

AIRF Collection

Letters and Applications (NCCRS /I/74 Part II /74-75)

Among authors: National Rail Mazdoor Union (N.R.M.U.), , Divisional Insurance Employees Association, NCCRS, All India Railway Employees Confederation, Electrical Staff Council, Mahila Samiti (Santragachi), Insurance Employees Union, North East Railway Workshop Council, et. al.

[Archives of Indian Labour / AILH – VV Giri NLI]

रेल्वे नं. ४०१

N.R.M.U

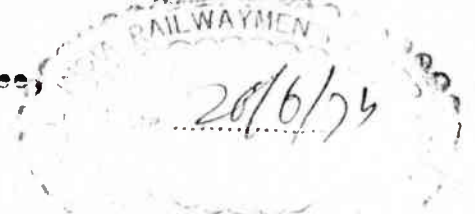
नॅशनल रेल्वे मजदूर युनियन मुसावल-शाखा

अ. भा. रेल्वेमेन्स फेडरेशनसे संबन्धित  
( रजिस्टर्ड-माग्यता प्राप्त )

Ref. No. BSL/Struggle/74

Date 20-6-1974.

The Convener,  
National Railwaymen's Co-ordination Committee,  
NEW DELHI



Dear Friend,

Sub:- Resolutions passed in the Public Meeting held on 18-6-1974 at Bhusaval.

\*\*\*

As per directive, a Public Meeting was held on 18-6-1974 (Anti-Repression Day) at 18-00 hours in front of Mazdoor Bhavan at Bhusaval and the copy of resolutions passed in the said Meeting is enclosed herewith for further disposal. This Meeting was addressed by the local leaders viz. S/Shri Appa Desai, S.L. Sethi, M.K. Shukla, Ramvatar etc. and was presided by Shri A.R. Vazifdar.

Thanking you,

Yours fraternally,

( CONVENOR )

N.C.C.R.S.

DA: As stated.

C/- General Secretary, N.R.M.U. BB and Convener, NC.C.R.S. BB  
with a copy of resolution for information please.



# SOUTH CENTRAL RAILWAY MAZDOOR UNION,

REGISTERED

RECOGNISED

AFFILIATED TO AIRM & IIMS

N. ANJANEYULU  
Secretary.



N. SUBRAMANIAN  
Treasurer.

Ref: SCRMU/DNC/

Camp ... Dool ...

Date 1.8.7 1964

To The Comrade,  
NCCRS / New Delhi,

Dear Comrade, Subj: - Victimization from this branch, Hyderabad.

I am submitting the details of victimization in this branch, in correct position for your further action pl.

1. Six employees of Dne Branch, had been dismissed from service on 10.5.64 and till date no re-instatement order though submitted appeals, to the respective authorities. All appellants are under 311 (2) (a). The names of the employees are (1) Com. P. Haranamma Asst/DNC (2) Com. Shal Khaja Mohiuddin DSK/one (3) A. Arjun Reddy (4) Com. N. S. Maniyan Chis (5) Com. S. V. Bhavraj Khali (6) P. Venkatesh Reddy (Swafar). All the above were convicted by the magistrates for 10 days SD and appeals are with the higher Court (iv) Sessions Court / KRN.

(2) All the vacancies are being filled in with.  
(3) The employees that are participales in strike are still being loss of leave, etc though the condonation is in process and paper statements. Process are submitted with.

(4) The officials are advising the dismissed employees to submit merely petition, and till date no body preferred, since no instructions.

(Confidential)

from your end.

(5) 37 employees belonging to KRAI Branch/ALIASA at this station (Dona) had been dismissed under 1(a) for conviction under DM for one month and one re-instate order so far. Only these 19 people were released on liberty setting a side the conviction by the District Additional Judge on an appeal.

Any instructions or information from your end is awaited further.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,  
A. J. S. S. S.

Copies submitted to the General  
Secretary & Controller 2 CCPS/se for enforcement.

(Signature)

National Co-ordination Committee for Rly. Men  
Struggle - Jhansi Branch.

NO REC 8/6174 27/12-7-74.

(10)

Com K.C. Roychoudhury.

Convenor, recs - S.E. Zone - Kharagpur.

Sub: - Position of victimisation at JSQ as on 12-7-74  
- My letter with victimisation list sent under  
Registered Post on 26-6-74.

-Y-

Dear Comrade,

I am very sorry to inform you that nobody could attend the Central Council meeting & recs meeting from 6th to 8th July 1974 held at KGP as I got information from BLNR Branch that the meeting has been again postponed. I request you to send the minutes of the both the meetings. The victimisation position as in comparison to 26-6-74 list has been changed due to some dismissed candidates have been reinstated and as follows.

- ① All No. 10 arrested on MISA on 1-5-74 night have been still under suspension.
- ② All the 6 arrested under DIR whose cases are being under trial in SBF court not withdrawn. ~~One~~ one case amongst these six Sri M. Barik T<sup>III</sup> (SBT) JSQ although acquitted on 31-5-74 not yet taken back to duty & being ~~under~~ <sup>under</sup> suspension. Rest all are also under suspension.
- ③ Sri R.K. Bose & P.V.K. Rao guards of JSQ against whom warrants of arrest were unexecuted since surrendered on 17-6-74 facing trial in SBF court but they have been taken back to duty from 18-6-74.
- ④ arrest warrants unexecuted but subsequently withdrawn by onissa GOVT & now working.
  - ① Sri M. R. Mullik. Driver loco (Diesel)
  - ② Sri S. S. Gupta T<sup>II</sup> JSQ (SBT)
  - ③ n S. P. Dey T<sup>III</sup> - do -
  - ④ n K. Sai Rama Rao T<sup>III</sup> - do -
  - ⑤ n S. N. Puri Khalari - do -
  - ⑥ n S. K. Das Khalari - do -

PTD

(5) out of 14 dismissed from service the following have been taken back to duty.

Copy to  
 Comd  
 Contingent  
 Ferozpur  
 Road - Meerut  
 JSE  
 Bikaner

- |      |                                            |                 |
|------|--------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| (1)  | Sri Nand Lal ist in docc Tsg               | } 1st July 1974 |
| (2)  | " R.K. Surain Shukla - do -                |                 |
| (3)  | " Pramod Tiggia Asst Asst Tsg              |                 |
| (4)  | " P.K. Sarkar Guard. Reinstated on 17-6-74 |                 |
| (5)  | " M.L. Jadar T.M III SBT Tsg on 1-7-74     |                 |
| (6)  | " U.N. Dyanagar T.M III - do -             |                 |
| (7)  | " K.L. Dey Asst. SBP. Reinstated on 5-7-74 |                 |
| (8)  | " A.K. Dalia - do -                        | - do -          |
| (9)  | " N.K. Das PC-SBP                          | - do -          |
| (10) | " Sri Babu T.M-SBP                         | - do -          |

(6) Those not reinstated

- (1) Sri M.L. Choudhury T.M III SBT Tsg
- (2) " S.C. Dolai T.M III - do -
- (3) " L.P. Gupta T.M III - do -
- (4) " H.S.P. Sharma Asst - G/BQ

(7) Reversion on A/O of strikes or under orders of Transfer.

- (1) Sri J.N. Haldar Tele Operator (SBT) Passed expanded T.M III  
reverted from to khulahi Transferred to BNDM.
- (2) Sri T.K. Sinha - do - - do -  
Both also appeared for clerical exam & passed. J.N. Haldar & T.K. Sinha to be scheduled call.

(8) Transfer

- (1) Sri P. Paul Gangman Rajgangpur to Bhalda Road
- " Kalo - do - to Banu both have led the Gangman strike in December 1973 of S.E. Zone & made it successful. These two must be protected. They have been booked off from May 1974 & reported sick. C.P. administrators expressed their inability to cancel pl. consult with CPO & get their orders cancelled. Com. Chakravarty is aware of the fact.

Since ~~most~~ ~~DIR~~ Rly Min under DIR cases have been taken directly else where in this Divn. Tsg not a single case has been considered. ~~responsibility~~ ~~for~~ ~~those~~ ~~under~~ ~~arrested~~ ~~SO~~ ~~in~~ ~~charge~~ ~~of~~ ~~dis~~ ~~missal~~ ~~case~~ ~~to~~ ~~break~~ ~~in~~ ~~service~~ ~~zone~~ under general policy decision but pl. try to cancel the reversion orders as shown in item (7).  
 Pl. acknowledge receipt & be useful  
 J. Das  
 NO 1087c - Shertusuda, Sambal

Eastern Railwaymen's Co-ordination Committee  
KANCHRAPARA

Rly. Qrs. No. 874/D  
SITTE BAZAR,  
P. O. Kanchrapara,  
Dt. 24 Parganas.

Ref. No. ....

Dated 21<sup>st</sup> June, 1974.

To.  
The Convenor,  
N.C.C.R.S/ New Delhi.

Dear Comrade,

Subject:- Delegation to the meeting of  
the NCCRS to be held in New Delhi  
on 26th. June/74 on behalf of the  
Eastern Railwaymen's Co-ordination  
Committee/Kanchrapara.

I am to inform you that I have been badly engaged  
otherwise in organisational affairs particularly in respect of  
victimized staff and as such I am not in a position to attend  
the meeting of 26th. June/74, for which I express regret.

On behalf of our organisation Com: Subhendu Mukherjee  
alternative member of the NCCRS/Delhi will attend the meeting,  
which may please be arranged.

An amount of Rs.50/- as required for the NCCRS/New Delhi  
is sent herewith which may please be acknowledged.

With greetings,

Yours Comrade,

*Nalin Ranjan Saha*  
(N.R. Saha)

Member/NCCRS, New Delhi,  
Organising Secretary, ERMCC/KPA.

Reception Committee  
Of

ALL INDIA TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC EMPLOYEES UNION CLASS. III  
Kanpur.

Conference Invitation.

Dated at Kanpur 24.3.1974

17 th Uttar Pradesh Circle Conference  
On  
16.7.1974 to 17.7.1974 at Kanpur



Dear Com. Fernandez,

It gives me a great pleasure to inform you that the 17.th Uttar Pradesh Circle Conference of All India Telegraph Traffic Employees Union Class III is scheduled to take place at Kanpur on 16th and 17th July 1974. The open session will be held on 16th July 1974 in the premises of Central Telegraph Office Kanpur.

I take the opportunity to invite you on this occasion with the request to address the gathering in the open session. I am sure your dynamic personality in the trade union held will enthuse the Telegraph Workers in particular and the working class in general. Your heroic role played during recent Railway Strike has been very commendable and you have secured an honourable place in the hearts of the workers.

I am sure you will very kindly accept our requests and will accord your consent to be present in the conference.

A like in reply will be obliging.

Yours faithfully

( O.P. MISRA )

SECRETARY RECEPTION COMMITTEE

To

Com. George Fernandez  
Member of Parliament  
New Delhi.

Copy to Shri V. A. Harsulkar,  
General Secretary  
AITTE UNION - III  
4/28 WEA Kariolbagh  
New Delhi-5  
TF. 561873.



**JOINT COUNCIL OF ACTION**

Sealdah Division / Naihati / Ranaghat.

Raf Bahadur Road,

Near Loco Shed

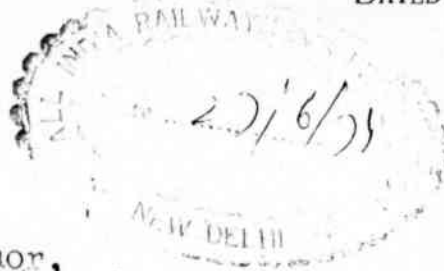
P. O. NAIIATI,

24 PARAGANAS.

REF .....

*HCCRS/1/11*

DATED..... 21. 6. 74.



(14)

To  
The Convenor,  
H.C.C.R.S./Delhi.

Dear Comrade,

Sub : Delegation to the HCCRS meeting to be held on 26th June at New Delhi from the Divisional Joint Council of Action/Sealdah.

As I have been badly engaged in the matter of rehabilitation of the large number of victimised Rly. employee, I regret I am not in a position to attend the meeting of 26th June/74.

Com. Brojesh Prasad Choudhury, alternate member of the Delhi Committee of H.C.C.R.S. will attend the meeting from our organisation, which may please be arranged.

An amount of Rs. 50/- as asked for is also sent herewith, which may please be acknowledged.

With greetings,

Yours comradely,

*[Signature]*

*[Name]*

Joint Council of Action / Sealdah  
E. ...

*[Handwritten mark]*

# Indian Rlys Coal & Ash Handling

From :-

## Mazdoor Union

(15)

Com. Dhruv Singh,  
General Secretary.

Affiliated with C. I. T. U.

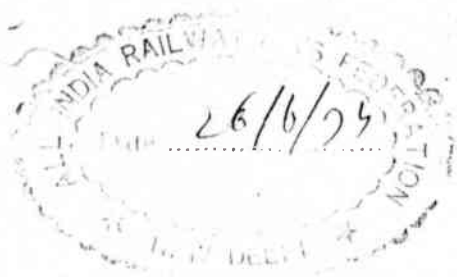
Regd. No. 8902

Head Office : Bandel Jn. Dist. Hooghly.

Date...24...6...1974 .

Ref. No.....

To  
The Convenor,  
N. C. C. R. S.,  
125-E, Babar Road,  
New Delhi.



Comrade George,

In response to your letter No. NCCRS/1/74 dated 11.6.74 the report is submitted below for suitable direction and action as you deem fit.

On 2.5.74 Com. S.N. Sarkar, President of our Union was arrested under MISA from the stage of a convention held under the call of NCCRS, Bandel Branch. He has been kept in Hooghly jail (West Bengal) till date.

As a constituent body of NCCRS at the central level our Union participated in the heroic strike with entire force under control. A good number of majdoors have not been allowed to join their duties till now. The initial report of victimised staffs are as follows :-

Bandel ... 52, Burdwan .. 30, Ranagat .. 49.

The detailed report of other zones and branches will be submitted later on.

Com. Debananda Banerjee, Secretary, Bandel Branch has been arrested on 21.6.74.

Com. C.R. Chakraborty, Secy., FERMU/Bandel Branch and Com. S.S. Dutta, Convenor, NCCRS/Bandel Branch, have been arrested on 29.5.74 under MISA along with five others of our branch at Bandel, on various dates.

As we are badly engaged with various works connected with post-strike situation, we regret that we are unable to send any representative to Delhi on 26.6.74 as per your directive.

The second instalment of Rs. 50/- will be remitted as early as possible.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,

*Dhruv Singh*  
General Secretary.

# रेलवे स्टाफ को-आर्डिनेशन कमेटी

पूर्वोत्तर रेलवे शाखा कासगंज

(17)

डिवीजन इज्जतनगर

RAILWAY STAFF CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE N.E. RAILWAY, IZATNAGAR, BRANCH - KASGANJ

पत्रांक.....

दिनांक: 9-7-74.....

Dear Com. George Fernandes

I am enclosing here with the copy of Telegram addressed to DM, SP/Etah, DS, SS(M) IZN, G.M/EKP issued by Rg-P fitting staff on date.

Due to high handedness of local officers of Mechanical Department the staff of Kasganj shed is being harassed with the help of newly appointed loco drivers (Substitutes, casual labours).

AM E Shri Motieck along with loco foreman <sup>started</sup> instigated Shri Thappan AM E, to <sup>take</sup> revenge from the staff and as such he started the engine of 105 up in face of staff gathered to get the relief of the loco drivers, who assailed Shri Jang Bhatia and others on his residence in the evening of 8th.

Staff was narrowly asept by the engine started by Shri Thappan AM E. The reports to this effect have been launched to the Police Station, but it is a strange that in spite of this ~~was~~ mistake AM E has suspended our 6 to 7 mech/staff and planning to crush the whole staff of Kasganj shed by fabricating the whole false allegations.

Thanks.

Best copy of  
Telegram

*Shri*  
Convent 9/7

Railway Staff Co-ordination Committee  
N.E. Railway, IZATNAGAR  
Branch - KASGANJ

# BHARATIYA RAILWAY MAZDOOR SANGH

INDIAN RAILWAY WORKERS UNION

President

Shri. Hukumchand Kachwai  
M. P.

## भारतीय रेलवे मजदूर संघ

Secy. Genl.

Shri Amaldarsingh

Working President

Shri G.S. Gokhale

(भारतीय मजदूर संघमे संलग्न)

Secy. Genl. (org.)

Shri Manohar Phatak

Phone : 4 8 3 5 6

१६, विंडसर प्लेस  
नई दिल्ली-१



३३, मोती भवन डिमिल्लू रोड,  
दादर बम्बई-४०००२८

L. No. BRIS.NCCB.74.

Date 9th July, 1974. 197

Dear Shri. George,

Your letter No.NCCBS.1.74 dt. 3-7-74 addressed to Shri. G.S. Gokhale has been forwarded in original to this office by our Subcentral Office, New Delhi.

It has been stated by you that our affiliates Viz.P.M.K.S. & D.P.M.S. on E.R. & S.P.Rly. has issued some cyclostyled handbills titled as - Do you know? The said handbill is said to be an extract from Motherland dated 29-3-1974.

It is surprising for me for bring it to my notice at this late stage even though we were meeting regularly since 10th April, 1974 to the date of your arrest on 2-5-74 and even after your release upto the N.C.C.R.S. meet held at New Delhi on 27-6-74. If the alleged cyclostyled handbill would have been brought to my notice earlier I could have enquired about the same and pulled them if any truth in issuing the illegal leaflets was established. However, I want to make it clear that as far as B.M.S. is concerned I have issued strict instructions that nothing that will come in the way of unity of Railway workers be published, uttered in public or in private. You must have also noticed that we in Action Committee acted in the same spirit. Please note that Shri. Dey convenor NCCBS of E.Rly.Zone who met Shri.Gokhale on 27-6-74 has not made any complaint. We had a hour long talk with him on the same date at 19 Windsor Place at New Delhi after the NCCBS meeting.

I assure you once again that the same spirit as was prevailing during pre-strike period will be maintained during post-strike period also at all costs.

I am sure that the alleged extract of Motherland said to have been circulated by BRIS affiliates is to malign the affiliates of BRIS who stood with one mind under the banner of N.C.C.R.S.

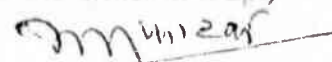
Regarding Report in Motherland, I have nothing to say as BRIS or B.M.S. has no control over the management of the said newspapers. We take the reports in the said papers as are being published in other papers.

Shri. Gokhale has left Bombay on tour of S.P.Rly. on 7-7-74 and hence I am writing this to you. I will show him this letter to him when he meets me at Calcutta on 5-8-74. I will be at Calcutta by this month end and I assure that I will personally enquire into the matter.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

Shri. George Fernandes,  
Convenor, N.C.C.R.S.  
125 P, Babar Road,  
MADRAS NEW DELHI-1.

  
(M. M. PHATAK)

SECRETARY GENERAL (ORGANISING)  
BHARATIYA RAILWAY MAZDOOR SANGH  
& MEMBER OF ACTION COMMITTEE, NCCBS.

19

Dated. 9th July, 1974.  
-----

To  
The Convenor,  
National Co-ordination Committee  
for Railwaymen's Struggle,  
125E, Babar Road,  
New Delhi.  
-----



Dear Comrade,

We shall be glad if you please arrange to send one copy of minutes of the meeting of the N.C.C.R.S. last held on 26th July, 1974 for our information and outlining our tasks in consonance with the spirit of the N.C.C.R.S.

With greetings.

