

National Coordination Committee of Railwaymen's Struggle (NCCRS) (File No. NCCRS/1/74/Part-I)

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Eastern Railwaymen's Union.

Registered under Indian Trade Union Act 1926 (Regd. No. 2770)

Recognised by the Eastern Railway Administration.

Affiliated to The All India Railwaymen's Federation.

BimDe,
Genl Secretary

CENTRAL OFFICE

23 & 24, Strand Road,

No. P S/RS/74

Cal-1 4.5.76

My d Choube,

Here is a true copy of the letter no. WC/76 dt. 3.5. from the General Secretary, A.I.L.R.S. A E. Rly. which speak for itself. It will be appreciated if you would take appropriate action in the matter and let me know.

More when we meet.

Yours sincerely,

Sri

J. Proube,
Genal Secretary,
All India Railwaymen's Federation,
1253abar Road,
Newelhi-110001.

DA for



TELEPHONE : 40947

TELEGRAM : RAILWAYMEN

All India Railwaymen's Federation

(Estd. 1924)

125/E, BABAR ROAD, NEW DELHI-1.

No. AIRF/NCCRS/76

Dated May 7, 1976.

The General Secretary,
Eastern Railwaymen's Union,
Calcutta.


Dear Com.,

Ref: Your D.O. letter No. PS/NCCRS/
74 dated 4/5/1976.

With reference to your aforesaid letter it is to inform you that we have not received the enclosure attached to ~~this~~ the above letter as stated by you i.e., the letter of the General Secretary, A.I.L.R.S.A., E.Rly.

Please send the same at your earliest.

Yours faithfully,


(Sansar Chand)
Office Secy.

TELEPHONE: 40947

TELEGRAM: RAILWAYMEN

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR
RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE.

125-B, Babar Road,
Railway Quarters,
New Delhi.

No. NCC/1/74

Dated March 14, 1974.

Dear friend,

The enclosed resolution was adopted by the National Convention of railwaymen held at New Delhi on February 27, 1974. The Convention was attended by over 2000 delegates from about 100 unions and associations of railwaymen.

The resolution is self-explanatory. I do not have to emphasise that should a settlement on the demands of railwaymen as outlined in the resolution of the Convention fail to emerge by April 10, 1974, a general strike of 20,00,000 railwaymen would become inevitable from any day thereafter.

Needless to say we want to avert the strike and arrive at an amicable settlement on the demands. Unfortunately, the Railway Ministry has been unhelpful in this matter, and has refused to negotiate on these demands even though they were first forwarded to the Railway Board by the All India Railwaymen's Federation on November 8, 1973.

I am now requesting you to use your influence with the Government to persuade the Railway Ministry to open talks with us on the demands contained in the resolution.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

George Fernandes
George Fernandes
Convener

National Coordination
Committee for Railwaymen's
struggle.

Encl: as above.
(a copy of
resolution)

National Co-ordination Committee For Railwaymen's Struggle

राष्ट्रीय रेल मजदूर संघर्ष समन्वय समिति

Convenor :
George Fernandes125/E, Babar Road,
NEW DELHI-1

NCC/1/74

Dated March 4, 1974

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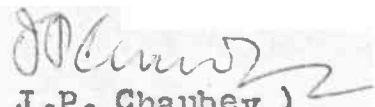
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DA/as above

Sd/- George Fernandes

Shri L.N. Mishra,
Minister for Railways,
Rail Bhavan,
New Delhi.

Copy to All the Constituents of the National Convention for information.


(J.P. Chaubey)
for Convenor.

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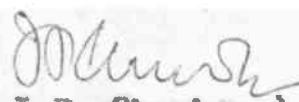
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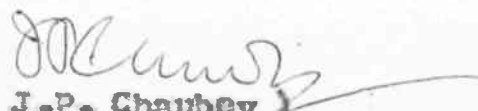
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ALL INDIA TRADE UNION CONGRESS

24, CANNING LANE, NEW DELHI-1

President : Dr. RANEN SEN, M.P.

