Consequent upon the implementation of recommendations of 7th Central Pay Commission (7th CPC) after the publication of CEN-03/2015, the post of Assistant Station Master (ASM) notified with Grade Pay of ₹2800/- has been upgraded & merged with the post of Station Master (SM) in Grade Pay of ₹4200/- (Level 6 as per 7th CPC). Similarly, the Grade Pay of the post of Traffic Assistant notified at ₹2000/- has been enhanced to ₹2400/- (Level 4 as per 7th CPC). Further, in terms of Para 1.14 of the Notification some modifications have been made in vacancies for certain posts.

In view of the above circumstances, it is considered desirable and in the interest of the candidates to provide them an opportunity of reviewing their preferences for various posts. The candidates who wish to change their preferences indicated initially in the on-line application may revise their preferences using this opportunity. In case of those candidates who do not avail of this opportunity, their original preferences exercised at the time of on-line application will be deemed as final, subject to the modified vacancies as on date.

All the candidates who have appeared in the 2nd Stage CBT during 17th to 19th January, 2017 are accordingly hereby advised to exercise option of filling fresh preferences. The exercise of the option must be made within the period from 08.05.2017 (00:00 hrs) to 14.05.2017 (23:59 hrs) through the link provided for the purpose on the websites of respective RRBs. It is important to note that the candidates who wish to change their earlier preferences will have to fill up complete preferences with respect to all posts as their earlier preferences will stand ignored in toto. The scope of change of preference of posts and/or Railways/PUs is permitted only within the same RRB to which they had applied. No further request for change of preferences beyond the above period or in other forms like physical application etc. will be entertained on any ground.

In case of non-furnishing of fresh preference by any candidate within the above stipulated period, it will be considered that they do not wish to exercise the option and their original preference for posts exercised at the time of on-line application will be deemed as final, subject to the modified vacancies as on date. The result of 2nd stage CBT will be processed on the basis of fresh preferences so exercised. Candidates please note that this opportunity of revising the preferences per se does not confer any right for employment in Indian Railways.

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