Comradely Yours,

*Rambalak Singh*  
(Rambalak Singh)

General Secretary.  
-----



# South Central Railway Mazdoor Union

(Registered, Recognised & Affiliated to A.I.R.F. & I.M.S.) Hq. Qrs. SECUNDERABAD  
THERE IS NO REAL WEALTH BUT THE LABOUR OF MAN

Service to Humanity is service to God

RLY. BLDG. UBL-600

GADAG ROAD, **HUBLI.**

**V. N. KARMALI**  
Vice-President (Central)

Rly. Phone No. 364

**K. P. SRINIVASAN**

B. A. (HONS) LL. B.

Divisional Secretary



**HUBLI**

DATE 27-7-71

Ref. No. SCRMU/UBL/DN/  
Strike/Condonation.

To  
The Convener, ZCORS/SC  
My dear Comrade Chaitanya,

R: Condonation of Break in Service  
Clarification sought---

I had already sought clarification whether we should advise men facing break in service to give in writing that "THEY REGRET THEIR STRIKE AND ON" as required by the Administration for condonation. Now as men are suffering heavily in this regard and are anxious to give at the earliest, what we should do. Hitherto the Administration had not taken keen interest in the matter. But now they are also interested and urging for.

So advise in what form and subject to what conditions, we can give that undertaking. This is most urgent. Thanking you,

Yours fraternally,

(K.P. Srinivasan.)

Copy to: Shri. George Fernandez CONVENOR  
Convener, ZCORS for information and  
clarification at the earliest please.

# NATIONAL CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR RAILWAY MEN'S STRUGGLE

CHAKRADHARPUR BRANCH, (S. E. RLY.)

No. ....

Date .....

--- 4 ---

Mr. R.N.Sharma of SFMU has denied the very existence of the N.C.C.R.S./Chakradharpur in toto but the divisional branch convenors present in the meeting did not become one with the views expressed by Mr. Sharma.

The N.C.C.R.S./CKP has an absolute entity of its own and as the proverb goes that a tree is know by its fruit, so is the case with the N.C.C.R.S., which is known to all by the part played and being played by it all through.

In short, this is the position. We extend our heartiest invitation to you to come to Chakradharpur in order to see things with your own eyes.

With God speed,

COMRADELY YOURS,

( P. K. DASGUPTA )  
CONVENOR,

N. C. C. R. S./ Chakradharpur.

*Handwritten notes:*  
To Com. George Fernandez, Convenor of the  
Central NCCPS for information. You are  
requested to come along with me to the following  
address: ...  
P. K. Dasgupta  
...



# South Central Railway Mazdoor Union

(Registered, Recognised & Affiliated to A. I. R. I. & H. M. S. D. I. Hd. Qrs. SECUNDERABAD)  
THERE IS NO REAL WEALTH BUT THE LABOUR OF MAN

Service to Humanity is service to God

V. N. KARMALI  
Vice-President (Central)

HUBLI DIVISION

Rly. Bldg. UBL-600  
GADAG ROAD, HUBLI.

Rly. Phone No. 364

K. P. SRINIVASAN  
B. A. (HONS.) LL. B.  
Divisional Secretary

25

HUBLI  
DATE 23-7-74

Ref. No. SCRMU/UBL/DN/Anti-Victimisation Week

To  
The Convener  
ZGCRS/3C

My dear Comrade,

Re: Observance of "ANTIVICTIMISATION WEEK"  
by ZGCRS/UBL

As per the directive from your end and of the ZGCRS, the following programme has been chalked out and is being carried on with full enthusiasm and high morale. Following is the brief report:

1. On 22nd Morning of Monday, before Rly. Workshops a pandal was put up and the Dharana for the whole week commenced with a gate meeting and it was inaugurated by me, the Divisional convener. The object and the programme for the week was explained and impressed by me. The pandal was decorated with cartoons and educative playcards. The response was very good.
2. On the same day at 9.30 A.M. a gate meeting before the Divisional Offices without much pomp/publicity was a good sign and the test for the week's programme was most successful. That meeting was successful in the sense the gate office going people waited upto 10.25 in spite of strict supervision by the supervisory staff etc., The meeting was watched by the Dy. DSP and his force. Still every thing was peaceful.  
In the evening from Workshops a mass rally started and had a demonstration before the Divisional Offices. That was most effective and the Divisional Office morale went up very high. At the public meeting was addressed by Shri Shankar, the General Secretary of the LIC employees Union of DM rwar Unit, and also by me. That Union promised about Rs.700/- relief fund to us. That was thanked.
3. On 23-7-74, it was astonishment for the Divisional Office men that a pandal was erected before the Divisional Offices also over night for the Week's Dharana. Along with the Gate meeting at 9.20 hours, the Dharana was inaugurated by me, the Convener with the welcome address Shri A.S.D'Cruz, the of the AIRSJA. Again in the evening, a mass rally from Workshops and Sines came to Divisional Offices and had a demonstration most effective y. The public meeting in large number was to be addressed by S/S M'Sadananda and V.S.Joshi of F.&T Employees Unions of the NFTE could not be addressed by them as they did not turn up. Therefore, the meeting was addressed by me. The spot collection of relief fund was Rs.60/- and the fund would certainly go up and help the distresses. That was the hope cherished by all. The out come of two days' activity brought relief atleast through: Payment of earned wages and compensation to Castle Rock Shed Substitute. Khelasis and also their earned wages for June'74 that was withheld hitherto. Also the reinstatement of Hubli Loco Shed staff of about 7 men came out. That gave a very good boost when a word was sent to me to announce the in the meeting.

Copy to  
R. G. G. G. G. G.  
Convener ZGCRS  
For information of



# NATIONAL CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR RAILWAY MEN'S STRUGGLE

01

CHAKRADHARPUR BRANCH, (S. E. RLY.)

No. NCCRS/CKP/PSS

Date 24.7.1974.

To

Shri N.C.Roy Chudhury,  
Zonal Convenor,  
National Co-ordination Committee,  
for Railway Men's Struggle,  
South Eastern Railway, Kharida,  
K H A R A G P U R.



Dear Comrade,

Reg : Formation & function of the  
N.C.C.R.S./Chakradharpur.

Consequent upon the formation of the N.C.C.R.S. at Delhi with the representatives of various categorical organisations and recognised Trade Unions, the Zonal Railways have their N.C.C.R.S. with branches scattered all over the important places formed on the same line and purpose that you are well aware of.

At Chakradharpur, the N.C.C.R.S. was formed at the call of the South Eastern Railway Men's Union on 30-3-74 and in accordance with the unanimous decision, the Secretary of the union and the Secretary of the A.I.L.R.S.A/CKP were selected as joint convenors of the N.C.C.R.S./CKP. You were informed of this by the Secretary, R.M.S.C./Chakradharpur at a meeting of the Zonal N.C.C.R.S. held on 31-3-1974.

Subsequently, the constituents of the N.C.C.R.S./Chakradharpur were taken a-back for the inactive role played by the Convenor from union side. We waited for a couple of days watching the performance of the union and when we were rest assured that there was certainly something which barred his activities as one of the convenors, a letter was sent to him signed by all the constituents of the N.C.C.R.S./CKP for keeping us informed as to why he remained himself aloof from the main stream of the N.C.C.R.S./Chakradharpur and simultaneously, he was requested to send the minutes of the meeting held on 30-3-74 to the respective parties. This was also made known to him if there had been no reply received from him within a weeks' time, all the categorical organisations would act accordingly and future programme would be chalked within the frame work of the N.C.C.R.S./Chakradharpur.

What a painfull game I No reply received from the union. It is indeed a definite shock to the working class unity which one could never think of or dream of it even.

One thing worth mentioning here that we never receive any directives from the appropriate body of the N.C.C.R.S. but some how or other, we manage to get and act in obedience to the directive.

p. t. o.

considered  
in a copy  
in office  
3/7/74

# NATIONAL CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR RAILWAY MEN'S STRUGGLE

CHAKRADHARPUR BRANCH, (S. E. RLY.)

No. ....

Date .....

--- 2 ---

The 'Demands Week' from the 2nd. of April '74 to the 8th. of April '74 was observed in full splendour of the Central directive of the N.C.C.R.S. and a massive demonstration in favour of the Railway Men's demands was led as well quite in violation of Sec. 144 but the astonishing part of it, was the absence of the S.E.P.M.U. from the common run of the demonstration.

On 23rd. of April '74, the position of the N.C.C.R.S./CKP was clarified to you vividly and we were given the understanding that you would come to CKP on 26-4-1974 and set the matters at right but you did not come.

The N.C.C.R.S./CKP was, however, not the least disheartened with disruptive attitude of the union but it carried out the concerted action before the strike in the form of group meetings, floor meetings and door to door campaign in order to convince and impress the Rly. Men upon the utility of our united struggle. Pamphlets, wall writings and posterings were also distributed and displayed for the impending struggle. The union was merely spectator.

On the 3rd. May '74, one of us while on duty was arrested and a fitting reply to this unjust and undemocratic action of the administration was given in great tumult of all by a momentary cessation of office works with a demonstration before the DS/the DPO. Sri Indrajit Gupta, who happened to be passing via CKP, was brought from the train, who delivered his views in short speech in the office campus, and asked us to get prepared for the 8th. of May '74.

On the 7th. of May '74, another attempt was made to arrest one of the comrades from inside the office room but it failed on account of our collective resistance.

Then came the memorable day i.e. 8th. of May '74, a day of days in the history of Rly. Men of India. Victimization in all forms and shapes started. It continued for full 20 days. The Strike was called off but we find, arrests, dismissed, reversion and transfer cases are in large numbers.

The total No. of arrests at CKP	.....	60
" " dismissed staff	.....	55
" " reverted staff	.....	6
" " transferred	.....	5

p. t. o.

# NATIONAL CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR RAILWAY MEN'S STRUGGLE

CHAKRADHARPUR BRANCH, (S. E. RLY.)

No. ....

Date .....

... 3 ...

Arrangements were made by the SERMU for release of only 2 on bail out of total 60 in jail. Sarbashri, M.K.Das and Hasimuddin were released. The union officials fail to feel what would become of the rest in jail. The N.C.C.R.S./CKP was fully conscious of their duties and made all arrangements for bringing the comrades in jail out to the fresh open air under the canopy of the morning sky. They were made free and were at liberty to move at will.

Alas ! such is the roll of the union.

However, the N.C.C.R.S. at CKP is working in full swing. According to the decision of the Central N.C.C.R.S.-Delhi, financial relief to the victimised comrades is being given by the category concerned and the legal fund has been centralised for which committees have already been formed.

In defiance of Sec.144 anti-victimisation day was observed on 18-6-74 by the N.C.C.R.S./CKP and a memorandum was handed over to the Divisional Superintendent-South Eastern Railway., Chakradharpur.

The Railway Ministerial staff council until 6-7-1974, worked as an acting Convenor in place of the Convenor from LRSA side, who expressed his inability to remain as a Convenor due to some unavoidable reasons.

At last in a meeting of the constituents of the N.C.C.R.S./CKP held on 9-7-1974, Shri P.K.Dasgupta of R.M.S.C./Chakradharpur has been elected as a permanent convenor for the N.C.C.R.S./Chakradharpur.

A meeting of all the convenors of various places of CKP division was held on 21-7-74, where SERMU was also invited. The purpose of the meeting was to find out ways and means to fight against the victimised cases unitedly and to take effective steps for implementation of the programmes to be observed during the protest week from 22nd.of July'74 to 28th.of July'74. A divisional rally, meetings and submission of a memorandum on 26-7-74 are amongst the various programmes of the week. All the convenors are one with the novel idea and agreed to come and assemble at Chakradharpur with their men on the appointed day.

p. t. o.

SOUTH EASTERN RAILWAY  
WORKSHOP STAFF COMMITTEE

KHARAGPUR • ESTD 1973



SECRETARY/PRESIDENT

Ref. No. .... Date 30/7/74 Dated ..... 197

To

Comrade George Fernandez,  
Convenor, N.C.C.R.S.,  
New Delhi.

Dear Comrade,

A meeting of the Participant Units of the local NCCRS was held in the Union Buildings, Kharida, Kharagpur on 21.7.74.

Item 2 of the agenda - "Collection of relief and legal aid fund" was taken up for discussion on 22.7.74 in the adjourned meeting of the NCCRS, Comrade convenor placed a proposal that collection should be made in the name of NCCRS only and requested to the Participant Units to stop their individual collection at least for one month i.e. August 1974.

In this meeting a joint proposal duly signed by representatives of the following participant units for launching joint collection drive was also submitted for consideration:-

- i) Workshop Staff Committee
- ii) Electrical Staff Council ( W/S )
- iii) Electrical Staff Council ( Open line )
- iv) Ministerial Staff Council
- v) Loco Running Staff Association.

All the members agreed for joint collection drive

but could not agree to stop their individual collection as proposed by the convenor. And as this proposal of the convenor was not acceptable it was withdrawn by him and the item 2 of the agenda dropped.

The participant Units at Kharagpur desire to have the actual position and decision of the Central NCCRS in this regard particularly on the point that for joint collection of fund for functioning of the NCCRS individual collection of the participant units are to be stopped.

A copy of the agenda, proposal of the convenor as recorded in the minutes of the meeting of 21.7.74 and the proposal moved by the Participant Units moved in the meeting of the local NCCRS are enclosed for your information.

Yours Comradely,

*[Handwritten signature]*

Copy forwarded to :-

Comrade Samar Mukherjee M.P. & Member NCCRS

Comrade Nrisingha Chakravorty , Member, NCCRS

Comrade N.C.Roy Choudhury, Convenor Zonal NCCRS  
for their information.

# EASTERN RAILWAY WORKERS' UNION

REGD NO. 1672  
( Affiliated to A I. T. U. C. )

President : J. M. Biswas  
Genl. Secretary : Rambalak Singh

144, Lenin Sarani,  
CALCUTTA-13  
Phone : 24-9768

(26)

Ref. No. ....

Date 12th August, '74.

To  
The Secretary,  
National Co-ordination Committee  
for Railwaysmen's Struggle,  
122-B, Laxmi Road,  
New Delhi.

Dear Comrade

Sub:- Convention of the ICRWS  
to be held on 26.8.74.

We have not received any notice of the  
convention of the ICRWS to be held on 26th  
August, 1974 in Delhi. Please send us a notice  
immediately for our guidance.

Yours Comradely,

*Redas*

for General Secretary

Copy to :

The General Secretary,  
Indian Railway Workers'  
Federation,  
24, Canning Lane,  
New Delhi.- 1.

for information and  
necessary action please.





# जिला ट्रेड यूनियन काउन्सिल

मुरादाबाद

(27)

(केन्द्रीय, राज्य एवं निगम तथा स्थानीय उद्योग कर्मचारियों की संयुक्त संस्था)

Date .....

NEW DELHI

कार्यालय

साऊथ हैलट रोड, मुस्ताक मंजिल

मुरादाबाद

24 th August 1974.

The Convenor,  
National Convention of Working People,  
Preparatory Committee against Wage Freeze,  
125<sup>th</sup> Babar Road,  
New Delhi.

Dear Comrade,

We are pleased to inform you that atleast 5 representative of Distt. Trade Union Council comprising of all Trade Unions in the City shall take part in National Convention of Working Peoples against Wage freeze scheduled to take place on 28.8.74.

With warm greetings,

Yours faithfully,

President

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE  
( EASTERN RAILWAY )

DIMAL DEY  
CONVENER

23/24 STRAND ROAD  
CALCUTTA-700001  
ERMU'S CENTRAL OFFICE

No. PS/NCCRS/74.

Dated - 11. 10. 74.

TO

ALL CONSTITUENT ORGANISATION OF THE  
N.C.C.R.S. (E.RLY.)

All Local Units of the NCCRS (E.Rly.)

28

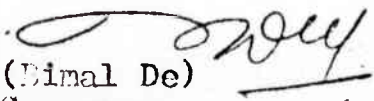
Dear Comrades,

Re: Decisions of the Zonal Committee of  
the N.C.C.R.S. (E.Rly.)

The decisions of the Zonal Committee of the NCCRS (E.Rly.) as arrived at a meeting held on 9-10-74 are circulated herewith for your information and guidance:-

It is expected that you will let me know your organisational decision about the form and nature of the future movement and struggle as indicated in the ultimate decision in the minutes (Reso.5) by 18-11-74 for consideration of the Zonal Committee.

Yours comradely,

  
(Dimal De)  
Convener.

Minutes of the meeting of the Zonal Committee of the  
NCCRS (E.Rly) held at 10, Hastings street at 17/hrs.  
on 9-10-74.

\*\*\* -----

Names of the members of the Zonal Committee attended:-

- |                          |   |                           |
|--------------------------|---|---------------------------|
| 1. Sri Dilip Mukherjee   | - | MTP Rly. Men's Union.     |
| 2. " Gouranga Mandy      | - | LAC, Liliuah              |
| 3. " N.P. Chatterjee     | - | MTP Rly. men's Union      |
| 4. " Sital Prosad        | - | TRD Workers' Association. |
| 5. " E.C. Chowdhury      | - | EDPSA                     |
| 6. " E.G. Ghosh          | - | J.C.A/Sealdah             |
| 7. " Sunit Roy           | - | E.R.M.U.                  |
| 8. " D.C. Sanyal         | - | P.R.K.S.                  |
| 9. " R.K. Das Gupta      | - | AISMA                     |
| 10. " Subhendu Mukherjee | - | E.R.M.C.C./KPA            |
| 11. " J.P. Banerjee      | - | I.R.T.S.A.                |
| 12. " P.C. Chowdhury     | - | L.R.T.S.A.                |
| 13. " T.N. Gupta         | - | A.I.R.C.C.A.              |
| 14. " N.C. Majumdar      | - | AIRMSA.                   |

The meeting commenced at 18/hrs.

1. Minutes of the last meeting held on 1-9-74 as regards  
(a) letter of Sri Dilip Mukherjee was discussed and it was agreed to correct the spirit of Sri Mukherjee's intention as under :-

"The correction is that Sri Dilip Mukherjee did not insist on preparing appeal he insisted on discussion of the matter. So after the word Zonal Committee "insisted on discussion of the matter as many staff were insisting on appeals for condonation etc."

contd.



With this connection the minutes was ratified.

- (b) Letter of Convener Jhajha was discussed and Sri D.C.Sanyal and Sri Dilip Mukherjee were entrusted to visit Jhajha and enquire and settle the dispute and represent to the Zonal committee for further action if required.
- (c) On a proposal from one Sri V.S.Kulkarni and other from Asansol for issuance of a bulletin from NCCRS it was decided that a bulletin in Bengali and Hindi will be published for NCCRS monthly and the Units will be asked about their requirement. A Sub-Committee is formed with Sarvasri (1) Ranjit Das Gupta, (2) Dilip Mukherjee, (3) A.C. Sarker, (4) D.C.Sanyal (5) D.R. Adhikary with Dilip Mukherjee as convener for the Bulletin.

Office of the Bulletin Sub-Committee will be situated at 10, Hastings Street in P.R.K.S. Office.

For Hindi bulletin if MGS takes the responsibility liaso will be maintained and it will be published from MGS. Sri S.A.Haque Jt. Convener/MGS present in the meetin; was requested to asses the probability of Hindi Bulletin being issued from MGS and to let the zonal convener know.

2. (a) It was decided that in the second appeal which was circulated earlier the following may be added if insisted by the administration. "In supersession of my previous appeal."
- (b) It was decided to submit review petitions. Before submission of the review petition, the local convener of NCCRS should consult the zonal convener and/or convener legal aid sub-committee about the form to be used.