General Secretary : S. A. DANGE

2 March 1974

To,

Com. George Fernandes,
Convener, National Coordination Committee
of Railwaymen,
125 Babar Road,
New Delhi-1.

Dear Comrade,

We are giving below the names of our nominees in the
Action Committee and the Coordination Committee:

ACTION COMMITTEE

1. Mrs. Parvati Krishnan, M.P.
Secretary, AITUC,
24, Canning Lane, New Delhi-1
2. Com. Sri Krishna, General Secretary,
Northern Railway Workers Union,
65/68, New Rohtak Road, New Delhi-5

COORDINATION COMMITTEE

1. Com. Ved Prakash Sinha,
General Secretary,
North Eastern Railway Mazdoor Union,
561(1) Bichia Railway Colony,
Gorakhpur (U.P.)

ALTERNATE MEMBER

- Com. Ram Pravesh Ram,
Joint General Secretary,
N.E. Railway Mazdoor Union,
256-D, New Colony, N.E.Rly.
Garhara (Bihar)
2. Com. J.M. Biswas,
General Secretary,
Northeast Frontier Railway Workers
Union, Near Ware House, Maligaon,
Gauhati-11 (Assam)
Alternate: B.M. Bose, Guard,
Northeast Frontier Rly,
BBC Colony, Pandu (Assam)
3. Com. Ram Balak Singh, M.L.A.
General Secretary, Eastern Railway
Workers Union, 75, M.L.A. Club,
Gardiner Road, PATNA (Bihar)
Alternate:
Com. J.M. Biswas, President,
Eastern Railway Workers Union,
144, Lenin Sarani, CALCUTTA-13
4. Com. Ramjilal Sharma, General Secretary
Western Railway Workers Union,
Power House Road, Jaipur (Rajasthan)
Alternate: Com. B.R. Shivankar,
Secretary,

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Com. B.R. Shivankar, Secretary
Western Railway Workers' Union,
Dalvi Building, Parel,
Bombay-12

5. Com. P.K. Kumaran, President,
South Central Railway Workers Union,
24, Janpath, New Delhi-110001

Alternate:

Com. J. Satyanarayana,
General Secretary,
S.C. Railway Workers Union,
Himayatnagar, Hyderabad-500029

6. Com. K. Gopinathan, General Secretary,
Railway Labour Union, (S. Railway)
86 B, Railway Quarters,
Tambaram, Madras-45

Alternate:

Com. M. Kalyanasundaram, M.P.
President, Railway Labour Union,
157, Broadway, Madras-1

7. Com. Bua Ditta Sharma,
Northern Railway Workers Union,
65/68, New Rohtak Road,
Karolbagh, New Delhi-5

Alternate:

(will be informed later)

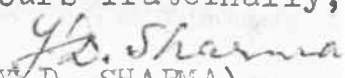
8. Com. R. Dakshina Moorthy,
General Secretary,
I.C.F. Workers Union,
140/3 Konnur High Road,
Ayanavaram, Madras-23

Alternate:

(will be informed later)

9. Com. Biswanath Roy Choudhary,
General Secretary,
C.L.W. Employees Union,
144, Lenin Sarani, Calcutta-13

Alternate: (Will be informed later)

Yours fraternally,

(Y.D. SHARMA)
Secretary

George Fernandes,
Convener

Phone: 40947 (P&T)
81-270 (Rlys.)

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE
FOR RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE

125/E, Babar Road, New Delhi.

NCC/1/74


March 14, 1974.

Dear Com. Sharma,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter, dated March 2, 1974, containing the names of your representatives on the Action Committee and on the National Coordination Committee for Railwaymen's Struggle.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,


George Fernandes
Convener.

Sri Y.D. Sharma,
Secretary,
All India Trade Union Congress,
24, Canning Lane,
New Delhi

George Fernandes,
Convener

Phone: 40947(P&T)
81270(Rlys.)

