

# WESTERN RAILWAY

Headquarter Office, Churchgate, Mumbai-400 020.

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Dt. 30/09/2021.

# Minutes of the Meeting of Central SBF Committee held at HQ-CCG on 7.09.2021

Present -

- 1. Shri Surendra Kumar, PCPO & Chairman
- 2. Shri B.K.Bihani, CPO(IR) & Co-Chairman
- 3. Shri SuhasKamble, Dy.CPO(Wel) & Member Secretary
- 4. Dr. Nisha Singh, Dy.CMD-CCG
- 5. Shri Ashok Kumar Singh, Dy. CE (Plg.)-CCG
- 6. Shri Manikandan Nair, AFA(PF)-CCG
- 7. Shri R.G.Kabar, GS-WRMS as a special invitee
- 8. Shri J.R.Bhosale, GS-WREU as a special invitee
- 9. Shri C.R.Iyer, Statistcal Insp-CCG & CSBF Member WRMS
- 10. Shri Vivek Pagedar, CI-II/BRCY & CSBF Member WRMS
- 11. Shri Hiren Mehta, OS/RJT & CSBF Member WRMS
- 12. Shri G R Verma, Chief OS (E/Comml) ADI & CSBF Member WREU
- 13. Shri Prashant V. Kanande, SSE(Elect)/BCT & CSBF Member WREU
- 14. Shri ShaileshTiware, SSE(RC)-RTM & CSBF Member WREU
- 15. Shri O P Bairwa, SSE/AB/LPL & CSBF Member SC/ST Assn.
- 16. Shri RamnathPatil, M/Chaser-Mech. Deptt-CCG & CSBF Member OBC Assn.

The Member Secretary cum Dy. CPO (Wel) extended a warm welcome to the Chairman, Co-

Chairman, the GSs of both the recognized unions and all Members of the Committee.

## Minutes on Agenda items:

1. Grant for Educational Scholarships – The present system of sanctioning educational scholarships by the Central Committee will continue with the modification that henceforth, for all times, only a summary statement of those found eligible for the scholarships in each group, namely, boy child of staff in GP upto 2400, girl child of staff in GP upto 2400 and wards of staff in GP 2800 and above, will be sent by the divisions/units to the Central Committee, who will sanction based upon such statements. Applications will be scrutinized by the Welfare Section of the division/unit with respect to fulfilment of conditions of eligibility and thereafter by the Local SBF Committee of that division/unit. Hard copy of applications will NOT be sent to HQ and will be retained in the division/unit itself. It will be the responsibility of the Local

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SBF Committee to see that names of only eligible staff are sent to Central Committee for sanction.

2. Grant to Railway Officers' Club Baroda – Audited Accounts for the year ending 31.03.2020 perused by the Committee and Rs. 4 lakhs sanctioned. Staff side members urged that when booking of Club premises, whenever available after meeting the needs of its members, is made in favour of Non-gazetted staff, they should be charged at the same rate at which Club Members are charged. At present, they are being charged at the rates applicable for 'non-members'. Separate rates for members and non-members is decided by the respective Managing Committees of Clubs and the HQ does not have a say in it. The HQ do not have any objection if the Clubs can offer some concession to non-member railwaymen in the booking of premises.

**3. Grant for Sr.Railway Institute Rajkot** - Audited Accounts for the year ending 31.03.2021, perused by the Committee and a grant of Rs. 2 lakhs sanctioned.

4. Grant for furnishing the Holiday Home at Dwarka Dhaam -This being a new Holiday Home with 8 rooms and halls, Rs20 lakhs sanctioned for furnishing the items listed by the Division in its proposal. Purchases to be made by Spot Purchase committee (s) comprising of one personnel officer, one accounts officer and one member from each union and each association in the Local SBF Committee. Since there are very many items, more than one committee can be constituted for similar groups of items. Staff side members in the LSBF may be consulted to keep the size of the committee at 4 members, say, by having two staff side members in one committee and another two in the 2nd committee. As far as wooden furniture is concerned, instead of going in for expensive branded furniture, it is suggested that the committee can visit the local market including that of the nearby major town, place the order for design of their choice for making the furniture out of seasoned wood, inspect it and place marks on it for identification before polishing and then get the polishing done, if possible at railway premises, else at the show room. This is only a suggestion for making good quality and durable purchase at reasonable rates out of the available funds. The Division can adopt any better system as well, as deemed fit.

.5. Re-appropriation of 62 lakhs to the AYUSH head–The Committee decided that, as in previous years, request should be made to Medical Department to provide from out of the Medical budget. In case of any difficulty, the Committee will consider re-appropriating from another head for the year 2021-22.

**6. Gym Equipment for Valsad** – Proposal approved for Rs1,54,168/-, as received from BCT Division.

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7. Multi Station Gym Equipment for Railway Colony Palli Hill Bandra – The colony has small number of railway quarters. Equipment will not be used to the desired extent to justify the investment in the equipment. Therefore, dropped.

# 8. Merger of SBF units of smaller workshops with Territorial Divisions – Dropped.

**Holiday Camp** – Rs.4 Lakhs sanctioned to each Division, HQ, DHD and PL Workshop for organising Holiday Camp upto 31.03.2022, if the Divisions find safe and feasible to do so.

**9.** Advance Funds for Cultural Activities keeping in view the ongoing celebrations for Azadi Ka Amrit Mahatosav i.e. 75<sup>th</sup> year of the Independence – Rs.2 lakhs to BCT and HQ, Rs.1.5 lakhs each to BRC, RTM and ADI, Rs.1 lakh each to RJT, BVP division and PL workshop (PL workshop to transfer to MX cultural Association Rs.50,000/-) and Rs.50,000/- each to the 4 workshops, namely, DHD, PRTN, SBI & BVP. The Divisions and Workshops are urged to organise maximum number of activities as per the calendar prepared by them for the Amrit Mahotsav and even more than that.

**10. Women Empowerment**- Rs.1 lakh each for Divisions ,Rs.50,000/- to HQ, DHD &PL workshop, Rs.25000/- for SBI,PRTN & BVP workshop for celebrating International Women's day and other activities for women empowerment.

**11.** At the end of the financial year unspent amount to be returned back to HQ accounts CCG mentioning the same head and copy of the same to be sent to Dy.CPO(Wel).

This issues with the approval of the Chairman.

Signed by Suhas B.kamble Date: 30-09-2021 11:10:33 Reason: Approved (Suhas Kamble) Dy.CPO(Wel) & Member Secy. CSBF Committee

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