3. The minutes of the legal aid sub-committee held on 5.10.74 were approved.

4. Total fund :- 12,420.00  
Expense:- ~~7,227.00~~  
5093.00 4500.00  
Less- 800.00 (Printing charges of Coupons etc.)  
4,293.00  
3,250.00  
1,043.00

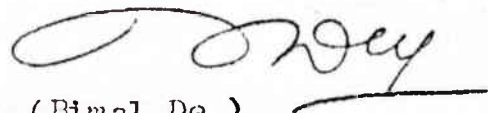
It was decided that the following Units be given the following amounts for relief to the Casual labours. (NH.II(unit) was sanctioned for KPA Casual labour only).

HWI	500/-
NH.I	250/-
NH.II	500/- for KPA CPL
DKD	250/-
BWI	500/-
MGS	500/-
Kiul	250/-
GYA	500/-
	<u>3250/-</u>

5. The Zonal Committee discussed and reviewed the organisational conditions of the different constituent units vis-a-vis the NCCRS, attitude and the retaliative measures adopted by the Rly. administration, the vindictive attitude of some of the Heads of Departments and the local authorities and also probability of furthering the struggling-potentialities of the Rly. workers to counteract the design of the

the Govt. of India and the Railway Administration in thwarting the trade union activities in the Railways by reducing the workers to mere wage slaves, and the Committee decides that there shall be a well thought programme to regain momentum in the trade union activities. The Committee also takes into account the complacencies inertia prevailing the different participating Units of N.C.C.R.S. in executing and materialising the centralised programme and also to implement the decisions of the Zonal Committee in its letters and spirit.

Keeping the above factors in view the Zonal Committee, in order to have a proper assessment of possibility of having an extensive and intensive struggle in very near future, requests all the participant organisations of the NCCRS(E.Rly.) to hold the meeting of their decision making bodies and inform the Zonal Committee to counteract and withstand the onslaughts on the Railway workers by the administration. This decision of different organisations should invariably be sent by 18.11.74. But in the meantime local programmes in the form of demonstration, squatting, procession etc. should continue in order to create appropriate pressure on the authorities, both severally and jointly, reports of which should be sent to convener Zonal Committee.

  
(Bimal De)  
Convener.

-0-0-0-0-0-

EASTERN RAILWAYMEN'S UNION,  
23/24, Strand Road,  
Calcutta-1.

No. 0/1.

Dated - 12. 10. 74.

To

All Branch Secretaries,  
Eastern Rly. Men's Union,

(Copy to : All Central Office Bearers)

Due to the ensuing Durga Puja Holidays, The Central Office will remain closed from 20-10-74 to 27-10-74. and re-open on 28. 10. 1974.

  
GENERAL SECRETARY

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE  
(EASTERN RAILWAY)

BIMAL DEY  
CONVENER

35/34 STRAND ROAD,  
CALCUTTA-700001  
ERMU'S CENTRAL OFFICE

No. PB/NCCRS/74 (Bulletin)

Dated - 11. 10. 1974.

ALL CONVENER, Local Committees of the NCCRS (E.Rly.).

Copy to all Participant Organisations of the NCCRS (E.Rly.)

Dear Comrade,

Re : Bulletin (Monthly).


....

It has been decided to issue a monthly Bulletin from the Zonal Committee of the N.C.S.R.S. (E.Rly.) in Hindi and Bengali languages. The Bulletin will contain all upto date informations, organisational problems, over-duties and responsibilities.

It will therefore be appreciated if you kindly indicate how many copies of such Bulletins you require to be distributed in your area. The probable price of the Bulletin will be 25 paise per copy.

Kindly treat this as urgent.

Yours comradely,

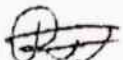
  
(BIMAL DEY)  
CONVENER.

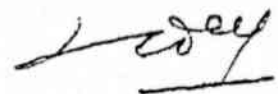
N.B.

Lat figure of Reinstatement as on 11-10-74  
= 1456.

Rejection 547.

out of total permanent 2572.



  
11/10

# Joint Council of Trade Unions

DIBRUGARH DISTRICT COMMITTEE

DIBRUGARH.

C/O. UNITED COMMERCIAL BANK,  
DIBRUGARH BRANCH.

Ref. No. \_\_\_\_\_

Date : 14/10/74.

To  
Com. George Fernandes



Dear Comrade,

A convention on Wage Freeze and High Price etc. is being held at Tinsukia, Assam on 16th & 17th November '74. The convention is being organised by Joint Council of Trade Unions and Representative Unions of Central, State Govt., Tea, Oil, Fertilizer, Bank, Insurance & other Industrial Workers will participate.

The preparatory Committee requests you to kindly attend the conference as delegate.

Your acceptance of the invitation may kindly be communicated at the earliest.

With Greetings,

Yours Comradely,

Joseph Kumar Singh  
Convenor

N.B. Tinsukia is Communicated by Air and Rail from Calcutta & Delhi ( Air Port - MOHANBARI ).



# एन. ई. रेलवे मजदूर यूनियन (NERMU)

(द्वारा यूनियन ऐक्ट के अन्तर्गत संघीयता, आम इन्डिया रेलवेमैन्य फेडरेशन एवं हिन्दू मजदूर  
समाज से सम्बद्ध तथा एन. ई. रेलवे प्रशासन द्वारा मायाना प्राप्त )

सदस्य-नेशनल सेवटी कार्पोरेशन

सदस्य-जलसाधन विभाग

महामंत्री-कटहैया जलान मुफ्त

केन्द्रीय कार्यालय

गोरखपुर

पत्र सं. NERMU/Reg. 17.

दिनांक 21.6.74

The President,  
All India Railwaymen's Federation,  
New Delhi.

Respected Sir,

This is to inform you that Shri K.L. Gupta, General Secretary of the union will not be able to attend the meeting of NERMU and Action Committee as he is still in Jail under Maintenance of Internal Security Act. The absence may, therefore, kindly be excused.

With regards,

Yours friendly,

*Amit*  
General Secretary.

*[Handwritten signature]*

Dear Lou. Joerge.

Mr. R. B. Soni, Fireman  
C, Mr. Gaya Pd., Cleaner  
Bansali Pitter Khalasi Loco  
Sheet Kampan have been  
arrested on false charges.  
of Tress Pass. ~~and~~ under  
Crime No. 245 U/S 121/120 RAct  
After arrest of Mr. Tandon  
Local Convener this is  
second chance. Administration  
is again trying to vacate  
quarters.

N. P. Lalun

Copy to Mr. Laxmi Member. NCCRS  
M.S., NCCRS. (local)  
Secy. Secy  
N. R. M. U.

# ALL INDIA LOCO RUNNING STAFF ASSOCIATION

REGD. No. 38/NAT.

N. E. RLY, DARBHANGA BRANCH



Ref. No. \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Comrade.

Well and hoping you to be the same. The removed staff are not allowed on duty in spite of assurance given by the Rail minister in parliament. We have got no any correct information whether the government is going to withdraw cases of victimisation or not! You are requested to send some informations for the satisfaction of the workers.

Hoping my best.

Yours Comradely.

B. S. Yadav

Secretary.

A. J. L. R. S. A. Darbhanga.  
N. E. RLY.

At: loco shed - Darbhanga.

36

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE  
FOR  
RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE

---

George Fernandes,  
Convener.

125/E, Babar Road,  
New Delhi.

NCCRS/1/74

October 3, 1974.

Dear Com. Yadav,

I have your letter of 21st September, 1974. The Government is still behaving in a cruel fashion with the railwaymen. Our reply will have to be equally tough. I do not believe that we can secure justice from the position of weakness. We are dealing with a government that belongs to the exploiting classes. They will try their best to suppress us.

Enclosed are a couple of documents which will give you an idea of the situation.

With greetings,

Encl: as above.

Yours fraternally,

Shri B. D. Yadav,  
Secretary,  
A. I. L. R. S. A.,  
Loco Shed, Darbhanga (N. E. Rly.)

  
George Fernandes



31

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE  
FOR  
RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE

George Fernandes,  
Convener.

125/E, Babar Road,  
New Delhi.

NCCRS/1/74

October 3, 1974.

Dear Com. Yadav,

I have your letter of 21st September, 1974. The Government is still behaving in a cruel fashion with the railwaymen. Our reply will have to be equally tough. I do not believe that we can secure justice from ~~the~~ <sup>a</sup> position of weakness. We are dealing with a government that belongs to the exploiting classes. They will try their best to suppress us.

Enclosed are a couple of documents which will give you an idea of the situation.

With greetings,

Encl: as above.

Yours fraternally,

Shri B. D. Yadav,  
Secretary,  
A.I.L.R.S.A.,  
Loco Shed, Darbhanga (N.E. Rly.)

  
George Fernandes

# All India Loco Running Staff Association

North Eastern Railway



Regd No 38/NAT.

Ref No. ALLRSA/CEC/Decision

31.10.1974.

Date

Discussion with you on 8.8.74 in your office at GKP.

From:-

Ranji Ojha,  
Working President  
AILRSA/NER

To

Com.K.L. Gupta,  
General Secy.,  
N.E.Rly, Mazdoor Union (AIRF)

Sub:- To have one NCCRS over N.E. Rly.

Dear Com.

Under the banner of NCCRS historical struggle of the Rlymen took place, through which we could be able to unite a large number of fighting Rlymen as well as working class of the country. During this struggle we also could be able to get solidarity of the working people of other country specially from Japan. In one side the working class of the country uniting themselves to fight out the anti-labour policy, wage freeze policy of the Govt. after successfully fight of Rlymen under the banner of NCCRS and in otherside the Govt. is bent upon to break this unity as well as NCCRS through which entire working class are being united. And it is the matter of sorrow that even at this stage two NCCRS at Zonal level are being maintained, which has become the cause of confusion in the mind of Rly workers and hampering the unity of Rlymen, which may help the Govt. to crush the working class movement.

This matter is discussed in ~~our~~ our CEC held on 5/6.8.74 at Mailani seriously and resolved following:-

- A. Com. Narsigam <sup>F</sup> resident, Com. Ranji Ojha Working President and com. B.D. Kumar Gen. Secy. ALLRSA/N.E.R. will try to bring both the NCCRS on one platform through means of negotiation with both convenor of NCCRS and asked the convenor Com. K.L.Gupta to call a zonal meeting of NCCRS in which ATTUC with other partners to be called to discuss the matter, so that one NCCRS could be brought over N.E. Rly.
- B. If Com. K.L. Gupta fails to call the meeting and take effort to unite both the NCCRS, LRSA will take initiative ~~xxxxxxx~~ -active to call all organisation working over N.E.Rly to discuss and find out the way to have one N.C.C.R.S.

Contd....2

38

# All India Loco Running Staff Association

~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~

North Eastern Railway



~~XXXXXXXX~~

Regd No 38/NAT.

Ref No.

- 2 -

Date

Accordingly we met you on 8.8.74 in your office at GIP and you assured to call the meeting of all the organisation working over N.E.Rly on 23.8.74 which was differed by you, and uptil now no such meeting is arranged.

Therefore, I request <sup>with</sup> you to arrange such meeting within 15 days otherwise, I shall have to comply with the decision of ~~CCF~~/LRSA to bring the unity of the Rlymen so that we may able to achieve our goal.

I hope that appropriate action be taken.

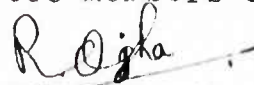
Your's comradly,

Sd/-

(RAMJI OJHA)  
WORKING PRESIDENT  
LRSA  
N.E.ZONE.

Copy to:-

Gen. Secretary, AIRF, Convenor, NCCRS, New Delhi.  
Com. S.K. Dhar, Com. Parvati Krishnan, All Organisation  
Working over N.E. Rly and action committee members of NCCRS.

  
RAMJI OJHA  
WORKING PRESIDENT  
LRSA  
N.E.ZONE

(11)

George Fernandes,  
Convener.

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE  
FOR  
RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE

125/E, Babar Road, New Delhi.

NCCRS/1/74

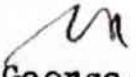
November 12, 1974.

Dear Com. Ojha,

Your letter, dated 31st October, 1974  
to Com. Gupta, copy endorsed to me, reached me  
today. I am taking up the matter with Com. Gupta.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,

  
George Fernandes

Shri Ranji Ojha,  
Working President,  
All India Loco Running Staff  
Association,  
North Eastern Railway,  
Loco shed.

Garhara  
Via Baruni  
(Bihar)

~~Ramachandran~~ / 774  
AIRP

(43)

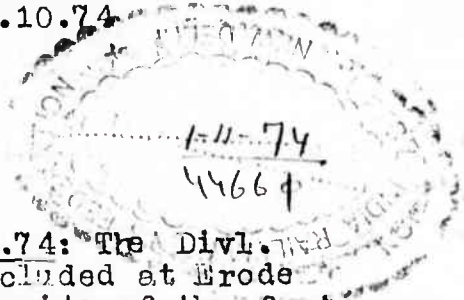
NATIONAL CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE,  
Olavakkot Divn.

20, Old Railway colony,  
Olavakkot, Palghat-2  
Dated: 28.10.74

Circular No.13

To: All members of Divl.NCCRS &  
All Branch convenors.

Dear comrades,



21

(1) Divl. Convention at Erode on 27.10.74: The Divl. convention of the NCCRS/Olavakkot Divn. has concluded at Erode on 27.10.74 and it has been a grand success, inspite of the fact that this was arranged at short notice. The date was finally fixed only on 25.10.74 and advised to the branches through circular No.12 and there was not sufficient time to mobilise workers from all the NCCRS units of the Divid on. However, volunteers in large numbers attended the convention from Erode, Pedanur, Salem, Tirupathur. Volunteers from Karur, Coimbatore, Mettupalayam, Coonoor, Olavakkot, Shoranur, Trichur and Ernakulam also participated and made the convention a success and we congratulate the workers for having attended the convention at short notice. This will definitely show to the Railway administration the strength and spirit behind the NCCRS and they will have to stop their tactics to create disunity in the ranks of NCCRS. Representatives of 10 organisations, viz., SRMU, DREU, SRLU, RRFU, AIRRSA, AISMA, AIRCCA, IRSESA, IRTCSA and Guards' council participated and expressed solidarity.

Com.V.A.Chandy, M.A., Chairman of the Reception committee, gave the welcome address and a presidium of Coms.K.Janardhana Menon, P.V.Ramadas and P.Ramachandran Nair conducted the deliberations. Com.G.Ramachandran, President/SRMU & vice-president/AIRP, inaugurated the convention. Com.Paul David Sam of AIRRSA, S.P. Viswanathan of AIRCCA, T.N.Venkiteswaran of AISMA, Rajanayagam of RRFU and a few others addressed the convention. Besides the two main resolutions on post-strike situation and wage-freeze, the following resolution was also adopted:

"This convention condemns the action of the APWI/TUP, Sri T. Gurusamy, Secretary/SRMS/TUP, and his trolley-men, in assaulting Com.K.Balakrishnan Nair, SM/CV, while coming out after attending a D.R enquiry as defence helper, at Tiruppur, on 2.10.74, and requests the Divisional authorities to take necessary action against the culprits and ~~ensure~~ thus avoid further incidents on that score."

With the vote of thanks by Com.M.Ponnappan, the convention came to a close at 6 p.m. The convention was followed by a huge procession from Railway colony to the public meeting place. Coms.G.Ramachandran/SRMU, V.Parameswaran/DREU, M.Rathinabhapathy/AIRRSA and G.A.Khader/RRFU addressed the public meeting.

Fraternally yours,  
*Ramdas*  
Convenors.

Copy to: Convenor/NCCRS/SZ

continue to contribute the maximum to the Railwaymen's Relief Fund till the last victimised worker is back in service.

6) The Convention calls upon the Railway administration, in the interest of restoring normalcy in Railways, to end the state of confrontation with the Railwaymen and concede the following demands before 14.11.74, i.e., the birthday of late Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru:

- 1) Reinstate all dismissed, removed, terminated and suspended Railway employees;
- 2) Restore the reverted employees to their original position;
- 3) Re-transfer all employees back to their original stations;
- 4) Allow all employees who were super-annuated at the age of 55 years to continue in service till 58 years;
- 5) Arrange to withdraw all cases charged against Railwaymen, pending in the courts;
- 6) Withdraw all favours awarded to the so-called "loyal" workers;
- 7) Resume negotiations with the NCCRS on the six-point charter of demands.

7) In order to achieve the above demands, the convention suggests the following method of action:

- 1) Endorses the decision of the NCCRS Divl. committee to conduct Mass Hunger Satyagraha in front of Divl. office/Olavakkot, on 11.11.74 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. by the members of the Divl. NCCRS and the branch conveners, in order to focus the attention of the Railway administration on the urgency of reinstatement of temporary employees numbering about 1000.
- 2) to conduct Hunger Satyagraha at all Branch centres on 18.11.74 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. by the members of the Branch NCCRS.
- 3) to observe Work-to-Rule from 20.12.74 for a period of one month if the victimised workers are not taken back. In the event of no response from the Railway administration even after one month of Work to Rule, the Railwaymen will be free to resort to any other direct action which will force the administration to concede our demands.
- 4) to conduct Mass Contact Week from 11.11.74 to 17.11.74 in all branches, in order to educate the workers and prepare the workers for the agitational programmes such as work-to-rule etc. Public meetings and demonstrations may be arranged at branch level during this week, mobilising maximum number of workers, which should be a show of strength and unity of the working class.

Wage Freeze: During the past 3 years, the Central and State Govts. were planning to introduce freezing of wage & DA increase of the workers and they had made no secret of it. This move was stalled by the stiff resistance from the organised working class. Having crushed the Rly. strike in May '74, the Govt. felt emboldened to introduce wage freeze. With their brute majority in parliament, the government was able to pass this black act called "Additional Emoluments (Compulsory deposit) Act."

This Act not only freezes further rise in DA and pay but also erodes and cuts the real wage. The argument of the Govt. that it is intended to prevent inflation is untenable, as wage freeze rise has nothing to do with price rise, to control which the govt. have taken no action so far. The govt. themselves have raised the prices of many essential commodities. Even after wage freeze was given effect to, prices have soared to new heights.

The convention resolves to join with the entire working class of this country to fight against this black act.

(5)

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE  
FOR  
RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE

George Fernandes,  
Convener.

125/E, Babar Road, New Delhi.

NCCRS/1/74

November 12, 1974.

Dear Comrade,

I have your circular No. 13, dated 23th October, 1974, and the copy of the resolution. Please accept my congratulations on your successful convention. I would like to make one point because of the recent reports that have come from various railways. We should emphasise to all our units that the NCCRS is not a substitute to a trade union. It is a united platform of all the railwaymen's Unions. Its strength will depend on the strength of the participating units. Therefore, strengthening of the NCCRS, in effect, means that the participating units remain strong. I would like your emphasising this point to all the comrades.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,



George Fernandes

The Convener,  
National Coordination Committee for  
Railwaymen's Struggle,  
Olavakkot Division,  
20, Old Railway Colony,  
Olavakkot,  
Palghat-2.

(45)

**NATIONAL CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR RLY.MEN'S STRUGGLE**  
**N.F. Rly — DIBRUGARH.**

No.NCCRS/DBRT/5 of 1974.

Dated, Dibrugarh, the 28th Oct'74.


Sub: Resolution on the proposal<sup>ed</sup> strike of  
the workers of the Fertiliser Corpe-  
ration of India under the banner of  
Namrup Fertiliser Workers' Union,  
Parbatpur, Dibrugarh on 7-11-1974.