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE
FOR RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE

125/E, Babar Road, New Delhi.

NCC/1/74


March 14, 1974.

Dear Com. Phatak,

This is to acknowledge your cyclostyled letter, dated March 1, 1974, containing the names of your representatives on the National Coordination Committee for the Railwaymen's Struggle.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,


George Fernandes
Convener

Shri M.M.Phatak,
Secretary General (Org.),
Bharatiya Railway Mazdoor Sangh,
Camp Office: Delhi.

BHARATIYA RAILWAY MAZDOOR SANGH

Camp Office Delhi
March 1, 1974.

To

The Convener,
National Co-ordination Committee, for Railwaymen's Struggle,
125-E Bahar Road, New Delhi-1.

Dear Brother,

At the meeting held on 28/2/74 at 3-30 P.M. of the above Committee it was decided to intimate the names and Address of the representative of each Union on the above Committee along with his substitute. Accordingly, I furnish below the names & Address of the persons that shall represent the Unions affiliated to the Bharatiya Railway Mazdoor Sangh.

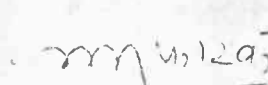
| <u>S.No.</u> | <u>Name of the Union</u> | <u>Name of the Person</u> | <u>Address</u> |
|--------------|--|--------------------------------------|--|
| 1. | Madhya Railway Karmachari Sangh | D.M. Raodeo S.D. Deodhar | 33 Moti Bhawan Disilva Rd BOMBAY-28. |
| 2. | Paschim Railway Karmachari Parishad | Damodar Sharma Lok Nath | Opp. Hotel Bhimganj Kota-2. H.No. 171 Jeevan Compound Chhilight Agra |
| 3. | Dakshin Madhya Railway Karmik Sangh | V.B.S.R. Sastry R.V. Subbarao | 9-4-35, G Railway 3 Secundera -25. -do- |
| 4. | Dakshin Railway Karmik Sangh | P.N. Srinivasan K. Mahalingam | 10 Vellal Street MADRAS 23. -do- |
| 5. | Dakshin Purva Rly. Mazdoor Sangh | A.K. Chakrabarty S.C. Mishra | 4 Bhabanda 1st Floor CALCUTTA- 26 Elect. D I/71/H ANARA (R) Purulia |

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| Sl.No. | Name of the Union | Name of the person | ADDRESS |
|--------|---|-------------------------|---|
| 6. | Purvottar Railway Shramik Sangh | 1.Sri.R.P. Srivastava | C/o Bharatiya Mazdoor Sangh, Jatepurpkhara Jateshankar, <u>GORAKHPUR.</u> |
| | | 2.Sri.Ram Janam Pandey | North East Railway Quarters, T.No.132 D, <u>VARANASI (U.P)</u> |
| 7. | Uttar Railway Karmachari Union | 1.Sri.Tej Ram Dogra | 5239 Ajmeri Gate <u>DELHI - 6</u> |
| | | 2.Sri.Brijlal Handa | <u>do</u> |
| 8. | Simant Railway Karmachari Sangh | 1.Sri.A.K. Roychowdhari | Accounts Clerk, DAO Office, NP RAILWAY <u>KATIHAR.</u> |
| | | 2.I.N.Jha | Quarter No.729 P Emergency Colony, <u>NEW BLY. KATIHAR</u> |
| 9. | Purvi Railway Karmachari Sangh | 1.Balleshwar Sharma | No.6, Gate, Kesapur <u>JAMALPUR (BIHAR)</u> |
| | | 2.Debeschandra Sanyal | No.16/C Sankharipara Road, <u>CALCUTTA-25</u> |
| 10. | I.C.F. KARMACHARI SANGH | 1.C.F. Sankaranarayanan | No.17, <u>New Street, MADRAS 23</u> |
| | | 2.N.Boopathy | 11/4, I.C.F. Furnishing Colony, <u>MADRAS-38</u> |
| 11. | DLW HAZDOOR SANGH | 1.Jwala Prasad Tiwari | Quarter 152 I, DLW Colony, <u>VARANASI</u> |
| | | 2.Ramnaresh Singh, IIC | Bharatiya Mazdoor Sangh 2, Navin Market, <u>KANPUR (U.P)</u> |
| 12. | Chittaranjan Rail Engine Karkhana Karmachari Sangh. | 1.N.K.Ghosh | Street No.24, Quarter No.7B, <u>Chittaranjan</u> |
| | | 2.Paritosh Patak | C-15A Gold Mohar Avenue <u>Chittaranjan</u> |
| 13. | M.T.P. RAWILWAY KARMACHARI SANGH | 1.A.T.Paratkar | Draftsman, MTP Railways Project, <u>BOMBAY-10</u> |
| | | 2.M.K.GUHA | Draftsman MTP Railways Civil Engineering Dept. <u>Calcutta-1</u> |

