

Posting of Staff in Signal and Telecom Deptt.

4196. SHRI RAMAVATAR SHASTRI : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) what is the duty list of different grades of Signal, Telecom Inspectors and Maintenance of S&T Department.

(b) whether there is any yardstick for posting the different grade of staff in the Signal and Telecom Department; and

(c) if so, the details thereof ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN) :

(a) Duties of Inspectors and Maintainers are as shown in the Statement attached.

(b) Yes.

(c) Yardstick for supervisory Signal Inspectors exist which is applicable all over the Railways. As regards Junior Grade/Sectional Signal Inspectors and Signal Maintainers (Mechanical or Electrical) each Railway evolves its own yardstick depending upon the local conditions traffic density and the type of equipment.

Yardstick for maintenance of Microwave equipment, as applicable all over the Railways exists for telecom. staff and inspectors. The issue of yardstick for the maintenance of telecommunication equipments in Railway Electrification area is under consideration.

STATEMENT

DUTY LIST OF DIFFERNT GRADES OF SIGNAL, TELECOM. INSPECTORS AND MAINTAINERS OF S&T DEPARTMENT

I. Signal Inspectors Grade I, II and III

Installation and maintenance of signalling equipments/installations on the Railway as laid down in the Indian Railways Signal Engineering Manual.

II. Telecommunication Inspectors Grade I, II and III

Installation and maintenance of telecommunication, wireless and microwave equipments/installations on the Railway as laid down in the Indian Railways Signal Engineering Manual and Indian Railways Telecommunication Manual.

III. Maintainers

1. Mechanical Signal Maintainers Grade I, II and III

Installation and maintenance of mechanical signalling equipments/installations on the Railways, as laid down in the Indian Railway Signal Engineering Manual.

2. Electrical Signal Maintainers Grade I, II and III

Installation and maintenance of electrical signalling equipments/installations on the Railway as laid down in the Indian Railways Signal Engineering Manual.

3. Telecommunication Maintainers/Wireless Maintainers Grade I, II and III

Installation and maintenance of telecommunication, wireless and microwave equipments/installations on the Railways, as laid down in the Indian Railways Signal Engineering Manual and Indian Railways Telecommunication Manual.

Directly recruited and promoted Employees in Cadre of Signal Inspectors

4197. SHRI RAMAVATAR SHASTRI : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state the number of employees directly recruited and those promoted from ranks in the cadre of Signal Inspectors since the year 1957 in the Northern Railway, year-wise ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN) : Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.