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To
**The Principal Chief Personnel Officer,
Southern Railway,
Chennai-3.**

Madam,

**Sub : Conducting of General Departmental Competitive Examination
for filling up of Goods Guard.**

Ref : 1) Notification P(S)563/ii/Guards/GDCE dt. 01.03.2019.
2) JGS/NFIR Lr. No.85-A/GDCE dated 22.07.2019.

In continuation of our earlier letter dated 22.07.2019, it was proposed to conduct GDCE for filling 96 posts of Goods Guard in Pay Matrix Level-5 (PB Rs.5200-20200+GP2800) of VII CPC. The Examinations were held on 07.08.2019 and the supplementary examination got postponed on account of Flood in Kerala.

Majority of Volunteers are from Engineering Department and it was a great opportunity for serving employees to get promoted as Goods Guard. However, those who appeared for examinations on 07.08.2019 has complained that the questions were on LDCE pattern and not on GDCE which would fail to give equal opportunity to all the volunteers.

A GDCE examination is conducted for serving the employees of all departments and is on par with Direct Recruitment Quota.

We, therefore request you to kindly arrange to study the issue and take appropriate action including **cancellation** of Examinations.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

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