In an extended Committee meeting of the NCCRS, Dibrugarh Branch held in 28th October, 1974 the matter of proposed strike of the F.C.I. Workers was discussed at length and following resolution was passed unanimously :-

"The Railwaymen of the area supported fully the demands of the F.C.I. Workers regarding revision of their pay-structure etc. and urges upon the F.C.I. Authority to arrive at a peaceful settlement with the workers conceding to their rightful claim so that a confrontation can be avoided. In case a struggle becomes inevitable, the Railway workers under the banner of NCCRS will surely stand by fighting F.C.I. workers in all adds"

( N. K. BHATTACHARJEE )  
Convener,  
N.C.C.R.S./Dibrugarh

- Copy forwarded to:
- 1) General Manager, Fertiliser Corporation of India, Namrup, Dibrugarh, Assam for information and necessary action please
  - 2) Secretary, Namrup Fertiliser Workers' Union, P.O. Parbatpur, Dt. Dibrugarh, Assam.
  - 3) Convener, N.C.C.R.S., New Delhi.
  - 4) Convener, J.C.T.U., Dibrugarh.

  
( N. K. BHATTACHARJEE )  
Convener,  
N.C.C.R.S./Dibrugarh



(1)

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE  
FOR  
RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE

George Fernandes,  
Convener

125/E, Bazar Road, New Delhi.

NCCRS/1/74

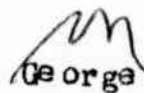
November 12, 1974.

Dear Col. Bhattacharjee,

I have the copy of your resolution on the demands of the RCI workers. I am glad at your initiative.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,

  
George Fernandes

Shri N.K. Bhattacharjee,  
Convener,  
National Coordination Committee  
for Railwaymen's Struggle,  
Dibrugarh (Assam).

President-  
12/11/74

(47)

44657  
12/11/74

To  
The Divisional Superintendent,  
Northeast Frontier Railway,  
LUMDING.

Sir,

Sub:- Reminder for settlement of compensation arising out of illegal eviction.

...

Kindly refer to my application dated 5.9.74 to which your reply is still awaited. Further I like to draw your kind and keen attention to the above mention matter for early disposal. Already I have justified in my previous application that the eviction done by you with the help of police at Ors.No.598(C) Accounts colony on 28.5.74 and many articles were lost and damaged thereby are totally illegal motivated and vindictive. Due to such illegal proceeding, I have claimed for compensation for Rs.5005/- (approx) on 5.9.74.

I hope, you will be kind enough to look into the case and to settle up my claim as early as possible by which I may be obliged on your goodself.

Dated, Luming.

The 7th Nov /74.

ADDRESS.

Sri K.K.Dhar,  
C/O. P.Mazumder,  
Ors.No.L-335, Brick Field  
P.O. Luming, Assam.

Yours faithfully,

*Kiran Kumar Dhar*

( Kiran Kumar Dhar )  
SH, DAO/LMG's office,

Copy forwarded for necessary information and action to:-  
(1) The General Manager, N.F.Rly. Gauhati-11. (2) Sri G.Fernandiz, Convenor, N.C.C.R.S., New-Delhi. (3) Sri Samar Mukherjee, member action committee/N.C.C.R.S., New Delhi.

48

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE  
FOR  
RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE

George Fernandes,  
Convener.

125/E, Babar Road, New Delhi.

NCCRS/1/74

November 12, 1974.

Dear Com. Dhar,

This refers to the copy of your letter,  
dated 7th November, 1974, addressed to the Divl.  
Supdt., Lumding. I am attending to the matter.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,

  
George Fernandes

Shri Kiran Kumar Dhar,  
C/o. Shri P. Mazumdar,  
Gr. No. L-335, Brick Field,  
P.O. Lumding, Assam.

(10)

A (1)

NATIONAL CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR RLY MEN'S STRUGGLE  
EASTERN RAILWAY

RAMPURHAT UNIT,  
Po:- RAMPURHAT  
Dist:- BIRBHUM( W.BENGAL  
dated 26th October 74

A.K. CHAKRABORTY,  
Convener

To Com,  
George Fernandes, Convener  
National Co-Ordination Committee For Railwamens Struggle  
125/B Babar Road, New Delhi.

Dear Comrade,

I personally and on behalf of the  
Executives of this Unit extend warmest Vijaya Greetings  
to you and to your associates.

Assuring you our best and selfless  
services all the time.

with regards,

Yours Comradely,



Convener

National Co-Ordination Committee  
For Rly. Men's struggle  
RAMPURHAT.

12/11/74  
12/11/74  
11/11

Letters  
31/11/77

5

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE  
FOR  
RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE

George Fernandes,  
President.

125/E, Babar Road, New Delhi.

NCCRS/1/74

November 12, 1974.

Dear Com. Chakraborty,

Many thanks for the Vijaya Greetings.  
I reciprocate the same and wish you and the  
members of the executive of your unit all  
success in your endeavours.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,

  
George Fernandes

Shri A.K. Chakraborty,  
Convener,  
National Coordination Committee  
for Railwaymen's Struggle,  
P.O. Rampurhat,  
Distt. Birbhum (W. Bengal)

Assam State

Central Bank of India Employees Association

( Affiliated to All India Central Bank Employees Federation )

Regd No.—520

Ref. ....

GAUHATI 8-10-74 19

To  
Com. George Fernandes.

Convener, NCCRS,

Delhi


Dear Sir,

We have planned to publish a Souvenir on the occasion of Working Committee Meeting of A.I.C.B.E.F. at Gauhati. The meeting as scheduled, is going to be held in the later part of this year. We shall be thankful if you kindly send us a message for the occasion.

The message may please be sent to us latest by 31-10-74.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,

  
( S.N. DUTTA )  
JOINT SECRETARY  
RECEPTION COMMITTEE  
A.I.C.B.E.F.

AKD

(81)

Address: 2007

City: Burlington.

STATE OF CONNECTICUT COMMISSIONER OF LABOR RELATIONS

196-1, Labor Hood,  
New York-1

1971/1/12

October 13, 1971.

Dear Sirs,

I have your letter on the National Convention of  
the N.C.C.A.S.. For several reasons it would not be  
possible to convene National Convention. The Action  
Committee will be meeting in N.Y. during the next  
week and we shall fix a date for the Convention.

*L. Justice*  
*end of*  
*December.*

With greetings,

Yours sincerely,

*George Fernandes*  
George Fernandes  
Secretary

22

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE  
FOR  
RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE

George Fernandes,  
Convener.

125/E, Babar Road, New Delhi.

NGCRS/1/74

November 12, 1974.

Dear Com. Dutta,

Your letter about your Souvenir reached  
me on October 29, when I was not in station.

I hope your Working Committee meeting will  
give serious consideration to the prevailing situa-  
tion on the working class front. We are now in a  
situation where only through <sup>so</sup> united and massive  
action can the workers hope to protect their  
collapsing standard of living. More struggles are  
necessary and I hope your meeting will give a call  
for such a struggle.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,

George Fernandes

Shri S. N. Dutta,  
Joint Secretary,  
Reception Committee,  
Central Bank of India Employees Association,  
Gauhati (Assam).



1. Shri Nalini Ranjan Saha,  
Rly. Quarters No. 874/D,  
Sitee Bazar Colony,  
P.O. Kanchrapara  
Distt. 24-Parganas, (West Bengal)
  
2. Shri K.K.Dhar,  
Secretary,  
Railwaymen's Coordination Committee,  
C/o. Shri P.Mazumdar,  
Qrs. No. L-335, Brick Field,  
P.O. Luding,  
Distt. Nowgong (Assam)
  
3. Shri Kushi Kanta Das,  
President,  
Engineering Staff Association,  
Luding Division,  
C/o. Loco Running Staff Association,  
P.O. Burding (Assam)
  
4. Shri Bimal De,  
Convener, NCCRS,  
Eastern Railway,  
23/24, Strand Road,  
Calcutta-700001.

UNDER CERTIFICATE OF POSTING



NATIONAL CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE,  
TINSUKIA UNIT OF N.F. RAILWAY.

No. NCCRS/REL-TSK/74

Dated, Tinsukia the February 1, 1975.

To

- ✓ 1. The Convener, ( ~~EXR~~ SRI GEORGE FERNANDES)  
NCCRS/ Indian Railway, 125/E, Badar Road, New Delhi-1.
2. The Convener, ( SRI INDEWAR KONGER )?  
NCCRS/N.F. Railway, Pandu, Gauhati-12.

Subject:- Position of victimisation as on February 1, 1975.

Ref:- This office letter no. NCCRS/REL-TSK/74 Dt. 22-12-74.

Respected-learned comrades,

The undersigned informs the position of victimisation due to participation in the last may/74 Strike, standing as on February 1, 1975, for your information and necessary action. The names and designations are incorporated herein as annexure 'A'.

Awaiting for your kind reply as the latest development.

Yours Sincerely,

( S.N. Lal )

JOINT CONVENER,  
NCCRS/TINSUKIA UNIT OF N.F. RLY.

Copy is forwarded to the participating organisations of Tinsukia Unit of N.F. Railway, for information.

( S.N. Lal )

JOINT CONVENER,  
NCCRS/TINSUKIA unit of N.F. Rly.



EA-001

42

13

Phone: 40947

Grams: RAILWAYMEN

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE

125-E, Babar Road,  
New Delhi - 1

NCCRS/1/75

February 13, 1975.

Dear Comrade Lal,

I have your letter of February 1, 1975, informing me about the position of victimisation in your division as on February 1, 1975. The matter is being pursued with the Authorities.

With greetings,

Yours sincerely,

George Fernandes  
Convener.

Shri S.N. Lal,  
Joint Convener/NCCRS  
Tinsukia Unit of N.F. Rly.,  
Tinsukia.

rn\*

*Presented*  
*RAI*

*vpc*

(1)

125  
11/12/75  
NEW DELHI

(59)

ALL INDIA RAILWAY EMPLOYEES CONFEDERATION:  
No.75/NCRS/AIEMC.

OFFICE:  
43/12, Railway Colony,  
Fishtown, Delhi-7.  
Dated: 1.2.1975.

All Constituents of the NC.C.R.S.

Subject: FULL BODY MEETING OF THE NCCRS ON 23.2.75  
AT SECUNDERABAD. .....

Dear Comrades,

In the post-strike period, the Confederation has been very anxious that the hardwon unity of the railwaymen through NC.C.R.S. should be maintained and the issue of victimisation and the suffering of the workers on that account be tackled unitedly as pledged by the NCCRS action Committee from time to time.

As directed by the Working-Committee of the Confederation, I wrote a letter dated 18.11.1974, Comrade George Fernadeze Convener NCCRS to call a National Convention of the railwaymen and the meeting of the Action Committee as per decision of the full body of the NCCRS to consider the post strike situation particularly the issue of victimisation and non-fulfilment of the demands. But there remained a complete silence on the part of the Convener in this regard, and we received no reply.

Under these circumstances the Working Committee of the Confederation in its meeting on 5th, 6th. Jan.,75 at Maghalsara considered it its duty towards the railwaymen as a constituent of the NCCRS to take steps to call a meeting immediately of the full body of the NCCRS and consider the whole issues facing the railwaymen and preserve the unity of the workers.

Accordingly, a full body meeting of the NCCRS is being convened on 23rd. Feb.,75 at 10 AM at 'GRAIN BAZAR, DHARAM SHALA, SECUNDERABAD.

You are cordially invited and requested to send your authorised representative in the NCCRS meeting. Com. George Fernandez has been especially requested to attend it positively and extend his co-operation to ensure the attendance of all constituents of the NCCRS.

Please acknowledge and it will be appreciated if you convey the names or the No. of delegates of your organisation to make the arrangements accordingly. Attend the meeting

**NOTE:-** There is a mass open meeting of railwaymen at 4.00 P.M. on the same day. Arrangements have been made to accommodate the delegates, please contact the reception at the Railway station, Secunderabad.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,

*Com. George Fernandez*  
*Convener/NCCRS*

( D. S. BILANGOC  
SECRETARY GENERAL. &  
ACTION COMMITTEE MEMBER/NCCRS.

*Dear Comrades*  
*convener the*  
*action committee*  
*should be called*  
*immediately*  
*to discuss*  
*the situation*  
*and to*  
*decide*  
*the course*  
*of action*

*RB*  
*42*

PHONE: 40947 (Delhi)

GRAMS, RAILWAYMAN

(6)

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE

(Central Office)

Convener:  
GEORGE FERNANDES

125-E, Babar Road,  
New Delhi-1.

NCCRS/1/75

February 13, 1975.

Dear Comrade Bhango,

I have just now seen your circular of February 1, 1975 informing all constituents of the N.C.C.R.S. that a "Full Body meeting of the NCCRS" will be held at Secunderabad.

Your circular mentions that I have been specially requested to attend these meetings 'positively' and to extend my cooperation to ensure the attendance of all constituents of the NCCRS.


If it is your case that you have been constrained to call this full body meeting because of my alleged failure to convene such a meeting, than the least you should have done was to have the meeting of the Action Committee and discuss these matters. Instead of doing that you have proceeded to convene what you call as the 'full body meeting'. I can only say that this action would result in doing incalculable harm to the railwaymen's struggle.

I have not received any communication from you requesting me to attend your Secunderabad meeting except in this circular of February 1, which, of course, says that I have been requested.

As you know I have convened the meeting of the Action Committee on the 17th instant, at New Delhi. I hope you will find it possible to attend this meeting.

With greetings,

Yours sincerely,

  
George Fernandes

Shri N.S. Bhango  
Member-Action Committee/NCCRS &  
Secretary General,  
All India Railway Employees' Confederation,  
43/12, Railway Colony,  
Kishanganj,  
Delhi  
rn\*

89  
21/1/75

(U)

From :- M. N. Prasad,  
Jt. General Secretary / LRSA, S.F. Rly,  
Member of Zonal NCCRS camped at Adra.

18/1/75

To Com :- Members of NCCRS / Adra div.  
S.F. Rly.

(B)

Dear Comrade,

Sub: Functioning of NCCRS.

It is clear before you that the Govt. of India is pursuing pro-landlord, capitalist policy for which economical crisis is deepened and Govt. has lost the capacity to give us a little concession even and we are insign. losing our purchasing capacity. No alternative before the Govt. except curtailing the privileges of working class, peasantry and ordinary people to serve their class interest and for which Govt. is bent upon to disrupt the unity of fighting railwaymen which has emerged through NCCRS and taken the path of repressive measure. Still thousands of railwaymen are out of job. In spite of assurances they are not being taken back.

To face this sort of onslaught the unit, and functioning of NCCRS is urgently required for which Convenours are requested by the Divl. Railwaymen's Action Committee / Adra who expressed his inability to function and delegated his power to me.

Therefore, I request to attend a meeting on .... 22/1/75 .... at ..... 6.15 ..... hrs. in North Institute, Adra to discuss the matter.

Hoping for your positive attendance please.

Yours comradely,

*M. N. Prasad*  
( M. N. Prasad )

N.B: Copy of letter of Com. M.S. Rao, Convenor is hereby attached for your information please.

To  
Com. M.N. Prasad,  
Zonal Representative, LRSA-NCCRS/ADRA,

Dear Comrade,

Due to circumstances beyond my control, I am not in a position to conduct any of the programmes of the NCCRS/Adra Division at present. I may further like to inform you that no programmes have been communicated to the NCCRS/Adra Divn. until now either from the Zonal or from National level of the NCCRS.

In view of my non-availability at present, I hereby nominate you to look after the programmes of the NCCRS, if any, till further advice from me.

With greetings,

*M.S. Rao*  
M.S. Rao

Yours faithfully,  
M.S. Rao,

62

Phone: 40947

Grams: RAILWAYMAN

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE

125-E, Babar Road,  
New Delhi-1

NCJRS/1/75


February 13, 1975.

Dear Comrade Prasad,

I have your letter of 13th January  
regarding the convening of the N.C.C.R.S.  
Kindly let me know the outcome of the meeting  
held at Adra on 29th January.

With greetings,

Yours sincerely,

  
George Fernandes  
Convener

Shri M.R. Prasad,  
Member - Zonal N.C.C.R.S.  
Camp Adra,  
ADRA.

rn\*

TO THE PRESIDENT

OF THE UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON, D.C.

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

DATE 11/15/00 BY SP-6/BJD

DATE: 11/15/00

BY: SP-6/BJD

CLASSIFICATION

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED DATE 11/15/00 BY SP-6/BJD

DATE: 11/15/00 BY: SP-6/BJD

CLASSIFICATION

11/15/00

125 S. BRADY ROAD  
NEW YORK, NY 10001

CONTRACT NO. 125  
NEW YORK, NY

(9)

DATE: 11/15/00 BY: SP-6/BJD



609

1-11-77  
Following is a list of names for the year's club to

acc 100/100

Phone: 40247

REMARKS:  
See C. C. includes

12/10, Letter Road  
New Delhi-110001

11.2.77

Dear Mr. Sharma Sir,

I have just seen your letter dated 27th February, 1977, regarding the third annual conference of your association. I am indeed sorry it is not possible to me to participate in your conference. Kindly convey my greetings to your delegates and my best wishes for the success of your conference.

Yours sincerely,

George Fernandes.

Mr. P. L. Sharma  
General Secretary  
All India District Co-ordination  
Committee of Employees & Workers  
Association,  
170, P. L. S. C. Employees' Union  
Saradha Lane  
Chennai

Recd 11/1/75 (6)

C.L.W. Labour Union.  
St.No.4/B. St.No.20  
Post:Chittaranjan.  
Dist : Burdwan (WB).

No.LU/01/75.

Dated : 10.3.75

Dear Comrade,

Sub : Annual Conference of C.L.W.Labour Union to be held at Chittaranjan from 21st to 23rd March 1975.

The 14th Annual Conference of our Union will be held at Chittaranjan from 21st to 23rd March 1975 as per Programme given herewith. This Conference will be of great significance because it is going to be held at a time when the working class and the toiling people of the Country is struggling against all type of attacks and repression of the Government. Since our last Conference the Union not only participated but actually led unitedly the worker of C.L.W. in the Heroic struggle of Railwaymen during last 20 days' Strike. Still a good number of workers are kept out of service for participating in the last Strike of Railwaymen.

In view of the above we feel your participation in the Conference will help and encourage us to struggle unitedly against all type of repressions and attacks.

I therefore, on behalf of the Executive Committee as well as on behalf of the members of our Union, extend you a fraternal invitation to attend the Conference.

You are requested to confirm acceptance of the invitation and write in details the Train by which you are likely to arrive at Chittaranjan.

With greetings.

DA/-One.

Yours fraternally,

(S.R.Das)  
General Secretary.

To  
.....  
.....  
.....

22  
2000/1/17



17.5.75

Dear Sir,

I have your letter dated 16th March 1975, regarding the date of the annual conference of your union scheduled to be held from 21st to 23rd March 1975.

My pre-occupation will not enable my participation in this conference. I convey my regards to all your members.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

George Fernandes

Mr. J. S. Rao  
General Secretary  
S. J. S. Labour Union  
Plot No. 4/1, Plot No. 70  
Road: Chittaranjan  
Dist: Ludhiana (P.N.)