Thanking you,

Brotherly yours,


 (M.N. PRATAK) 2/3/68
 SECRETARY GENERAL (ORG.)

George Fernandes,
President.

Convener

Phones : 40947 (P&T)
81-270 (Rlys.)

NATIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE
FOR RAILWAYMEN'S STRUGGLE

125/E, Babar Road, New Delhi.

NCC/1/74

March 14, 1974.


Dear Com. Bhango,.

This is to acknowledge your letter of
10th March, 1974.

I don't think it is necessary to convene
a meeting of the Action Committee of the Railwaymen
to discuss the matters relating to the Convention
of the Central Govt. Employees. We would call such
a meeting after their convention, should it be
felt necessary.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,


George Fernandes.
Convener

Shri N.S. Bhango,
Secretary General,
All India Railway Employees
Confederation,
43/12, Railway Colony,
Kishan Ganj,
Delhi-7.

ALL INDIA RAILWAY EMPLOYEES CONFEDERATION

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

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N. S. Bhangoo

Secretary Finance :

R. R. Sharma



Office :

43/12. Rly. Colony,
Kishan Ganj, DELHI-7.

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12/3/74 - Date..... 10.3.1974

Com. George Fernandes,
Convenor,
National Coordination Committee of Rly. Men's struggle.

Dear Comrade,

It is reliably learnt that you had called a meeting of the leaders of different Central Govt. Organisations including National Coordination Committee of Railwaymen on 8th March, 1974 in your AIRFC Office. It is stated to be in connection with some proposed convention of All Central Govt. Employees for joint struggle.

It is understood that the National Coordination Committee of Railwaymen's struggle was in the invitation letter. As the Coordination Committee can't be summoned at such short notice, the 13 members action committee was the appropriate body to be called in and consulted for such moves and actions. That has not been done and I donot know who represented the coordination committee in that meeting. However, it is my humble suggestion that to build up real coordination among different organisations in the Railways for a joint struggle all must be taken into confidence for any such moves, otherwise our all efforts to achieve unity by forming these committees will be quite meaningless.

It will be appreciated if you call an immediate meeting of the action committee at Delhi to discuss these issues and put the committee in action for the coming struggle.

With kind regards,

Yours fraternally,


(N.S. BHANGOO)
SECRETARY GENERAL

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Copy to: Members of Action Committee through
AITUC, BRMS, CITU, AND LRSA.

(N.S. BHANGOO)

2632
12/3/74

INDIAN RAILWAYS TICKET CHECKING STAFF ASSOCIATION
HEAD OFFICE : NEW DELHI
CAMP OFFICE : KANAKANGAN, BIDHAMPALLY, MADHYAMGRAM
24 PARGANAS, WEST BENGAL

Special Bulletin No. 3 (74)

Dated 5-3-1974

Dear Comrades,

Subject : National Coordination Committee for
Railwaymen's struggle
(Rastriya Rail Mazdoor-Sangharsh Samannaya Samity)

In connection with the above I have the pleasure to invite your attention that as per proposal of various categorical organisations including Indian Railways Ticket Checking Staff Association, a national convention of Railway men was convened by AIRF on 27th February 1974 in front of Badminton Hall, New Delhi. It was largely attended by the representatives of all the railwaymen's unions/associations and organisations.

