Government of India
Ministry of Railways
(Railway Board)

RBA No.44 /2004

No.2004/AC-II/21/1 Pt.I

New Delhi, Dated 16 /11/04.

FA&CAOs,
All Zonal Railways/PUs.

Sub:- New Pension System.

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A reference has been received from CGA according to which the information submitted on floppies/electronic media by the Railways is still not being sent in the format prescribed by the CRA (CPAO). In this regard, attention is invited to AM/B's letter of even no. dated 15.07.04, requesting you to ensure submission of the information in prescribed formats. It is regretted that the system is yet to be stabilised even though the scheme has been in operation for the past 10 months. Further, the feedback received from the Railways has also revealed that Railways have not made complete recoveries towards both employee's contribution as well as Government contribution. It may be appreciated that information gap between the Railways and CRA or short/non-recoveries of contribution would lead to serious consequences, as these would directly affect the benefits that accrue to the beneficiaries.

It is therefore, desired that due recoveries (both employee and Government contribution to Tier-1) wherever pending/in arrears may be pulled up immediately under advice to Board's Office, besides ensuring timely/complete recovery in future. As regards, submission of information to CPAO, Railways may make necessary arrangements with the help and consultation of Sr.EDPMs for capturing the data in stipulated format and send the same to that office in hard and soft copies under intimation to Board. It may also be ensured that information so sent is accepted by that office.

Further, current status of implementation of NPS may also be advised as per the enclosed format by return.

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

DA: As above

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Status of implementation of NPS w.e.f. 1/1/04

Month	No of employees who joined service w.e.f. 1/1/04 and covered under NPS.	Total amount due to be recovered from emolyees towards Tier-1 NPS.	Recoveries made so far.	Amount due as Government contribution.	Amount of Government contribution already made	Whether information regarding new entrants and recoveries sent to CPAO in stipulated format
Jan'04						
Feb'04						
March'04						
April'04						
May'04						
June'04						
July'04						
Aug'04						
Sept'04						

Note :

1. The month of recovery may also be indicated in case the recoveries were not made in the due month (The recoveries are required to be made from 1st of the month following the month in which the employee has joined the service,)