

SRES - NFIR

REPLACEMENT OF GP 1900 WITH GP 2000 AND GRANT OF GP 4200 FOR DRESSER CATEGORY

- NFIR continuously pursuing through Railway Board PNM of Sub. No.11/2017 and also represented to Railway Board on 07.08.2017 for replacement of GP 1900 with GP 2000 and grant GP 4200 for Dresser Category.
- Board gave reply to GS/NFIR vide Lr. No. PC-VII/2016/R-U/35 dated 19.04.2018 as under to agree to process minimum GP 2000 and sent proposal to Finance Ministry on 12.04.2017.
- NFIR also pursuing maximum GP 4200.

Annex-

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(RAILWAY BOARD)**

No. PC-VII/2016/R-U/35 New Delhi, dated : 19/04/2018

The General Secretary,
National Federation of Indian Railwaymen,
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Sub: Provision of GP 4200/- in PB-2/Level 6 of 7th CPC to the Dresser/OTAs workings in Railway Hospital/Health Units - reg.

Ref: Letter Nos. IV/NFIR/7th CPC(Imp)/2016/R.B./Part I dated 12.03.2018 and 07.08.2017.

Please refer to your letter dated 12.03.2018 seeking introduction of GP-4200/Level-6 in the category of Dressers/Operation Theatre Assistants (OTAs). The issue as represented earlier through letter No. IV/NFIR/7th CPC(Imp)/2016/R.B./Part I dated 07.08.2017 has already been considered and a reply to was also given vide Board's letter No. PC-VII/2016/R-U/35 dated 02.11.2017 (*Annex-I*).

2. With respect to present demand, it is pointed out that Ministry has already sought upgradation of Dresser-III from GP 1900 to GP 2000 in Railways on 7th CPC recommendation upgrading Dressers of MoH&FW from GP 1800 to GP 2000 through a reference to Ministry of Finance (*Annexure-II*). Subsequently a meeting has also been held with officials of Ministry of Finance on 21.02.2018 to expedite the approval of the proposal.

3. With regard to the present demand it is pointed out that even in CGHS, Dressers do not have GP of 4200, as observed by the Hon'ble CAT/PB in Para 11 of their judgement in OA No. 386 of 2012. The position has not changed after the implementation of 7th CPC recommendations.

4. Accordingly, it is requested that at this stage, it may be more appropriate to follow up on the upgradation of Dresser-III from GP 1900 to GP 2000/- on par with CGHS, rather than seek creation of upgraded grade pay of 4200/Level-6 for this cadre, which goes well beyond 7th CPC's recommendations in this respect.

Encl. As above.

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For Secretary, Railway Board

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