The NFIR and its affiliated unions who were also invited to attend the Convention, however, did not participate. The Convention appointed a National Coordination Committee for Railwaymen's struggle and decided that the Committee will consist of representatives of all the participating unions/Associations and organisations. A copy of the Resolution is enclosed herewith for ready reference.

The first meeting of the National Coordination Committee for Railwaymen's struggle was held on 28-2-74, at 125/E, Babar Road, New Delhi with Com. George Fernandes in the Chair. After deliberations the following decisions were taken.

1. All participating unions/associations and organisations will send name of one representative from each of their organisations and also one additional name for alternate membership of the Coordination Committee at their earliest.
2. All the participating unions/associations and organisations will ratify the resolution of the Convention in their respective forums and send copies of the resolution so adopted by their organisations to the Coordination Committee's office and also communicate necessary instructions to their local units.
3. The office of the Coordination Committee will be at 125/E, Babar Road, New Delhi-1, and all correspondence addressed to the Convenor of the Coordination Committee should be sent to this address.
4. As resolved by the Convention all participating organisations shall form Coordinating Committees at all possible levels.
5. Each participating organisation will collect its own Struggle Fund. However, for joint expenses the funds will be contributed by each participating Union/Association/organisation according to the requirements.
6. All participating Unions/Associations and organisations will immediately contribute Rs.50/- each for the expenses of the office of the Coordination Committee at their earliest.
7. During the "Demands Week" from 2nd to 8th April, 1974, the following minimum programme should be observed by all the constituent unions/Associations and organisations of the Coordination Committee.

- a) All railwaymen will wear badges during the week from 2nd to 8th April, 1974. The badges will be printed in the name of the Coordination Committee. A specimen badge will be supplied to all the participating organisations by the office of the Coordination Committee.
- b) Badges will be printed by the local units of all the participating unions/Associations and organisations.
- c) On 8-4-74, massive demonstrations shall be arranged jointly by all the unions/associations/Organisations in front of their respective Divisional/and Zonal Headquarters.
- d) The local units of the participating organisations shall take all necessary steps to popularise the Railwaymen's demands and to create necessary sanctions to achieve these demands as also to educate public opinion and prepare the railwaymen for an indefinite General Strike.

8. The next meeting of the Coordination Committee will be held on 15-4-1974, at 125/E, Babar Road, New Delhi-1 from 1.00 P.M.

All Zonal, Divisional and Central Office bearers and Executive members are directed to pay serious attention in it and do the needful to materialise the programme considering the better interest of the Ticket Checking Staff in particular and railwaymen in general.

Further for your information, that Sri D.B. Roy, General Secretary, IRTCSA and Sri K.L. Azad, Office Secretary, IRTCSA, have been included in the National Coordination Committee for railwaymen's struggle on behalf of IRTCSA.

Thanking you,

Fraternally yours,



(D.B. Roy)
General Secretary
IRTCSA

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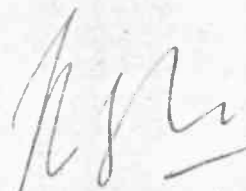
Office :
43/12, Rly. Colony,
Kishan Ganj, DELHI-7.

Date... 6/3/74.....


Dear Com. Chowdhry..

Please arrange to send 50 copies
each of two days proceedings of
the meeting held in your office on 28 Feb
1st March with our organisations through
beamer.

Thanks.