# Southern Railway Mazdoor Union, Madras

(Incorporated under the Companies Act, 1913)

CENTRAL OFFICE



President:  
G. RAMACHANDRAN  
General Secretary:  
M. NAMASIVAYAN

4B-A, RAILWAY QUARTERS  
EGMORE, MADRAS-8

Date 12-3-1975

15/3/75

Ref: Rmu/c/

Dear Comrade,

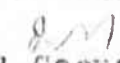
I am to inform you, that the Southern Railway Mazdoor Union, Madras has passed a unanimous resolution recommending to the Central Executive Council for your admission as an honorary member of the Union. This is the first time in the history of the Mazdoor Union a non-Railway Employee has been recommended for membership of the Union. The resolution for membership is a prerequisite for election as President or General Secretary of the Union.

The Southern Railway Mazdoor Union is fully conscious that your pressing preoccupations and manifold other vital tasks, may not permit you to hold an office in Southern Railway Mazdoor Union. Still, the Working Committee has felt, that your acceptance will go a long way in strengthening your allegiance to the ideals for which you have been carrying on unflinching struggles throughout. I may also call on you at Delhi in the course of this month. Kindly let us have the pleasure of your kind communication.

As you are told, that you are visiting Tamil Nadu from 26th March, coinciding your visit, The Southern Railway Mazdoor Union is holding its annual convention on the 26th at Madurai. The Delegation will deem it a great privilege if you can kindly consent to address the gathering for a few minutes. We shall be thankful, if we can be favoured with your consent so that we can go ahead with the publicity etc.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,

  
General Secretary

(72)

From

A. Krishnaswamy & 19 others,  
(Victimised Employees of  
ICF/MAS)

To

The Convenor,  
MCCRS South Zone, Madras  
(General Secretary,  
Southern Railway Mazdoor Union, Madras).

Dear Comrade,

We are prompted to submit this appeal to you on seeing in the newspapers the reported assurance on the floor of the Parliament some days ago to the effect that there were cases of employees not involved in sabotage, violence or intimidation but still remain victimised by the Railway Administrations, he would consider such cases if they were brought to his notice.

We, the 20 employees of ICF were, on the basis of some false reports made by interested officers of ICF during the strike period, arrested by the State Govt. authorities and were prosecuted in the court. During the pendency of the court proceedings, the State Govt. withdrew the case on instructions from Union Home Ministry that all court cases not involving sabotage, violence or intimidation be withdrawn. The court made an order discharging the case. You are well aware of the patient and consistent efforts taken by Shri K.R. Nallasivam <sup>of Socialist Party</sup> to bring about the withdrawal of the case by meeting various Ministers of the Tamil Nadu Government and other political leaders.

Subsequently, contrary to our expectation that we would be taken back to duty, the ICF administration placed us under suspension and charge sheets were issued to us based on the same charge levelled against us in the court which was later withdrawn by the State Government. *The SPLY. Admn. however reminded*

The action of the ICF Admn. is contradictory with the declared policy of the Railway Ministry that employees not involved in sabotage, violence or intimidation will not be dismissed, removed or otherwise victimised. Apparently, the ICF administration is determined to keep us out of the ICF for the only reason that by doing so they can completely obliterate the Trade Union Movement in ICF.

The fact that the state Govt. decided to withdraw the case based on the Home Ministry's instructions proves that we were not involved in sabotage, violence or intimidation. Otherwise, the State Govt. would not have withdrawn the case as it did.

respect of other cases.

Therefore, we approach you to kindly take up this our matter at the level of the Railway Minister through AIRF or the M.Ps. or any other medium you think best so that we the 20 ICF employees still remaining victimised are taken back to service.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

(A. Krishnaswamy)

&

19 Others.

Madras,

Date: 1

# Southern Railway Mazdoor Union, Madras

Central Office, 102, Ponnaiyappan Street, Madras

CENTRAL OFFICE



INDIA RAILWAY QUARTERS  
EGMORE, MADRAS-8

Date: 17 March, 1975

15/3/75

President:  
MACHANDRAN  
General Secretary:  
ANASIVAYAN

Ref. Pm/cj

Dear Comrade,

Thank you very much for your letter of 8th March and I am circulating the same to all branches so as to convey that you are actively at the problem of reinstatement.

I am sending herewith a letter received from employees of ICF who have been wrongfully victimised by the ICF Admn.

Although I am not normally expected to involve in matters pertaining to other Units, as you will be aware, that I am interested in the well-being of My. Men & strengthening the AIRF & its affiliates, hence this letter.

These ~~are~~ comrades, I can say without fear of contradiction, are the cream of T.U. movement in ICF, and any initiative from your side to get their reinstatement undoing the unjust order of the Admn, keeping them under <sup>suspension</sup> ~~apprehension~~ will pay heavy dividends to AIRF. They are our potential men.

I will therefore request you to meet the authorities, if necessary the Minister in this connection.

Yours sincerely,

(G. ANASIVAYAN)

General Secretary.

National Co-ordination Committee for Railwaymen's Struggle

NCC/RS/1/75

Convenor:  
George Fernandes

Phone: 40947

125/B, Babar Road  
New Delhi-110001

17.3.75

My dear Ramasivayam,

I have your letter of 13th March, 1975 enclosing a copy of the representation of Comrade Krishnaswamy and others.

I shall take up this matter with the Railway Minister during my next meeting with him. I am also writing to him on the subject.

Today I have addressed a letter to the Railway Minister suggesting a meeting between him and an official AIRF delegation consisting of the office bearers of the AIRF and the General Secretaries of the affiliated unions. I am meeting the minister on the evening of the 17th instant. I hope to fix the date for the formal meeting that day.

Your letter of 12th March, 1975, has also been received by me. I do not know whether this letter is addressed to me or to some other person since what I have is a copy of the original. The letter mentions that the concerned comrade has been recommended for admission as honorary member of the SRMU.

I am visiting Tamilnadu for a day on March 29. This is in connection with the meeting called to felicitate Mr. Karunanidhi. I hope it will be possible for us to have a meeting of the railwaymen also on the occasion.

With greetings,

Yours sincerely,

George Fernandes



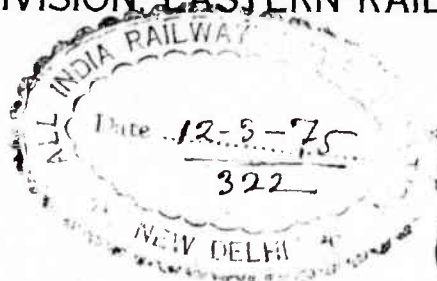
# Divisional Railway Employees' Co-ordination Committee

UNDER THE BANNER OF ALL INDIA RAILWAY EMPLOYEES' CONFEDERATION  
( A CONFEDERATED BODY OF CATEGORICAL/DEPARTMENTAL ASSOCIATIONS/COUNCILS )

DHANBAD DIVISION, EASTERN RAILWAY.

n:-

K.C. Roy Choudhury  
Divisional Secy.  
RECC/DHM



Divisional Office-Old Station

DHANBAD

Dated 28/2/1975

My dear Com. Fernandez,

The notes of discussions and suggestions, made in the meeting of Railway Employees' co-ordination Committee, E.Rly. Dhanbad held on 27.2.75 at Dhanbad in the wake of the defunct state of the N.C.C.R.S and the resolutions of the National Convention of Railwaymen at the call of the All India Railway Employees' Confederation held at Secunderabad on 21st, 22nd & 23rd instant are appended below for your information and appropriate action.

1. N.C.C.R.S which have not been formed in real sense and spirit at many places, should be formed properly at Branch, Division and Zonal levels.

2. Each Constituent unit of N.C.C.R.S must take the programmes to revitalise the organisation and all the sister organisations should render best co-operation and active support for this.

3. Office-bearers who did not participate in the last Railway Strike in May, 1974, must be expelled and under no circumstances be allowed to function as convenor at Branch, Division, Zone or Central level.

4. Convenors of N.C.C.R.S should be <sup>made</sup> formed at the respective levels by the election from amongst the representatives of all constituent units.

5. The meeting of the Broad-based Committee instead of the Action Committee of N.C.C.R.S should be held without further delay to take decision about the National Convention.

6. The functions and assistance rendered by the respective Central Trade Unions should be discussed with open heart in the meeting of the Broad-based Committee in the greater interest of the Railwaymen and the working class as a whole.

7. The reasons for non-formation and defunct state of N.C.C.R.S in some Railways should be discussed.

8. The decisions and directives of the N.C.C.R.S must be sincerely and rigidly observed by each constituent unit.

9. Minimum phase-wise programmes should be taken to uplift the moral of the workers and to forge unity of the Railwaymen as a whole in order to resist the increasing on-slaughts and repressions against the Railwaymen by the administration.

10. Programmes should be made to strengthen the broad-based unity of the working people.

The reactions and the views of the Action Committee and yours may please be communicated to each constituent unit so that ~~entirely~~ congenial atmosphere may be created to uplift the image of NCCRS, the historic platform of unity and struggle of Railwaymen.

Sri George Fernandez,  
Convenor, N.C.C.R.S.  
125E, Babar Road,  
Delhi.

Comradely yours,

K.C. Roy Choudhury

*file* 76

National Co-ordination Committee For Railwaymen's Struggle

Phone: 40947

*NCCRS/1/75*

Convenor:  
George Fernandes

125/E, Babar Road  
New Delhi-110001

17.3.75

Dear Com. Roy Choudhury,

Your letter of 28th February 1975,  
arrived on the 12th of March.

A broad-based meeting of the members of the  
Action Committee of the NCCRS and of the zonal  
conveners as also some important leaders of the  
railwaymen is being convened in the next few  
days to take a decision on convening the next  
National Convention of Railwaymen. The various  
points and suggestions contained in your letter  
under reference will be considered by this  
meeting.

With greetings,

Yours sincerely,

*G*  
George Fernandes

Mr. K.C. Roychoudhury  
Divisional Secretary  
Divisional Railway Employees'  
Coordination Committee  
Divisional Office  
Old Station  
Lhanbad

*This + the letter from  
Roy Choudhury are  
to go to me  
Hill*

# भारतीय रेलवे मजदूर संघ (प्र)

Bharatiya Railway Mazdoor Sangh

Phone: 464084.

(FEDERATION OF INDIAN RAILWAY WORKERS)

IBRAHIM/MANSION/  
2ND FLOOR, POIBAWADI,  
PAREL/BOMBAY 72.

33, Moti Bhuvan, 2nd Floor,  
Dr. D'Silva Road, Dadar, BOMBAY-28.

इब्राहिम मन्शन, २ वीं मंजिल/  
प्रोयवावडी, परेल /  
बम्बई-४२.

Delhi Office :-  
19, WINDSOR PLACE,  
NEW DELHI

दिनांक.....

Date..... 11-2-1975.

पत्र क्र. ....

L. No. BRMS. GENL. 75.

193  
15/2/75

✓ Dear Shri. George,

Yesterday I read in News Papers that you have conveyed a meeting of the Action Committee at Delhi on 17-2-1975. I am on tour upto 16-2-75 and will be reaching Delhi only by 18th morning. Presumably Shri. Gokhalejee will be also reaching Delhi by 18-2-75.

It is practically impossible to cancel my programme at Jabalpur on 16-2-75 as I have to attend Madhya Pradesh B.M.S. Conference. Since we are meeting after a long time, it will be appreciated if you will kindly try the same for 18th Feb., 1975 and advise at Shri. Thengadijee's Residence ( Phone No.376579).

With greetings.

Yours sincerely,

To  
Shri. George Fernandes,  
Convenor, N.C.C.R.S.  
Babar Road, NEW DELHI.

(M.M. PHATAK)  
SECRETARY GENERAL (Org)  
Bharatiya Railway Mazdoor Sangh  
Member, N.C.C.R.S.

N.B.:- In case, it is not possible to postpone the meeting till 18-2-75 Shri. Om Prakash Aggi, Secretary, B.M.S., Hari Krishna Pathak, Secretary, Delhi B.M.S. or Tejram Dogra, General Secretary, Uttar Railway Karmachari Union will after the same. Please give ring at Phone No. 48356, 19, Windsor Place, NEW DELHI.

~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~

~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~

~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~

~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ President :-

) Shri Hukumchand Kachwai M. P.  
New Dehli

Secy President:

) Shri Ram Kuberal Shrivastava  
Gorakhpur

) Shri G. Ramlu Secunderabad

Secy Genl. :-

Shri Amaldarsingh Bombay

Secy. Genl (ORG.)

Shri Manohar Phatak

Dy. Secy. Genl.

Shri V. B. S. R. Sastry Secunderabad

Shri D. P. Sohani New Delhi

Shri R. B. Moitra Calcutta

Secy Finance :-

Shri S. R. Chitrao Bombay

Head Office :-

3, Moti Bhuvan, D'silva Road,  
DADAR, BOMBAY-28.

78

CONFEDERATION OF CENTRAL GOVT. EMPLOYEES & WORKERS  
B-6/4 Gangaram Hospital Marg,  
New Delhi - 60

21/2/75  
232  
New Delhi

Grams: AUDITFLAG  
No. Conf/Cl-2/75

Phone: 587804

To all Affiliates and C-o-Cs  
Members National Executive  
Office Bearers.

Dated: 18.2.1974

Dear Comrades,

FOIL WAGE FREEZE MOVE OF GOVT.  
THROUGH UNITED ACTION.

Enclosed please find a Press Release issued under the joint  
Signature of representative of AIRF (Com. George Fernandes) and the  
Confederation (Coms. S.K. Vyas, M.J. Iyer, K. Adinarayana, L.A. Prashad  
K.L. Haidar, K.N. Nayagam, S.K. Das, B.K. Prashad and Natheo Singh  
Rajput) giving a call for joint observance of All India Protest Day on  
13th March, '75 as a follow-up action to our All India Day on 31st Jan. '75.

Please take all measures to contact all C.G.E. Organisations in-  
cluding Railwaymen and to observe <sup>the</sup> day in a befitting manner and jointly.

With warm greetings,

Yours fraternally,



(S.K. VYAS)

Secretary General.

P.S. Send Report on the Observance of  
the Protest Day on 31-1-75 if  
not already done to Confederations  
HQs.



358

1873175

DELHI

**N. F. RAILWAY WORKSHOP COUNCIL**  
**"ZONAL CONVENTION".**

79

To:

Shri George Parashar  
Convener, NCCRS

Dear Comrade,

The last general strike of the Railwaymen and the attitude of the Administration towards its employees on the one hand, and further onslaught of the Govt. by way of wage freeze etc. on the other leaves no room for us to respite. Rather they convince us of the imperative need for strong and solid organisation of workmen to resist the onslaught.

On this back ground the zonal convention of the N.F. Railway workshop council of the N.F. Zone has been fixed to be held on 23rd March 1975 at Tibrugrah.

Your presence and good counsel through deliberation in the convention would be much appreciated.

With revolutionary greetings.

"In-Kilab Zindabad - Labour unity - Zindabad.

Encls: One.

Comradely yours,

(S. Sengupta)

Dated New Bongaigaon,

12th March 1975.  
Local address.

General Secretary,

N.F. Railway Workshop Council,  
(Zonal).

Samar Sengupta, Rly. Ors. No. 530B,  
RPF Colony, P.O. New Bongaigaon, Assam.

80

Phone: 40947

Grams: Railwayman

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR RAILWAYMENS' STRUGGLE

NEJRS/1/75

April 1, 1975.

Dear Comrade Sengupta,

I have just now seen your letter of March 12.  
I hope you had a good Convention.

With greetings,

Yours sincerely,

  
George Fernandes  
Convener.

Shri S. Sengupta,  
General Secretary  
N.F. Rly. Workshop Council  
Rly. Qrs. No.530-B  
RPF Colony,  
P.O. New Bongaigaon,  
ASSAM.

rn\*

J. P. CHAUBEY

~~Vice~~ President

NORTHERN RAILWAYMEN'S UNION

or

TREASURER

ALL INDIA RAILWAYMEN'S FEDERATION.

TELE: 29352 (LKO)  
36 SAROJNI DEVI LANE  
LUCKNOW

TELE: 40947 (DLI)  
125-E. BABAR ROAD  
NEW DELHI

81

14th April, 1975.

My dear Pandeyji,

I will be reaching Allahabad by 12 Down on the 18th April, 1975, in the morning to participate in the P.M. meeting as per your discussions with me. I will leave Allahabad the same day to reach Sultanpur at about 8.00 A.M. on the 19th April, 1975. We can have the meeting of the office bearers and active workers in the evening in the Union Office.

With good wishes,

Yours fraternally,

(J.P. Chaubey)

Shri H.N. Pandey,  
Divl. Secretary,  
Northern Railwaymen's Union,  
O&R Rly. Employees' Primary Cooperative  
Bank Ltd.,  
Allahabad Railway Station,  
Allahabad (U.P)

c.c. to:

1. Shri M.M.S. Tandon, Divl. President/NRMU, Kanpur
2. Branch Secretary, NRMU, Fatepur.
3. Shri Lalji Malviya, Central Treasurer/NRMU Allahabad.
4. Branch Secretary, NRMU, Prayag,

for information and necessary action.

...

# INSURANCE EMPLOYEES' UNION

Dharwar Division, DHARWAR.

(Reg. No. 55/71-72)

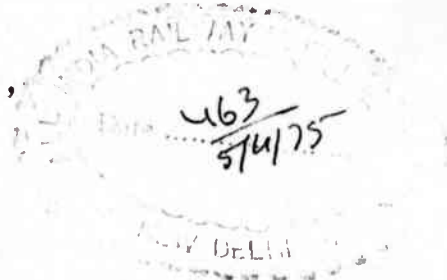
(Affiliated to All India Insurance Employees' Association, Calcutta)

85

Date 1st. April, 1975.

Branch Unit :

Com. George Fernandes,  
Convenor,  
NCCRS & UCTU  
New Delhi



Dear Comrade,

We are enclosing copies of resolutions stated below adopted by the IV Annual General Council meeting of our union held on 9th & 10th March, 1975:

- 1) Demanding immediate withdrawal of Wage-freeze Act,
- 2) Demanding immediate release of D.A. to Central & State Govt. employees,
- 3) Demanding taking back of all the dismissed Railway employees and negotiated settlement of all the demands of Railway workers with N.C.C.R.S.

Copies of these resolutions have been sent to the concerned Ministers also.

We thank you for your letter of 17th March 1975 regarding our General Council Meeting,

With greetings,

Encl:

Yours comradely,  
  
General Secretary.

*Forward  
please  
D  
copy*



86

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE  
FOR  
RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE

George Fernandes,  
Convener.

125/E, Babar Road, New Delhi.

MPJBN/2

May 16, 1975.

Dear Comrade,

I am indeed sorry for the delay in acknowledging the receipt of the resolutions adopted by the Annual General Council meeting of your Union. I wish you all success in your activities.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,



George Fernandes

The General Secretary,  
Insurance Employees' Union,  
Dwarwar Division,  
Dharwar

(12)  
NATIONAL CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE,  
TINSUKIA UNIT OF NORTHEAST FRONTIER RAILWAY.

NO. NCCRS/ TSK\_REM/75 Dated, Tinsukia, April 4, 1975. (89)  
TU

Shri Kamalapati Tripathi,  
Hon'ble Minister of Railways,  
Government of India, New Delhi,  
(Registered with Ack. due.)

Subject: Re-instatement of removed from service employees under  
rule 14 (f) of D.A.R., 1968 in Tinsukia Unit of N.F. Rly.

Respected Sir,

The NCCRS/ Tinsukia Unit of N.F. Railway, is con-  
-tinued to intimate the Hon'ble Minister of Railways that till date  
(4.4.1975) even after elapse of complete 10 (ten) months (June /74  
to March/75) those removed from service under Rule 14 (f) of Railway  
services (Discipline & Appeal) Rules, 1968, for mere participation  
in the last May/74 strike and even after the pronouncement made by  
the Hon'ble Minister of Railways that those not involved in sabotage,  
violence and intimidation would be taken back to service, the re-ins-  
-tatement of the following removed from service employees is awaited.

