

SRES - NFIR

Apprentice period should be counted for Grant of OPS

1. In terms of Rly. Board order No. E(Trg)64PS5-1/16 dated 01.12.1964, the period of Apprentice should be counted for Pensionary Benefits and also for granting Passes / PTOs.
2. Even if they delay in absorption the above period to be counted as qualifying service as a special case by condoning the break / gap vide Rly. Board letter No. E(W)2000PS5-1/36 dated 07.02.2001.
3. Many Course completed Act Apprentices were observed in different years, some prior to 01.01.2004 and some after it due to administration constraints resulting granting of OPS to some and NPS to others though belonging to the same batch. **This creates discrimination among the equally situated candidates.**

**HON'BLE GENERAL MANAGER / S.RLY. , KINDLY TAKE ACTION TO GRANT OPS.
PROTEST ON 10.10.2023 IN FRONT OF ALL DRMs / CWMs / GM Office**

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