

Pursuant to acceptance of 7th Central Pay Commission recommendations for abolition of Dual Charge Allowance [DCA] in Chapter 8.3 of their report and covering the same under a new Additional Post Allowance by "Committee on Allowances", DCA has ceased to exist with effect from 01.07.2017 and has been replaced by APA.

- 2. Formulation of revised guidelines /instructions for Additional Post Allowance [APA] is under active consideration with Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions [Department of Personnel & Training].
- 3. It has come to the notice of this Ministry that dual charge arrangement is still being resorted in some Zonal Railways on / after 01.07.2017. It is, therefore, directed that the practice of dual charge arrangement shall not be resorted to on Zonal Railways. Guidelines pertaining to APA as and when finalised will be circulated for information and compliance.

sd/-[G.Priya Sudarsani/JDF[E]]

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