It is once again emphatically intimated that there is no  
case of sabotage, violence and intimidation against any of the  
following removed employees.

- |                          |                                      |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1. Shri Ament Kumar Day, | Asstt. Yard Master, Tinsukia Goods,  |
| 2. " Anindra Kumar Day,  | Carriage Fitter/ Tinsukia Goods,     |
| 3. " A.K. Goswami,       | TXR/ Tinsukia Goods,                 |
| 4. " S.C. Goswami,       | Guard (B)/ Tinsukia Jn.              |
| 5. " L.N. Goswami,       | Fireman (B)/ Tinsukia Loco Shed,     |
| 6. " Lachma Naidu,       | Deisel Asstt, Tinsukia Loco Shed,    |
| 7. " S.S. Bhattacharjee, | Asstt. Station Master/ Tinsukia Jn.  |
| 8. " N.K. Jha,           | PR/ Asstt. Station Master, Tinsukia, |
| 9. " S.N. Lal,           | -- do--                              |

It would be highly appreciated if the Hon'ble Minister  
of Railways orders re-instatement of these 9 removed from service  
employees at an earlier date.

Anxiously awaiting for his kind reply and action.

Yours sincerely,

sd/

( S.N. Lal)

Joint Convener,

NCCRS/ Tinsukia Unit of N.F. Rly.

Copy is forwarded to the Convener/ NCCRS (Central)/ Indian  
Railways at New Delhi, All members, NCCRS/ Indian Railways, Convener/  
NCCRS/ N.F. Railway, for their informations and necessary actions.

Copy is forwarded to the members of Parliament :- Shri  
Samar Guha, Shri Tarbida Chowdhury, Shri Atal Behari Vajpeyee, Shri  
Baldeo Singh, Shri B.K. Das Chowdhury, Shri Noorul Huda, Shri Shaah  
Bhusari, Shri Chandrika Prasad Singh, Shri Bhogendra Jha, Shri  
Jyotirmayee Dasu, Shri Ramawtar Shastri, md. Shaifin Ahmed Shaifin,  
Shri L.K. Awan, Shri Madhu Limaye, Shri Madhu Dandavate, Shri  
N. Balkrishnan and all other members of Parliament, for the ~~xxxx~~ raise  
the voice in the SACRED FLOOR OF PARLIAMENT, for the re-instatemen  
of these nine removed ~~from~~ employees.

Copy is forwarded to the Chairman Railway Board, New Delhi  
General Manager, N.F. Railway, Maligaon, Gauhati-11, and Divisional  
Superintendent (Transportation), Tinsukia Division, N.F. Railway,  
for their informations and necessary actions with a further request  
to re-instate them in service at an earlier date.

To Shri George B. ... Joint Convener,  
NCCRS/ Tinsukia Unit of N.F. Rly. *sd/ 4/75*

88

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE  
FOR  
RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE

George Fernandes,  
Convener

125/E, Babar Road, New Delhi.

NCIRB/ 75

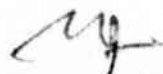
May 16, 1975.

Dear Com. Lal,

I have the copy of your letter of April 4, 1975, addressed to Shri Kamalapati Tripathi, regarding reinstatement of victimised workers. The matter is being pursued by us in every possible way.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,



George Fernandes

Shri J.N. Lal,  
Jt. Convener,  
NC 125/Tinsukia Unit of N.F.Rly.,  
Tinsukia.

(77)  
A memorandum submitted by Mahila Samity, Santragachi, P.O. Jagnala Dist. Howrah on 8th May 1975, the anniversary date of "Historic Sixth Strike" launched by 20 million Rly. Employees in India.

(59)  
The year 1975 has been declared by the UNO as the "International Women's Year" with the object to alliviate their economic, social and political status. In 1947 UN General Assembly adopted a declaration on "Elimination of discrimination against women." Inspired by such universal actions fighting for their own battles, we hereby draw your personal attention about the appalling conditions prevailing in the Railways in particular reference to the victimised employees.

The present nakedly bourgeois Government led by Mrs. Indira Gandhi seems to have taken a comprehensive and ruthless programme to crush strikes wherever they occur. The method that they adopted to suppress the Railwaymen's strike is too green in the peoples memory. We as mothers, wives, sisters and daughters had to suffer goonda attacks, indignities and other types of gangsterism under cover of police and para military forces let loose in the Rly. colonies. There is not language too strong to condemn these acts of brutality.

leuce  
The Rly. Minister Sri Kamalapati Tripathy's statement on the victimised Rly. Employees that all their workers who are not charged with/instance and sabotage intimation will be reinstated in service is a mere hoax to punish the employees connected with legitimate Trade Union activities.

The assurances repeatedly given by the Ministers in Loksabha that that Govt. has no intention to victimise the striking Rlymen is belied with dire consequences to the members of such dismissed employees families. It is strange that High Court judgements declaring dismissal orders illegal, are ignored. The concocted Court Proceedings under DIR participation in Strike is being prolonged to harrass the Rlymen to the extreme whereas it was announced that all such Court Cases would be withdrawn.

The Wage Freeze Policy has deprived the Rly employees of any pay rise or D.A rise while the price rise is a daily occurrence despite our Prime-Minister propogating that Prices are controlled to some extent

The Rly employees families are doomed to starve or semi-starve for such anti-people Policy of Govt. of India and we are the living example of such blatant attacks.

We are very much concerned to state that still now 34 Permanent and 183 Temporary Rly employees at Santragachi, 48 permanent and 3 temporary employees at Shalimar and 3 permanent and 38 temporary employees at Tikiapara Car shed are kept out of service while 7 are kept under suspension with the ulterior motive of badgering them into submission by continued victimisation as they would not be able to stand with their rights in the face of his wards would slowly sink through the pangs of hunger by under mining the N.C.C.R S.

We have endured patience for long one year, watched our the Govt's attitude and observed that the Govt's Labour Policy, is going from bad to worse as Capitalist crisis engulf it and the vested interests exploiting the people. It is hightime that you will find good and sufficient reasons to reinstate all the 316 victimised to their former posts with a view to end revengeful policy and dawn healthy and cordial relations in the parger interests, else we will be forced against our will, to come to the picture for justice.

Gouri Roy Chowdhury  
(Gouri Roy Chowdhury)  
SECRETARY.

Date : 8th May, 1975.

Mahila Samity, Santragachi.

Copy to : (1) The General Manager, S.E.Rly, Garden Reach, Cal-43.  
(2) The Rly. Minister, Govt. of India, New - Delhi;

(6) (90)  
To The Convenor/NCCRS.

Dated: - New Bongaigaon  
10<sup>th</sup> May 1975.

Comrade,  
The first annual Conference of  
Electric Staff Council, New Bongaigaon/N.F.Rly.  
will be going to be held on 18<sup>th</sup> May 1975  
at Lool Path Sanjha Maidan.

So, you are requested to attend the said  
Conference.

- Prog: -
- ① Red Flag hoisting at 8 A.M.
  - ② 9 A.M. to 12 A.M. — Presidium Select,  
Secretary reports & delegate's session.
  - ③ 12 A.M. to 1-30 P.M. Lunch Period.
  - ④ 1-30 P.M. to 4 P.M. - Delegate Session,  
& New Committee forum.
  - ⑤ <sup>From</sup> 4 P.M. Mass meeting & Procession

IN CLUB ZINDA BAD  
LABOUR UNITY ZINDABAD

Comradly  
Anup Chowdhury  
Secretary,  
Electrical Staff Council,  
N. F. Rly, New Bongaigaon.

George Fernandes,  
Convener.

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE  
FOR  
RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE

125/E, Babar Road, New Delhi-110 01

NCCRS/75

May 16, 1975.

Dear Com. Chowdhury,

I have the memorandum submitted by Mahila Samiti on 8th May, 1975 on the occasion of the anniversary of the historic strike of railwaymen. We shall have to organise a still bigger and more bitter struggle to secure justice for the railwaymen. I can assure you that we shall leave no stone unturned to secure the reinstatement of all victimised railwaymen.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,

  
George Fernandes

Shri Arup Chowdhury,  
Secretary,  
Electrical Staff Council,  
N.F. Railway,  
New Bongaigaon.

93

CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE OF THE WORKING CLASS CHICKBALLAPUR  
KOLAR DISTRICT. KARNATAKA.

44263  
21/12/75  
MCCAS/1/25

Respected Comrade,

*[Handwritten signature]*

Sub: District level Anti-Wage Freeze Convention  
at Chickballapur, Kolar District.

We, the working people of Chickballapur, hard hit by the raising prices and the death blow of the cruel, black ordinance freezing our already meagre wages which are literally freezing us to death, have formed a 'Co-ordination committee of the working class- Chickballapur' with the aim of co-ordinating our struggles against this anti-working class ordinance and to conduct activities furthering the cause of the working class. This committee is widely represented in the employees of Karnataka Electricity Board, Life Insurance Corporation of India, the various Banks, Post and Telegraphs, State Government, Teachers and local bodies and General workers.

We have decided to hold a district level Anti-Wage freeze convention at Chickballapur on the 12th January 1975. I, on behalf of the committee sincerely request you to be kind enough to attend the convention. I request you to accept our invitation inspite of your busy schedule and make this convention a success. Please intimate your consent by a telegram at the earliest to the following address.

~~XXXXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX~~

With profound comradely regards,

Sincerely yours.

*[Handwritten signature]* 19/12/75  
SECRETARY

Co-Ordination Committee of  
the Working Class, Chickballapur.

Postal address:

M. Muniyaswamy, B.E.,  
Junior Engineer, P.W.D.,  
Karnataka Electricity Board,  
Chickballapur,  
Kolar District.

TO  
Com. Priya Gupta, General Secretary,  
All India Railway Lines Federation,  
No 125/95, Bahar Road, New Delhi - 110001

P.S. Note: Route to Chickballapur: Chickballapur is 35 Miles from Bangalore and  
is connected by KRSB Buses at very frequent intervals.

Details of convention:

(14)

GEORGE FERNANDEZ,  
CONVENOR  
NCCRS  
1259 BABAR ROAD  
NEW DELHI

30.11.74

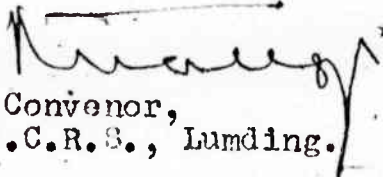
RAILWAYMEN OF LUMDING URGES EARLY HOLDING OF NATIONAL  
CONVENTION (.) CONFIRM DATE (.)

\* CONVENOR, NCCRS, LUMDING =

Copy by post in confirmation to Convenor.

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:-

1. All the National Action Committee Members of NCCRS, New Delhi.
2. Convenor, Zonal NCCRS/N.F.Railway. They are requested to ~~immediate~~ initiate complete efforts for arranging the convention without further delay as absence of National Programme through National Convention, which has been deferred twice is causing frustration among the Railwaymen. So further delay will deteriorate the condition and cause discontentment.

  
 Convenor,  
 N.C.C.R.S., Lumding.

MCCRS/1/75



McCAS/1/75  
file  
31 7/1/75  
95  
Shri. Priya Gupta

Honourable Member of ~~Parliament~~ National Council (5em)  
NEW DELHI

Sir,

The undersigned Sri. C.S.NADAR beg to bring down the following for your kind consideration and bring the same to the notice of Honourable Defence Minister during the current session of the parliament. I had to request your goodself for this action, since ~~my~~ all my efforts in getting my grievances solved in the highest level at the Ministry of Defence failed. Here under, I am giving a brief to your goodself about my unfortunate service career.

2 I had started my career as a Technical Supervisor of Examiners at Ordnance Depot, Quetta, my date of appointment being 21-5-1945. I had served in this Ordnance Depot till 21-8-1947. Then started the partition riots, I had to flee to my mother country to save myself and family. In order to help such refugees who fled from Pakistan during the riots, Govt of India, had constituted a Transfer Bureau Office to assist those ex-employees from Pakistan to provide appointments in India. After reaching India, I had registered my name in the Transfer Bureau Office at Delhi had collected all my original documents and registered my name for the post of Technical Supervisor. During 1949, the transfer Bureau had advised me to proceed to Vehicle Depot, White Field and accept the post of Technical Supervisor. Accordingly I went to Vehicle Depot, White Field Bangalore. But I was not offered the post of Technical Supervisor, but was appointed as a Non Technical Supervisor. When I protested to this appointment, they have advised me to accept this post and later I could send an application to change my category. Having lost all my belongings ~~xxx~~ in the riots at Quetta, and being helpless I had accepted the job in good faith hoping I will get the post of Technical Supervisor sooner or later. But I regret to state that the later events had completely upset my service career, and ruined the education of my children. Even though I had given an application to re-classify me to my original trade the authorities had given only vague reply that the matter was under consideration. I had served in this Depot for 3 years. During 1952, I had been declared Surplus, and posted to Ordnance Depot, Panagar.

3. In this connection I beg to state that even though I had been appointed as non-Technical Supervisor, but the authorities have extracted the work of a Technical Supervisor. I served in Ordnance Depot, Panagar for a period of 3 years i.e. upto 1955. Again the authorities have declared me surplus and transferred me to Base Ordnance Depot, Avadi, reclassifying me as a Storeman. ~~xxxx~~ I had served in this Depot for 1 1/2 years. Again the authorities declared me surplus and posted me to ACC & S Ahmednager, but this time re-classifying me as LDC.

4. I worked in this Unit as LDC for 6 years. Again based on a request made by me for a compassionate ground posting to Bangalore, I had been posted to GE's Office Bangalore. All these facts have been reflected in the enclosed appeals.

Cont.....2.

I had rendered a continuous service of more than 25 years. No benefit has been given to me as per rules applicable to displaced persons. No promotion has been given. No confirmation has been given. Recently Ministry of Defence has asked all Defence Establishment asking them to furnish the list of employees who are stagnating in the same grade for more than 10 years. But no action has been taken to confirm me or promotion.

5 I request your goodself to suggest to the Honourable Defence Minister to extend my service by another 3 years, promote me to grade of UDC/S'DC. I had already given the rules and regulations in my enclosed application to prove that I am entitled for all these.

6 I feel very much ashamed, and I may also say it is shame to the Government to see that its employee is going out of service after 25 years without even getting permanency.

7 Immediate action is to be taken to extend my service and also to settle all the outstanding points, which I have asked in my application, because the authorities have already intimated me, that I will be superannuated by 28 Feb 1975.

Thanking you

Yours Faithfully

BAUGALCREE-42

31 Dec 74

~~C. Siva Ivelu Nadar~~  
( C. SIVA IVELU NADAR )  
GARRISON ENGINEER OFFICE (SOUTH)  
No 2 ULSUR ROAD, BAUGALCREE-42

Sir. Only few days left for Superannuation  
I am also seeking your advice regarding  
the next course of action.

Yours faithfully.

~~C. Siva Ivelu Nadar~~

From

C. SWANIVELU NADAR  
MES No. 129161 LDC Ty  
Garrison Engineer (South)  
Bangalore - 560042

To

Engineer-in-Chief  
Army Headquarters  
E-in-C's Branch  
DEQ PG, NEW DELHI . 11

Through proper channel

APPEAL FOR PROMOTION/PROMINENCY/EXISTENCE OF SERVICE

Sir,

This has reference to my appeals to Adjutant General, AG's Branch Army Headquarters NEW DELHI dated

(i) 24 Feb 1960 (ii) 18 Mar 1960 (iii) 2 Aug 1960  
(iv) 22 Nov 1960 (v) 10 Dec 1960 (vi) 28 Nov 73  
(vii) 12 Feb 1974 (viii) 14 Aug 1974

&

Appeals to E-in-C's Branch Army Headquarters, NEW DELHI dated :-

(i) 24 Aug 65 (ii) 4 Feb 66 (iii) 22 Mar 68  
(iv) 28 Nov 73 (v) 12 Feb 74 (vi) 14 Aug 74 & 8 Oct 74.

2. Most respectfully, I beg to submit the following facts for your kind sympathetic and favourable consideration.

3. At the outset, I beg to state that these are not allegations but it is quite a genuine appeal. I am one of the refugee from Queeta, Baluchistan Distt, N.W.F.P (Now under Pakistan). I was employed as a Technical Supervisor of Examiners at Ordnance Depot and was getting Rs 5.8.0 per day from 21-5-1945 to 21-8-1947. Effected very badly during the pre-partition days, I have arrived at New Delhi and I have registered my name in the Ministry of Defence Transfer Bureau office New Delhi for the post of Technical Supervisor of Examiners. Rate of pay Rs 5-8-0 per day. During these days I was residing at Prime Minister's House, New Delhi. While I was there, I was directed by the Director of Ordnance Services, IGO's Branch Army Headquarters New Delhi under his letter No 20/35/MG/OS-8C dated 9 Feb 1949 addressed to Shri C. Swanivelu Nadar C/O Prime Minister's House New Delhi directing me to report to COO Vehicle Depot, Bangalore, Whitefield as a Supervisor. The above quoted appointment order did not specifically mentioned that, I should be appointed as a Technical Supervisor nor quoted my last pay drawn of Rs 5-8-0 per day, which was registered and was allotted Sl No 4. Before registering my name for the above post, the authorities have verified my previous records etc, in the Ministry of Defence Transfer Bureau New Delhi.

4. On receipt of the appointment order and finding the mistake committed by DCS, I went to BOS Office for clarification on the appointment order. He informed me that the appointment order had since been sent to COO Vehicle Depot, Whitefield Bangalore with a copy to ACC Records Office, Secunderabad (Deccan). He could not amend the appointment order due to absence of DCS, but Captain SALAMAND on behalf of DCS advised me to report to COO Vehicle Depot, Whitefield Bangalore and requested to COO to write to DCS for amending the appointment order. Accordingly, I reported to COO Vehicle Depot Whitefield, Bangalore on 22 Feb 1949.

Contd.....2/-

Para 4 Contd

Soon after reporting, I have explained to COO about the mistake committed by DCS in the appointment order. He told me that you will be appointed as a Non-Technical Supervisor at present. Regarding amendment to the appointment order for Technical Supervisor will be taken up with DCS in due course, with firm believe that, I will be reclassified as Technical Supervisor. They appointed me as a Non-Technical Supervisor, pay fixed at the rate of Rs 80/-pm. The pay fixation was incorrectly made at the time of my appointment. The fixation of the pay should be made according to my last pay drawn i.e Rs 5-8-0 per day. They should refer to (Revision of pay) Rules 1947. Accordingly it was not done thus effected for my promotion and additional loss of Rs 43/- per month. They should have fixed my pay @ Rs 123/- per month under the provision Govt of India, Min of Def memo No 6(2)/10029/D-II dated 30 Aug 1949 and Govt of India, Min of Defence memo No F,15(2) EST-III/49 dated 22 Feb 1949(Para 2). Inview of the above I had heavy financial loss and promotion.

