

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

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No. 2018/Sec(E)/PM-3/24

New Delhi, dated 18.12.2019

**Principal Chief Security Commissioner(s),**  
All Zonal Railways, RPSF, RDSO, CORE,  
ICF, KRCL, CON/NWR & WR,  
Director JR RPF Academy, Lucknow and  
Director RPF TC/MLY/SCR.

Sub: Modification in Directive No. 28(Modified) issued vide Railway Board letter no. 2018/Sec(E)/PM-3/24 dated 02.12.2019 regarding appointment and promotion of Drivers in RPF/RPSF.

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Please find enclosed herewith a copy of the Modification in Directive No. 28 (Modified) dated 02.12.2019 issued by the DG/RPF regarding guidelines for appointment and promotion of Drivers in RPF/RPSF.

Provisions of this modification shall be meticulously followed in the forthcoming appointments/selections. Thus, wide publicity amongst members of the Force should be ensured.

  
(Ajay Kumar)

**Section Officer/Security(E)**  
**Railway Board**

DA: As above.

Copy to: 1. RPF Establishment Manual drafting committee (IG/Con./WR, PCSC/SECR & PCSC/SCR) is advised to incorporate the modified provisions in the relevant chapter of RPF Establishment Manual, please.

2. DIG/MAC for uploading on official website, please.

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**Modification in Directive No. 28 (Modified)**

Sub: Appointment and Promotion of Drivers in the RPF/RPSF

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In exercise of the powers conferred under Rule 28 of the RPF Rules 1987 read with section 8 of the RPF Act 1957 and in furtherance to RPF Rules, 1987, the following modification is done in Directive No. 28(Modified) issued vide Railway Board letter no. 2018/Sec(E)/PM-3/24 dated 02.12.2019 regarding appointment and promotion of Drivers in RPF/RPSF:-

**1.0 Trade Test:** Para 4 of Directive No. 28(Modified) dated 02.12.2019 is modified as under-


"In terms of schedule IV of RPF rules, 1987, allocation of marks for Trade test shall be as under:

Stage	Marks
Driving Skill	20
Mechanical Knowledge about vehicles	10
Skill to conduct minor repairs	10

However, the Trade test will be "qualifying" in nature and marks obtained in trade test will not be counted towards assessing the total marks obtained by the candidate in the selection. The qualifying marks will be 60% for General candidates and 50% for SC/ST candidates".

**2.0 Records of Service:** Para 5 of Directive No. 28(Modified) dated 02.12.2019 is modified as under-

"Records of Service of only those candidates shall be evaluated who qualify in the written examination and Trade test. It will be of 20 marks".



(Arun Kumar, IPS)  
Director General/RPF