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**आर बी ई सं/RBE No. 19 / 2015**

**पी बी सी सं/ PBC No: 27 / 2015**

All PHODs / DRMs / CWMs / CEWE / CAO / CPM / Dy.CPOs / Sr.DPOs /  
DPOs / SPOs / WPOs / APOs of HQ / Divisions / Wokshops / other Units, etc.,  
(As per mailing list - 'A' )

विषय/Sub:Family Identity Cards to retiring / retired railway employees.

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A copy of Railway Board's letter No.E(W) 2003/PS 5-8/1dt.16-03-2015  
(RBE No. 19/2015) on the above subject is enclosed for information,  
guidance and necessary action.

Railway Board's letter dated 24-08-2006 and 04-06-2003 referred  
therein have been circulated under PBC No. 163 / 2006.

(K.BABU)

Asst. Personnel Officer / Engg.  
For Chief Personnel Officer

संलग्न/Encl: as above

प्रतिलिपि/Copy to : The Genl Secy / SRMU  
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RBE No. 19/2015

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

No.E(W) 2003/PS 5-8/1

Date 16.03.2015

The General Manager(P)  
&  
The General Manager(Comml.),  
All Indian Railways.

**Sub:** Family Identity Cards to retiring/retired railway employees.

In terms of Board's letter of even number dated 24.08.2006 on the above subject, Family Identity Cards Issued to retiring/retired railway employees are renewed after every 7 years.

2. The issue regarding enhancing the validity of such Family Identity Cards from present 7 years has been under consideration in Board's Office. The matter has been considered by Board and it has now been decided that validity of Family Identity Cards issued to retiring/retired railway employees and widows of railway employees will now be for lifetime instead of 7 years. Other terms and conditions as laid down in Board's letter of even number dated 04.06.2003 will remain the same.

3. This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.

4. Please acknowledge receipt.

  
**(Debasis Mazumdar)**  
**Director Estt.(Welfare)**  
**Railway Board**