5 Eventhough, I was appointed as Non-Technical Supervisor Grade II, yet I was given responsibilities of a Technical Supervisor. I was entrusted with heavy responsibilities of Technical Nature of work. Since the job of Inspection of Vehicles to find out the defects and rectifying the defects mentioned in the E.O.3. Preservation of Vehicles and passing out of the Vehicles as per Rules. I had maximum turn over of Vehicles passed during the period 1949 to 1952. I got appreciation of my superiors for the tremendous output. Accordingly I was given "OUTSTANDING MERITS" in the capacity of Incharge of Half Yearly Inspection Team. "Nature of work Technical". I rather pain to say that some of the fitters and Electricians who was working under me have been promoted as Technical Supervisor and my case was overlooked. I am enclosing herewith a copy of "CLASSIFICATION CERTIFICATE" to prove my efficiency as Incharge of Half Yearly Inspection Team, which was published annexure to Daily Order Part B No 2248 dated 25 Nov 1949 of Vehicle Depot, Whitefield, Bangalore. In this connection I have written an application to COO Vehicle Depot on 17 Sep 49 and 20 Mar 1950, requesting him to intimate me the present position of my case (A copy of my application is enclosed herewith) I was given verbal reply that the matter is under consideration.

6 I would like to say that I have not been paid my travelling allowances on demand from Quetta to New Delhi and to Whitefield, amounting Rs 400 and 150/- respectively under the provision of AI 248/49 and Govt of India, Min of Def letter No 30761/HIC(I)/8849/D-11 dated 07 Aug 1950. I could not understand, why my TA has not been paid and not intimated the reason for Non-payment.

7 I left all my children for Education in Scared Heart High School Bhow, Central India. The financial assistances to Refugée/ Displaced students have not been paid by the authority under the provision of CPRO/696/52 Annexure 'A' Para 3 and Min of Rehabilitation letter No F-6/27/RHT/51 dated 06 Jul 1951, thereby my children education was stoped for non-payment of School fees Rs 40/-pm and still I am due to School authorities Rs 350/- On payment the boys education certificate may be obtained from them.

8 I have forwarded my application to COO Vehicle Depot along with the Original certificates, where I was served on demand by COO Vehicle Depot Whitefield:-

1. Technical Supervisor of Examiners
2. Technical supervisor for Motor Mechanical and Electrical
3. Convey Comrader of Vehiles
4. Warden Supervisor
5. Supervisor of Saw Mill Operators
6. Supervisor of Industrial
7. Technical Examination ( Diploma )
8. Refugee Registration Card
9. Heavy Motor Vehicle, liecense Civil and Military
10. Technical supervisor of Blast Furnance ( Coupla )

On requesting to COO for my re-classification again the same verbal reply was given that your case is under consideration by Higher authorities, my certificates which were attached with my application have not been returned to me on demand.

9 After serving a period of 3 years with the Vehicle Depot, Whitfield, I was declared surplus in the above Depot and transferred me to Vehicle Depot, Panagar. Burdwan Dist. West Bengal. There I was made Incharge of Kit stores and MF Stores, entrusted me with pfeserv vatationof MT Stores according to the procedure. Inspection of Tyre and Tubes to find out, if any, Major repairs to send them to Command Workshop EME for retreading, issues, receipts and upkeeping of Stock Ledger etc. The above work is also of Technical Nature and it is is responsibility of Technical Supervisor.

10 While I was serving in the above depot, I was made Quasi-permanent in the Non-Technical Supervisor Grade II in the year 1952. I was awarded Quasi-permanent Certificate in the capacity of Non-Technical Supervisor Garde II ( Copy of Quasi-Permanent certificate is enclosed herewith). Later a circular was issued by the authority to the effect that Non-Technical Supervisors, who are getting pay as Rs 120/- and above could be promoted as Non-Technical Supervisor Grade I, which is equivalent to CSK Grade IV. At that time, I was drawing Rs 105/-pm only a difference of Rs 15/- to reach Rs 120/- ~~as~~ it is required for promotion. Had I got the appointment 3 years earlier through the Min of Def Transfer Bureau, New Delhi, I would have reached Rs 120/-. Being a bonafide refugee to wait for the appointment order from the Min of Def, Whereas I have registered in the year 1947. The authority should have taken to the consideration for 3 years performance given under the provision of CPRO/851/5 para (ii) and Min of Def memo No 0960/D/(Appts) dated 23 Apr 1952. In view of the above, please refer my application dated 5-10-52 and 22-2-54 requesting for my promotion, but I have not received any reply from COO Vehicle Depot, Panagar. The authorities taken into consideration for 3 years preference and to that extent, I should have been appointed as Non-Technical Supervisor Grade I, or CSK Grade IV vide SPRO No 169/49 annexure 'D' and Min of Home affairs OM letter No 30/203/48-Appts( Para (1) dated 24 Jan 1949, during the period of 5 Years getting " OUTSTANDING MERITS " in the capacity of Non-Technic al Supervisor Garde II. No Departmental promotion committe functioned for the above grade for promotion.

Para 10 Contd

Only the basis of Basic pay that they promoted. It seems to be an injustice. There is no instruction given by the Min of Def for promoting a man on the basis of Basic pay. The authorities taken into consideration my previous appeals for my Re-classification Instruction laid down by the Government of India is need of Technical staff, whereas my case completely overlooked. Even though, I worked with zeal without losing my hopes and determination. Though I was awarded QPT Certificate in the Non-Technical Supervisor Grade II in the year 1952, till now they have not yet promoted me, not on basic pay. Thus caused heavy financial loss and my future is completely bleak. Instead giving promotion nor considering my qualification and experience and brought down to a lower category as a Storeman.

11 In case if, the authorities found surplus in the Non-Technical Supervisor, they should find a place from the various Establishment in India to appoint me in the same post, so that my future career may not upset. I was mercilessly brought down to a lower category of Storeman. Thus effected my pay very badly and deteriorated my future careers. Had I been appointed as a Storeman from the beginning on the basis of seniority, I should become CSK Grade I by this time. Even after revision to this category, I was given the same responsibility which I had performed previously. I protested to the COO Vehicle Depot, Panagar regarding this injustice and requested him to keep my Re-classification pending for final decision to be obtained from the higher authorities and clarify my previous case for Re-classification. No action was taken by the COO Vehicle Depot, Panagar. (A copy of protest application addressed to the COO Vehicle Depot is attached herewith for ready reference). Based on my application dated 5-10-52 as per Kalyanwalla Pay Code Rule, COO agreed verbally to retain me as a Non-Technical Supervisor Grade II. But it was not done and later events completely shattered my hopes, determination and did upset my morale. Thus effected heavy financial loss and ruined my careers.

12 On 24 Feb 1955, I was transferred to Base Ordnance Depot, ADADI, MADRAS vide PVE Part II Order No 26/55 refers as a Storeman. You will appreciate the fact that even though, I had been Re-Classified as a Storeman, still I was given the Job of a Technical Supervisor. I was put Incharge of ME Stores, Preservation, Receipts and Issues. Once again I had put up my application to COO Base Ordnance Depot, Adadi, Madras regarding my Re-Classification as a Technical Supervisor and explained the previous position of my case. The same verbal reply was given to me that the matter will be referred to the higher authorities, but I could not force the Depot authorities to give in writing, which will become against the procedure and they may turn against me to make charge sheet being serving under them, I have served 1½ years during the period, I was awarded again "OUTSTANDING MERITS" in the capacity of Storeman. Again I was made surplus in the above category and Re-classified as a Lower Division Clerk and subsequently transferred me to Armoured Corps Centre and School, AHMEDNAGAR. This is also effected my promotion and upsetted my career.

13. From the above, you will appreciate that during the period of 12 years service, I had been reclassified to three different categories and I had been made surplus in each category. How could I get my seniority for promotion, it is impossible to get the promotion. May I request your goodself whether I may wander like this throughout my service, as I had all along working in the store side, I gained much experience in the upkeeping the Defence stores, it is quite natural and it will not possible to but place to mention your goodself that a clerk, I am serving in ACC&S with utmost efficiency. Sir, due to frequent transfers and Re-Classifications, this effected my future careers, promotions and heavy financial loss to me. You will appreciate the difficulties which I had at that time and I had utmost patience, I had to bear the rude shocks of the following in my service

- (a) Appointment order did not specifically mentioned that I should be appointed as a Technical Supervisor.
- (b) Wrong fixation of my pay at the time of my appointment
- (c) TA has not been paid from Quetta to New Delhi and New Delhi to Whitefield.
- (d) Children Education allowance have not been paid.
- (e) The authorities Re-Classified me from Technical Supervisor to Non-Technical Supervisor, Non-Technical Supervisor to Storeman, and Storeman to Lower Division Clerk.
- (f) Instead of giving promotion, brought down to a lower category.
- (g) Transfer order cancelled suddenly by the authorities thus effected financial loss
- (h) Frequent transfers from one place to another place thus effected financial loss
- (i) While I was serving as a Lower Division Clerk. I reached maximum of pay in the year 1960, till now no increment has been granted, after lapse of 10 years personal pay of Rs 5/- has been granted in the year 1970. During this critical hard days, how a man pull on with meagre pay.
- (j) Ceiling of pay from 1961 to 1973, that is nearly 12 years.
- (k) Past 17 Years, I was stagnated in the post of Lower Division Clerk
- (l) I have not been received any financial help from the Government being a bonafide refugee.
- (m) Served overtime in ACC&S Ahmednagar 320 days during the period of 5 years service. The overtime allowance has not been paid nor given compensatory leave for the above period. It is also a financial loss.
- (n) Medical re-embrocement has not been paid.

In view of the above, I have got heavy financial loss, ruined life and entire family deteriorated.

14 I have rendered my service as a Lower Division Clerk from 1956 to 1961 in ACC&S Ahmednagar, During the period, I have rendered overtime ( Telephone Duty) referred in ACC&S Part II Orders from 1956 to 1961.

During the period in ACC&S Ahmednagar, Record Office arranged for Clerical Examination in the year 1957.

Contd Para 14

In that Examination, I have passed and stood first out of all UDC's and LDC's. That is called departmental examination. I was not promoted as UDC/SLDC and I could not find the reason for this but I could not forced the establishment.

15. In the year 1960, I have forwarded my application to Adjutant General AHQ, New Delhi for consideration to reclassify as Technical Supervisor or CSK Grade I. A reply received from E-in-C's Branch AHQ New Delhi vide his letter No 75321/EIC(1) dated 10 Mar 1961 reproduced below:-

" Shri. C. Swamivelu Nadar, who is at present employed under Garrison Engineer, Bangalore preferred a representation for Re-Classification whilst employed in the ACC&S Ahmednagar. The representation has been considered by the appropriate authorities at this HQ and it has decided that the request for Re-Classification as Supervisor (Technical) CSK Grade I, cannot be acceded to as these are promotion posts filled in the basis of selection. He may informed accordingly"

If so, how a Non-Technical Supervisor QPT, brought down as a Storeman on the basis of ~~Basic~~ Basic pay and how a Non-Technical Supervisor Grade II promoted to CSK Grade IV on the basis of Basic pay only. Whereas these are promotion posts filled in the basis of Basic pay not on selection. During the above period, no departmental promotion committee had been formed nor functioned. Further I would like to say that Non-Technical Supervisor is equal to UDC grade or a Selection Grade LDC. Please refer Annexure 'D' to CPRO No 169/49 and Min of Home Affairs letter No 30/203/48-A/Appts dated 24 Jan 49. It seems that injustice done to my case and no action was taken on my previous application in accordance with AHQ, Ministry of Home Affairs mentioned above.

16 Further to my application dated 18 May 1959, a reply received from Adjutant General Branch, AHQ, New Delhi, that I have been transferred ~~xxxxxxx~~ to Technical Development Estt (Bangalore and advised me to report completion by 30 Nov 59. Within the short period of 6 days, I had to pack up all my things and some of the articles sold in half rates to get ready to move to Bangalore. When I went to my office to get the movement order, I was informed that my posting withheld, the reason for which I dont know thus caused me heavy financial loss. In the year 1960 again I ~~was~~ forwarded another application to Adjutant General and a copy to Director of Ordnances Services, MGO's Branch, AHQ New Delhi for want of Re-Classification to be considered once again, but no reply has been received. In the year 1960 again I forwarded another application to Adjutant General AHQ, NEW DELHI for my transfer. I have intimated by the Army Headquarters vide their letter No 70538/ORG/C IV(b) dated 14 May 1960 reproduced below:-

" That the general question is still under examination Shri. C.S.Nadar LDC will however be considered for posting to Bangalore"



15. During the period, I have reached maximum pay Rs 120/- When I reached maximum, on the basis of basic pay they should have promoted me as Non-Technical Supervisor Grade I or CSK grade IV, UDC/SLDC. This was not done by them. In this connection as per JAGANNADHA DAS Committee fixed revised Pay Rs 180/- in the year 1961. From the year, I was stagnated in one category from 1956 to 1973 for the past 19 years. No promotion has been given so far.

16 Another application forwarded to Adjutant General AHQ NEW DELHI on 22 Nov 1960 requested for re-classification. No reply has been received. Again I have forwarded another application on 10 Dec 1960 for my transfer. But a confidential letter from Adjutant General vide their letter No 61728/36/MT-2 dated 06 Dec 1960 addressed to ACC&S Ahmednagar as shown to me and taken my signature in it. But I have asked for copy of the confidential letter, the contents of the letter, I have noticed that the Non-Technical Supervisor for Re-Classification is based on DPC. But they are aware of Army Instruction which I have mentioned in Para 14. In case if they found me surplus in the Non-Technical Supervisor in the Establishment, They should have tried to find where the vacancy exists in any formation/establishment. But it was done by them in my case.

17 During the period, I received my transfer order from AHQ vide their letter No 70538/ORG 4 (CIV)(b) dated 09 Jan 1961, to report to Garrison Engineer, BANGALORE. I came to this new establishment and served for 3 years. Again I have forwarded an application to E-in-C's AHQ New Delhi for change of clerical cadre to Barrack services. A reply received from CE SZ Madras vide their letter No 10207/269/EIB(R) dated 24 Apr 1968 reproduced below:-

" The case of MES 129461 Shri. C. Swamivelu Nadar LDC Opt for change of cadre from LDC to Barrack service cannot be considered as he does not fulfill the prescribed qualification ie AGE and Educational qualification mentioned in CPRO No 37/63"

In view of the above, they were very particular to quote the CPRO No 37/63, that I have not fulfilled prescribed qualification. But they are not referred the Government of India, Min of Home Affairs OM letter No 30/203/48-Appts dated 24 Jan 1949 and Civilian in Defence services(Ty) service Rules 1949 issued with procedural Instruction under Rules 3 (ii). I would to say once again that my AGE limit and Educational qualification already waved off in the year 1952, being a bonafide refugee. The question of AGE limit and educational qualification does not arise for the above cases. Further I would like to say your goodself, that I have serving as a Lower Division Clerk for the past 18 years. Did they not found the prescribed qualification to re-classify me as a Lower Division Clerk. Why they have not considered me the same in to Barrack Services.

18 Again I received my transfer order to report ESD Avadi, Madras in the year 1965 at that time my two daughter were studing in the Convent School, BANGALORE. I claimed for my daughters Education allowance through ESD Avadi. The claim returned to made some observation. I cleared the observation and sent the claim to CDS Pune. But I have not received Education allowances not I was intimated the reasons for non-payment. This is also additional financial loss( Please refer Govt of India, Min of Defence letter No 4(b)/62/2266/D(CIV)-I dated 20 March 1962.

19 Sir, I have already stated in my previous application that I have been serving in 3 different categories in 3 different Establishments. If I am served in one Establishment in one category at this time on seniority basis, I would have got the chance for promotion in the Non-Technical Supervisor Grade I, CSK Grade IV, UDC or Selection Grade IDC. Further I would like to say that my pay sealed on due to that I have reached maximum pay Rs 180/- in the year 1960. Your goodself may please be note that in these critical days, how a low paid man pull on his family life with meagre pay. Interim increment has been received in the year 1971, after lapse of 11 Years ie Rs 5/-. No financial benefit has been received from the Govt being a bonafide refugee. In many cases, several concessions were given by the Govt of India, in which my case overlooked by the authority, It is neglected and was not taken into account, Later I received a letter from CE SZ Madras vide his letter No 10031/1010/EIB dated 28 Jan 1970, the contents of which are reproduced below:-

" The case Shri. C.Swamivelu Nadar LDC Ty was referred to E-in-C for relaxation of Educational Qualification for considering regarding confirmation"

Please refer to E-in-C's letter No 65656/SN/EIR dated 21 Oct 69 reproduced in this office No 10146/214/E1(R) dated 14 Nov 69.

"Persons over aged for Quasi-permanent appointment are eligible for confirmation subject to the formal sanction to the relaxation of Educational Qualification to be given by the Head of the Department under CSR Art 51( Authy E-in-C AHQ New Delhi letter No 43884/PMSN/EIB(I) dated 23 Jan 56 and decision No 4 under Chowdhri compilation of the CSR ART 51". In this connection already mentioned in para 17 may please be refer.

20 In view of the above, no action for initiation for relaxation for Quasi-Permanency in respect of Shri. C.Swamivelu Nadar is necessary. At this stage formal sanction of the Head of Department may be obtained at the time of confirmation of the individual ( Authy :- CE SC Pune letter No 132505/4/EIB(S) dated 20 Jan 1970 )

21 I one again pointed out that, if they could not promote me the higher grade, at least they should have given me a change to Selection Grade IDC. This was not given and entirely overlooked. Again I was transferred to CWE Bangalore and internally transferred to Garrison Engineer ( South ) Bangalore. From here confirmation asked vide my application dated 28 Nov 71. Reply received from CE SC Pune vide their letter No 150108/7/EIB(R-DPC) dated 26 Aug 71 reproduced below:-

" Representation dated 28 May 71 from MES 129161 Shri. C.Swamivelu Nadar LDC Ty has been carefully examined. Shri. C.S.Nadar has been considered for permanency in the grade of IDC by the DPC held on 18 Jul 70 and a vacancy has been reserved for him. The case of relaxation of Educational Qualification in respect of him is still consideration of the Ministry of Defence. He will become eligible for permanency in the grade only on receipt sanction, for relaxation of Educational Qualification.

22 Again I have forwarded another application dated 19 Apr 72. Reply has been received vide CE SC Pune letter No 150108/7/EIB (R-DPC) dated 31 Jul 72. The contents of the same are re-produced below:-

" Representation dated 19 Apr 72 from MES/129161 Shri CS Nadar LDC Ty received under your letter reference has been examined. As stated in your letter No 150108/7/EIB(R-DPC) dated 26 Aug 71, Shri CS NADAR has already been considered for permanency in the grade of LDC and a vacancy has also been reserved for him. Since he does not pass the minimum educational qualification, his permanent appointment is subject to sanction for relaxation for educational qualification being accorded by the Govt of India. The case for relaxation of educational qualification has already been submitted to E-in-C's Br and is under active consideration. The question of relaxation of age limit is in mind at the time of declaring his permanent in the grade of LDC "

I would like to say once again that my age limit and educational qualification already waved off in the year 1952 being a bonafide refugee. Till now I have not been received my permanency. Again I forwarded an application to CE SC Pune on 14 Feb 73 still awaiting reply from them.

23 From the above your goodself would appreciate the difficulties I had undergone during the last 24 years on account of this systematic victimisation from one category to another and also due to frequent transfers. I am ashamed to regret to submit to you, that none of my grown up sons have passed even the basic qualification. Their future is very bleak. Now I have left only with 1-½ years service. The most unfortunate aspect is that I am Non-Technical Supervisor Grade II Opt and Lower Division Clerk Ty. If I am sent out, I will not be entitled for any benefits except my own GP Fund which is very meagre. It is totally the mistake of the Government for ruination of my career and heavy financial loss. I may submit to you that I am the only unfortunate Non-Gazetted employee in the whole of Defence Establishment, who did not even attain the status of permanency even after putting more than 24 Years of service. This is the treatment, a bonafide refugee person has got from the Government.

