



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA (भारत सरकार)
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (रेल मंत्रालय)
(RAILWAY BOARD/रेलवे बोर्ड)

PCPO
SDGM
DGM/c

No. E(P&A)I-2021/RT-10

New Delhi, dated: 19.06.2024

The General Managers,
All Indian Railways/PUs.

The DGs,
RDSO & NAIR

The Directors,
IRICEN/IRIEEN/IRIMEE/IRITM

(Attn: PCPOs)

Sub:- Clarification regarding position of vigilance officers in the Review Committee constituted for service review of Gr. 'C' officials under Rule 1802(a)/1803(a)/1804(a) of IREC Vol.-II.

Ref:- Railway Board's letter No. E(P&A)I-2019/RT-21 dated 11.04.2022 (RBE No. 48/2022).

In context of Railway Board's letter cited above, references have been received in Board's office from some Zonal Railways, seeking clarifications on the aspects of position of vigilance officers in the Review Committee constituted for service review of Gr. 'C' officials under Rule 1802(a)/ 1803(a)/ 1804(a) of IREC Vol.-II. The matter has been considered in Board's office and it is clarified as under:

S. No.	Points	Clarifications
(i)	Whether Vigilance Officers (say Dy. CVO/CVO) may be nominated as regular third member of the Review Committee for Group C officials of Railways.	As per the composition of the Review Committee, SDGM/Dy. GM who is in charge of vigilance department is associated in the service review in case of record reflecting adversely on the integrity of any employee. He may furnish his remarks/ recommendations in respect of his domain. The Review Committee is to take a decision taking cognizance of the observations and remarks/ recommendations made by the SDGM/Dy. GM. As such, he may not be nominated as regular member of the Review Committee but may continue to be associated with it as already stated in the instructions.
(ii)	In cases, where the railway servant whose case is proposed to be taken on ground of lack of integrity, only then	Besides the above, while initiating the service review, vigilance clearance is sought and recorded.

	Vigilance Officers shall be associated as Third Member of the Committee.	
(iii)	In cases, where railway servant whose case is not proposed on the ground of lack of integrity, whether the Internal Review Committee will comprise of only two members, leaving out Vigilance Officers.	In cases of doubtful integrity, SDGM/Dy. GM who is in charge of vigilance department is associated in service review.

3. All Zonal Railways/PUs/CTIs are advised to take necessary action accordingly.
4. This disposes of WCR's letter No. WCR/PHQ/Conf/Premature Retd. dated 04.04.2024.



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