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Kapil Chamoli (General Secretary)

Subject: Recruitment in the cadre of Multi Tasking Staff (MTS).

Raju Bhargay (Vice-President)

Sir,

To

Sarjeet Singh (Asst. General Secretary) (General)

As per Recruitment Rules of MTS the sanctioned strength of MTS is 1447 and as per data available in metnet, 989 MTS are working against these posts. Thus, 458 posts of MTS are lying vacant for last few years, the vacancies occurred due to retirement.

Sumer Budhiraja (Asst. General Secretary) (Organisation)

As we know that the Group-D employees have been upgraded to Group-C by the 6th CPC and all their cadres have been merged and re-named as Multi Tasking-Staff (MTS). As such, now MTS is supposed to do all the work which was earlier assigned to the Group-D staff. They have to perform a variety of work. Shortage of staff in MTS cadre has added to the burden in their routine work. There is shortage of staff everywhere and work is somehow managed by hiring Daily Rated Majdoors (DRM). The DRMs are easily available at metro cities but it is very difficult to hire them at remote stations.

Ravinder Kumar (Treasurer)

> In addition to above, this Union does not support the practice of hiring contractual/ temporary employees against the permanent posts in any cadre. It is, therefore, requested that the process of recruitment of MTS against the vacant posts may be initiated at the earliest.

Vijay Pal Singh (CEC Member)

Rupesh Kumar Pandita (CEC Member)

Rohtas Singh

(CEC Member)

Thanking you,

Vandana (Lady Representative) SHOK GLOCK

General Secretary

With regards,