24 Sir, I have exhausted all my energy to get back my original grade of Technical Supervisor, as already mentioned above, my re-classification had been done purposely to victimise me. The authorities would have easily absorbed me against a Technical Supervisor post as early as 1955. Now it is too late for me to insist on this aspect.

Now I pray your goodself to kindly do the following needful :-

- (a) Promoting me to the grade of UDC/SLDC overriding all seniority, considering length of my service and also viewing the fact, that I am a bonafide refugee person, giving effective date of promotion with effect from 1952, the date on which I attained the status of Non-Technical Supervisor Grade-II Cpt.
  - (b) To confirm me as ULC/SLDC permanent.
  - (c) To kindly provide suitable employment opportunities to my two sons in any of the establishments under your kind control in Bangalore as a Special Case.
  - (d) Till my above case is decided an extension of two years extension of service may please be granted being a bonafide refugee person and it is more hardship and no other source of livelihood.
6. I request your goodself once again to consider my case very sympathetically.

Thanking you in anticipation,

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- x x x x

(C. SWATHIVE LU NADAR )

Bangalore - 42

Dated 3 Nov 74

Copy to :-

1. The Defence Secretary  
Ministry of Defence  
AHC PO, NEW DELHI -11  
with a request to kindly to take personal initiative to settle the above and also praying for extension of two years service, being a bonafide refugee person, it is more hardship and no other source of livelihood.
2. Adjutant General  
AGEs Branch (Org- iv(C))  
AHC, NEW DELHI - 11  
for information and necessary action.
3. Chief Engineer  
Southern Command  
Pune  
with reference your letter No 150108/7/EIB/(R-DPC) dated 26-6-71 and No 150108/7/EIB(R-DIC) dated 31 Jul 72.
4. Chief Engineer  
Southern Zone  
Madras  
with reference to your letter No 10031/1262/EIB(R) of 11 Aug 72.
5. CWE Bangalore  
with reference to your letter No 13275/961/E1A dated 18 Aug 72.

.....12/-

27 Further I would like to submit for your information that no reply have neither from E-in-C's nor from secretary of Ministry of Defence. However I have received a letter from CE SC Pune letter No 150108/7/EIB(R-DPC) dated 21 Feb 74, contents of the same are reproduced below:-

Statement of case in respect of undermentioned LDC were submitted to E-in-C's for relaxation educational qualifications:

Shri C. Swamyolu Nagar LDC

" P Arumugham LDC

E-in-C's AHO under their letter No 78187/EIC dated 27 July 74, has now asked us to obtain and forward the educational qualification certificate (up to which they had studied) from individual for resubmission of the case to Ministry.

In view of the above, it is requested that the qualification certificate as required in E-in-C's letter quoted above may please be obtained in duplicate to take further action in the matter.

I have been forwarded a reply to the effect to E-in-C's Branch on 08 Oct 74 (Copy of reply furnished below:-

" RELAXATION OF THE AGE AND EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION  
IN RESPECT OF DISPLACED GOVERNMENT SERVANT

Reference your letter No 78187/EIC dated 26 Jul 74

2 With due respect, I beg to state the following for your kind consideration.

With reference to para 1(i) of Govt of India, Min of Home Affairs, New Delhi letter No F/2/3/55-TRJ dated 30 Aug 55, I like state that I had appointed prior to Apr 1947, having been registered as Bonafide Refugee in the Ministry of Defence Transfer Bureau office New Delhi. My initial appointment was as Technical Supervisor of Examiners at COD Quetta. Based on the educational and qualification and experience certificates furnished at Ministry of Defence Bureau, I had been appointed as Non-Technical Supervisor at Vehicle Depot, Whitefield in the year 1949. I sincerely regret to mention that eventhough, I am corresponding with the authorities for a long time for the injustice meted out to me during the last 25 Years, at the fag end of my service, I had been asked to produce educational certificate for the sake of getting confirmation in the grade of LDC. In all my application, I had mentioned that I am Bonafide Refugee and according to rules my educational qualification can be waived.

3 I would request your goodness to kindly refer to Govt Of India, Ministry of Defence letter No 6(5) 58/6274/D-(Appts) dated 15 Sept 58, extract of which is reproduce below:-

Para 2

" Under the existing orders, one of the conditions for relaxation of educational qualifications for retention of unqualified persons is that the record of service of the individual concerned should be 'well above the average' It had been urged in this connection that as only a few unqualified persons are graded 'well above the average' Such persons have to continue to remain temporary inspite of their longer service

Contd Para 27  
Sub Para 2

which may have been satisfactory throughout, while persons junior to them are confirmed and promoted to higher grades. It has, therefore, been suggested that the condition referred to above should not be insisted upon and that persons with an average record of service also be considered eligible for the relaxation of the prescribed educational qualifications for the purpose of confirmation"

I would also like to draw your kind attention to CPRO/276/50 (Reproducing Min of Def, OM letter No 0596/8571/D-12 dated 31 Aug 49)

Para 2

" It has been suggested that provisions should be made in the Rules for the relaxation of the Age and Educational qualification in respect of displaced Government servants. However it is considered necessary to make general relaxation Specially deserving cases may be dealt with in accordance with the procedural instructions"

Finally, I would also request your kind attention to CPRO/653/52 (Reproducing Min of Def OM letter No 0960/D-Appts dated Apr 1952)

Para 2

" For the confirmation of Quasi-permanent employees in the grade in which they are Quasi-permanent no age limit will be applicable. In the case of confirmation of temporary employees who are not quasi-permanent the age limit prescribed for the posts with the general relaxation admissible ~~in the case of members of the~~ Schedule castes, Displaced Government servants and Burma Govt servants of Indian nationality be applicable"

Finally I would also request your kind attention, During my appointment in Ordnance depots from 1949 to 1956, AOC Record office was pleased with my experience and educational qualification and declared me as Non-Technical Supervisor Grade II Quasi-permanent with effect from 1952,

28. Even in the grade of Lower Division Clerk, I had completed 18 years of service, your goodself would kindly appreciate the fact that no LDC would be kept in service for such a long time, if he were to be found in efficient or lacking qualification in that grade. Sir, Finally, I beg to state that in my appeals dated 28 Nov 73 and 14 Aug 74, I had requested for extension of service being a displaced person. Again I beg to state that on account of Transfers from one place to another on surplus/Deficiency scheme, none of my children could be educated properly, nor settled in one place. My family completely ruined. In view of the above, I request your to consider the following:-

- (1) Extension of service for another 3 years being bonafide refugee person.

Contd Para 28

- (2) Considering me for promotion to UDC/SUDC based on length of service and the fact that I am a displaced person
- (3) Confirmation on priority basis

Thanking you

BANGALORE -42  
08 Oct 1974

Yours faithfully

Sd/- x x x x  
( C. SWA IVILU NADAR )

Copy to:-

The Defence Secretary  
Ministry of Defence  
HQ, New Delhi.

Praying for extension of service being a bonafide refugee. It is more hardship, and no other source of livelihood

- CE SC PUNE:- With reference to your letter No 150108/7/EIB(R-DPC) dated 04 Sept 74
- CE SZ MADRAS:- With reference to your letter No 10146/1295/LIB(R) dated 12 Sept 74

Please note

As regards my educational qualification, I beg to state that I have studied up to IXth standard (English) at Quetta. During riots in Pakistan, I had lost my certificate. However what all the proof, I had, regarding my service, experience and educational qualification, I had furnished to Ministry of Defence Transfer Bureau Office, New Delhi in 1947. I am not in possession to submit any other certificate regarding my educational qualification.

97

Telegram:  
Care CADLU

Telephone No. 621100

CONFEDERATION OF CENTRAL GOVT. EMPLOYEES & WORKERS  
T-10, I.N.A. Colony, New Delhi.  

---

All India Defence Employees Federation.

42 CAS/11/75

-----  
New Delhi, the 11th January, 1975

Dear Friend,

We are sure that you are deeply concerned with the continued indifference of the Govt. towards the plight of the Central Govt. employees in settling the issue of Dearness Allowance. Unfortunately, the Govt. is treating this issue in a cavalier fashion and the protest actions by few organisations of the Central Government employees seem to have not had the desired affect upon the Govt. and they seem to continue to take Central Government employees for granted. We therefore, feel that a stage has come when all Central Government employees organisations irrespective of any other difference among us should come together to launch upon action which would compel the Government to move in the matter. We have herewith enclosed decisions taken by some of the Central Government Employees Organisations which met in New Delhi on 11th January, 1975. The details of the programme of agitation is also indicated therein. As the situation demands a concerted united action by the entire Central Government Employees Organisations is called for. A meeting of all Central Government Employees Organisation is of paramount importance. We, therefore, request you to attend the meeting convened for this purpose on 15th January, 1975 at the residence of Shri S.M. Banerjee, M.P., 113, North Avenue, New Delhi, at 11.00 A.M. The programme indicated in the enclosed circular could be suitably modified if so desired. We are confident that our other differences would not stand in the way of united action which alone will be a fitting reply to the intransigence of the Government on Dearness Allowance issue.

We shall be grateful if you could kindly confirm the acceptance of this invitation.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,

*[Handwritten signature]*

*[Handwritten signature]*  
( S.M. Banerjee )  
President

All India Defence Employees Federation.

*[Handwritten signature]*

( S. Madhusudan )  
Vice-Chairman

Confederation of Central Govt. Employees and  
Workers.



Telegram:  
Care CADEU

Telephone No. 621100

CONFEDERATION OF CENTRAL GOVT. EMPLOYEES & WORKERS  
T-16, I.N.A. Colony, New Delhi.

New Delhi, the 11th January, 1975.

CIRCULAR

To

All Organisations of the  
Central Government Employees  
Affiliated to the Confederation.

All Central Govt. Employees  
Organisations.

All State Co-ordination Committees  
of the Confederation.

Dear Comrades,

Since the Convention of the Central Government employees held in New Delhi on 3rd/4th December, 1974 the question of Dearness Allowance has taken a serious turn due to continued indifference of the Government in announcing decision on the payment of Dearness Allowance Instalments that have become due to Central Government employees, Notwithstanding the serious economic hardships faced by the employees.

The Convention had given a call to all the Central Government Employees Organisations to stage a DHARMA on the 27th December, 1974 throughout the country in order to draw the attention of the Government to plight of the Central Government employees on account of deep erosion in their wages. Although the response to this call was unprecedented throughout the country, the Government has not taken note of the seriousness of the situation and continued its apathy towards the pressing demands of the Central Government employees.

Meanwhile the Federation of Central Secretariat and Allied Offices Employees resorted to RELAY HUNGER STRIKE from 2nd January, 1975 at New Delhi at Boat Club to focus the attention for the immediate payment of Dearness Allowance etc. A delegation of the Central Government employees also met Finance Minister, Shri C. Subramaniam, on the 9th January, 1975 and urged upon him to announce the decision of the Government on Dearness Allowance immediately. Significantly other Organisations of Central Government employees also participated in the Hunger Strike organised by the Federation of Central Sectt. and Allied Offices Employees. In spite of all this the Government have not cared to settle the DA demand

2/.....

and the employees organisations are left with no other alternative except to intensify the struggle to meet the demand of Dearness Allowance from the unwilling hands of the Government.

A meeting of the representatives of the Central Government Employees Organisations was therefore called on the 11th January, 1975 under the chairmanship of Com. S.M. Banerjee, M.P., President of All India Defence Employees Federation. The meeting reviewed the situation arising out of the continued apathy of the Central Govt. to announce the payment of the Dearness Allowance that have become due to Central Government employees and unanimously decided that the employees organisations should launch a country-wide agitation to register their protest in no uncertain terms. It has accordingly been decided that the Central Govt. employees organisations should start:-


- 1) 48 hour Hunger Strike commencing from Tuesday the 14th January, 1975 from 10. am and would continue till the 18th January, 1975, venue being Boat Club where Relay Hunger Strike is already continuing.
- 2) INDEFINITE HUNGER STRIKE by by the leaders of the Central Government employees organisations would commence from 18th January, 1975.
- 3) With effect from the 20th January, 1975 Central Govt. employees would resort to WORK TO RULE/GO SLOW; and
- 4) Mass Hunger Strike and Demonstrations by the Central Government employees would be held throughout the country and employees would go on Hunger Strike even while on duty on 22nd January, 1975.

It was also decided that efforts should be made to contact all other Central Government employees organisations not present in the meeting to-day to seek their support by participation in the programme.

The following organisations participated in the meeting held on 11th January, 1975:-

1. Indian Railway Workers Federation.
2. Confederation of Central Govt. Employees & Workers with all its affiliates including following organisations:-
  - a) National Federation of P&T Employees.
  - b) Federation of Central Sectt. & Allied Offices' Employees.
  - c) CPWD Workers Union.
  - d) Civil Aviation Deptt. Employees Union.
  - e) National Federation of Hospital Workers.
  - f) India Met. Deptt.(NG) Staff Union.
  - g) India Met. Workshops Union.
3. All India Defence Employees Federation.

With Greetings,

Yours fraternally,  
  
( S. Madhusudan )  
Vice-Chairman

# All India Railway Employees Confederation

The Federal Body of all Category, Departmental and Service Associations and Unions on all the Indian Railways

Secretary General:

**N. S. BHANGOO**

Secretary Finance:

**R. R. SHARMA**

43/12 Railway quarter,  
Lohi Nishan Ganj,

**K. P. RAMASWAMY**  
President

14-C, Railway Quarter,  
Royapuram, Madras-13.

98

Date 22.1.75.

Sh George Fernandez,  
Convener, N.C.C.R.S.

Dear Comrade,

As directed by the working Committee of the Confederation I wrote to you on 11-11-74 but got no reply, later on I tried to contact you in person but could not get the opportunity to see you due to your preoccupation. The Confederation is very anxious about the proper functioning of the N.C.C.R.S. special in view of the continued victimization of the railwaymen, non-fulfilment of the demands and commitments made by the N.C.C.R.S. to the Railwaymen. The Confederation as a constituent of the N.C.C.R.S. had requested you to call a national convention of the N.C.C.R.S. as per decision of the action Committee and general body of the N.C.C.F.S. but it is a matter of great concern that neither the action Committee has met any more nor convention is held. The Confederation working committee took a note of your complete silence on the subject in its meeting on 5-6 Jan 1975 at Naghalsari. Under these circumstances the Confederation has decided to hold its national convention on 21-22-2-75 at Secunderabad along with it the Confederation has decided to call the full body meeting of the N.C.C.R.S. on 23rd Feb at 10 A.M. at Secunderabad to consider the post strike situation, issue of victimization and demands and chalk out future programme.

You as the Convener of the N.C.C.R.S. are requested to attend it positively and direct all other units of N.C.C.R.S. to attend it. It will be highly appreciated if you issue circular to this effect to all concerned. We are from the side of Confederation are issuing invitation to the N.C.C.R.S. units for the meeting also.

With regards,

Yours Fraternaly,

( N.S. Bhangoo. )

Secy General.

Copy to :- Action Committee members of  
N.C.C.R.S. for information  
and to ensure the attendance of  
delegates of their units in the  
meeting.

*File*

RECEIVED  
22/1/75  
N.C.C.R.S.

*MCCRS/1/75*

Mirrored

11/1/75

99

NATIONAL CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE  
TIRUCHIRAPALLI DIVISION.

V.K.H. Mohamed Abdullah,  
Divl. Convener.

73, Loganmual Lane, E. Pudur,  
Tiruchirapalli-12,  
Dated 25th January 1975.

To  
Sri M. Manassivayam,  
Convener, South Zone, NCCRS, Madras.3

Dear Comrade,

Re: Strengthening of the Unity of the NCCRS.  
Ref: Your letter dated 15.1.75 & our reply dt. 17.1.75.

In response to your letter quoted above we have to inform you that we are also in full agreement with the view that the unity of NCCRS should be preserved at all costs. We also sincerely feel that the unity alone was the reason for the success of May 1974 strike and we hope that it is the duty of every constituent unit to maintain the well-knit unity in letter and spirit.

We are viewing the ensuing Southern Railway Employees' Credit Society elections in the above spirit and any attempt on the part of any individual constituent unit of the NCCRS to torpedo the unity cannot be viewed as helpful to maintain the unity.

We, therefore, believe that to maintain the present unity as aforesaid, each constituent unit of NCCRS representing also category-wise unions if given their due share in the coming Society election, the same may give equal status and responsibility for every unit and the units will, as well, realise of their supreme necessity to maintain status-quo in the matter of preservation of the unity of the NCCRS.

Any attempt to deviate from the above principle or to share the posts of Directors and Representatives for the Society on the part of units like S.R.H.U or DREU etc, under some extraneous understanding, we are sure, pave the way for withering away the energy of the well-knit of the NCCRS built on the sacrifice and sufferings of Railwaymen during the recent strike.

We strongly feel that the immediate problem facing the NCCRS is to bring back to duty all those whose services were terminated due to May 74 strike and render them and their family financial relief and the finance at the disposal of the NCCRS should, on no account, be expended on trivial matters like Society Elections etc. We hope, as the Zonal Convener, you will appreciate our stand and feelings and do your mite constructively. The unity, we trust, will be retained and preserved if only equal status and representation is given to all the constituent units of NCCRS failing which you will be held solely responsible for breaking the existing unity.

We, therefore, appeal to your good sense to please call for the meeting of the Zonal NCCRS to take stock of the prevailing situation, victimisation and financial relief to the victims etc, and to pave the way for retaining the present unity amongst the Railwaymen.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of this letter and let us have your reply very early.

With Greetings,

Yours fraternally,

Divisional Convener TPJ

Copy to all concerned.

UNITY IS STRENGTH; LONG LIVE UNITY

Handwritten notes: "In view of the fact that the NCCRS is a voluntary organization and we have necessary action to be taken..."

1000  
11/75  
Presentant

(95) 11/75  
NEW DELHI  
1000

DIVISIONAL INSURANCE EMPLOYEES' ASSOCIATION,  
JALPAIGURI (REGD. NO. 4670).

C/O. Sri Kumud Ghose  
New Town,  
Jalpaiguri.

Date: 2.6.75

The Convener, N.C.C.R.S.

c/o All India Railwayman's Federation

125/95 Babar Road

New Delhi - 110001

Dear Friend,

We are glad to inform you that the 19th Annual General Conference of Divisional Insurance Employees' Association, Jalpaiguri is scheduled to be held on 21st and 22nd June '75 at Jalpaiguri. The crisis which is inevitable in the capitalist society has been deepened more and more and in order to impose the burden of this economic crisis on to the shoulder of the working people a desperate bid is in the offing. The Govt. is not only adopting abortive means to get out of the crisis, but it is enforcing its class policy with the aid of violence. The authoritarian measure by way of Wage Freeze Act, the crushing of strikes, gangsterism against the trade unions by the youth wing of the ruling party has become the rule of the day. In fact, we, in Jalpaiguri, have already been threatened by such elements and they have paraded through the Office during Office hours with abusive slogans for holding our own views. Added to this, are the menace of jailings under MISA and DIR. There are signs that collective bargaining will soon be rendered a complete farce. The ominous signs are already there that tolerance towards opposition is feeble and the ruling party is intent on establishing a one party dictatorship in the country. This is the danger that the working people and T.U. movement has to fight when they fight against the burden of the crisis. Against this background we will have to discuss our own industrial problems. We extend you our hearty welcome to the open session of the Conference. If, for reasons beyond your control, you are unable to attend, kindly grace us with a few lines of message on the occasion.

Friendly yours,

Anil Kumar Niyogi  
General Secretary.