(N. S. Bhangoo)

40 Copies
5 with beamer


6/3/74

नॉर्दन रेल्वे वर्कर्स यूनियन (रजिस्टर्ड)

NORTHERN RAILWAY WORKERS' UNION (REGD)

AFFILIATED TO ALL INDIA TRADE UNION CONGRESS (AITUC)

Central office : 65/68, New Rohtak Road, Karol Bagh, New Delhi-5

President : Satish Lamba

General Secretary : Shrikrishna

प्रेसीडेंट : सतिश लम्बा

जनरल सेक्रेटरी : श्रीकृष्णा

Dated 7th March, 1974.

The Convener,
National Coordination Committee for
Railwaymen's struggle,
125-C, Pabar Road Rly. Quarters,
NEW DELHI.

Dear Comrade,

I give below the names and address of the persons who will represent this organisation in the Nation Coordination Committee:-

Member

Shrikrishna,
General Secretary,
Northern Railway Worker's Union,
65/68, New Rohtak Road,
NEW DELHI-5.

Alternate member

Bauditta Sharma,
Secretary, Northern Rly. Workers' Union
65/68, New Rohtak Road
NEW DELHI
301/C Double Store Quarters, B-Block Rly. Colony.
AMRITSAR.

Yours fraternally,

Shrikrishna
(Shrikrishna)
General Secretary.

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All India Guards Council

Regd. No. 1140; H. O. Delhi,

General President,

R. P. Yadav, M.P.
40, North Avenue,
New Delhi-1

Chief Patron

Dr. L. M. Singhvi

General Secretary

C. L. Upadhyay,
72, Takia Ganeshganj,
Lucknow-4, U. P.

No. 33/73/74

Date 6th March, 1974.

The Convenor,
National Coordination Committee
for Railwaymen,
New Delhi.

Dear Sir,

Reference your letter No. NCC/1/74 dated March-1, 1974, I am directed by the Council to nominate the following two representatives towards National Coordination Committee for Railwaymen:-

1. Shri C.L. Upadhaya,
General Secretary, All India Guards' Council,
(Permanent).
2. Shri S.S. Ahuja,
Office Secretary, All India Guards' Council (Alternative).

As regards the ratification of the Resolution by the AIC the same will be done in our Ist C.G.C. meeting likely to be held in the end of March, 1974.

Rs.50/- as required for the expenses of the office of the Coordination committee is being deposited.

Yours faithfully,

C. L. Upadhyay
General Secretary.

Delhi address:
S. S. Ahuja
33/7 Ray under Nagar
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George Fernandes,
Convener.

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March 4, 1974.

Dear Mr. Mishra,

Enclosed is the copy of a resolution adopted at the National Convention of Railwaymen on February 27, 1974. The resolution is self-explanatory.

May I request you to take the necessary steps to bring about a settlement on the demands contained in the resolution? Please note that failure in this regard will mean an indefinite general strike on the Railways which we are keen to avoid.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely

Encl: as above.


George Fernandes

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Telegram:RAILWAYMEN

NATIONAL CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE FOR RAILWAYMEN'S
STRUGGLE,
(RASHTRIYA RAIL MAZDOOR SANGHARSH SAMANUYA SAMITI)

125-E, Babar Road,
New Delhi.

No. NCC/1/74

Dated March 1, 1974.

To

All the participating
Unions/Associations/Organisations
of the Railwaymen.

Dear Comrade,

Reg: Implementation of the resolutions
adopted at the National Convention
of the Railwaymen held at New Delhi
on 27-2-1974.

The National Convention of Railwaymen held at New Delhi on the 27th February, 1974 was largely attended by the representatives of all the railwaymen's Unions/Associations and Organisations. The NFIR and its affiliated unions who were also invited to attend the Convention, however, did not participate. The Convention appointed a National Coordination Committee for Railwaymen's Struggle and decided that the Committee will consist of representatives of all the participating unions/Associations and organisations. A copy of the Resolution is enclosed herewith for ready reference.

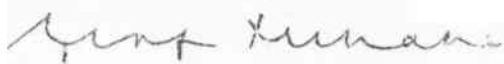
The first meeting of the National Coordination Committee for Railwaymen's struggle was held on 28-2-74, at 125/E, Babar Road, New Delhi with Com. George Fernandes in the Chair. After deliberations the following decisions were taken.

1. All participating unions/associations and organisations will send name of one representative from each of their organisations and also one additional name for alternate membership of the Coordination Committee at their earliest.
2. All the participating unions/associations and organisations will ratify the resolution of the Convention in their respective forums and send copies of the resolution so adopted by their organisations to the Coordination Committee's office and also communicate necessary instructions to their local units.
3. The office of the Coordination Committee will be at 125/E, Babar Road, New Delhi-1, and all correspondence addressed to the Convener of the Coordination Committee should be sent

to this address.

4. As resolved by the Convention all participating organisations shall form Coordinating Committees at all possible levels.
5. Each participating organisation will collect its own Struggle Fund. However, for joint expenses the funds will be contributed by each participating Union /Association./organisation according to the requirements.
6. All participating Unions/Associations. and organisations will immediately contribute Rs.50/- each for the expenses of the office of the Coordination Committee at their earliest.
7. During the "Demands Week" from 2nd to 8th April, 1974, the following minimum programme should be observed by all the constituent unions/Associations and organisations of the Coordination Committee.
 - a) All railwaymen will wear badges during the week from 2nd to 8th April, 1974. The badges will be printed in the name of the Coordination Committee. A specimen badge will be supplied to all the participating organisations by the office of the Coordination Committee.
 - b) Badges will be printed by the local units of all the participating unions/Associations and organisations.
 - c) On 8-4-74, massive demonstrations shall be arranged jointly by all the unions/associations/Organisations in front of their respective Divisional./ and Zonal Headquarters.
 - d) The local units of the participating organisations shall take all necessary steps to popularise the Railwaymen's demands and to create necessary sanctions to achieve these demands as also to educate public opinion and prepare the railwaymen for an indefinite General Strike.
8. The next meeting of the Coordination Committee will be held on 15-4-1974, at 125/E, Babar Road, New Delhi-1 from 1.00 P.M.

Yours fraternally,


George Fernandes
Convener.

Dear Com Comptroller.

15/2/3/74

Kindly arrange to send me
50 copies of Minutes of two days
meeting of all organisations on
28th Feb + 1st March 74 through
Lancaster. These are required for
reference of units outside

with gratitude

Yours fraternally



Secy Gen AIREC
(N. S. Bhargava)

To Comptroller
Commanor.
N. C. C. R. S.

Secretary General
All India Railway Employees Confederation

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All India Railwaymen's Federation

125/E, BABAR ROAD, NEW DELHI-1.



INVITATION TO MEET ON 8TH MARCH 1974.

1. Confederation

1. Shri S.K. Vyas.
2. Shri S. Madhusudan,
3. Shri K.N. Nayagam, and
4. Shri N.J. Iyer.

2. A.I.D.E.F.

1. Shri S.M. Bannerjee,
2. Shri K.G. Srivastava,
3. Shri K.M. Mathew.

3. N.F.P.T.E.

1. Shri A.S. Rajan,
2. Shri K.G. Bose.

4. N.F.P.T.E.

1. Shri O.P. Gupta,
2. Shri S. Piraamanathan.

5. F.N.P.T.O.

1. Shri Raghbir Singh,
2. Shri K. Ramamurthy.

6. National Co-ordination Committee of Railwaymen.


Dear Com.,

You are invited to attend a meeting proposed to be held at the AIRF premises at 125-E, Babar Road, New Delhi-1 at 11.00 A.M. on 8th March, 1974.

The Object of the meeting is to discuss the problems of Central Government employees and to prepare a Draft Resolution to be placed before the Convention for discussion and adoption.

With greeting,

Yours sincerely,


George Fernandes
President.