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land & land reforms  
officers' association**



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To  
The Land Reforms Commissioner  
&  
Additional Chief Secretary  
L. & L.R. & R.R. & R. Department  
West Bengal

**Sub:** Request for quid pro quo in respect of memo being number 663-F(P<sub>1</sub>/FA/O/2M/46/23(N.B) dated Howrah the 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 2026 and memo being number 661-F(P<sub>1</sub>/FA/O/2M/46/23(N.B) dated Howrah the 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 2026

**Respected Sir,**

The Association will like to bring to your kind notice to paragraph 5 of the said memo which reads as follows:-

*"Now after careful consideration, the undersigned is directed to say that the Governor has been pleased to accord approval for extending similar career-related benefits including creation of posts for the State Constituted Services under various administrative Departments other than services mentioned at paragraph 2)above subject to the condition that the overall cadre strength of all such State constituted services shall remain unchanged and the respective cadre controlling authority will make suitable adjustments in cadre schedule accordingly"*

The paragraph 7 of such order states as follows

*" The respective Cadre Controlling Authorities in the Administrative departments concerned shall issue notifications for creation of additional posts with stipulated conditions as above within 15 (fifteen) days on observing all due procedures"*

The Association most humbly submits that you being our cadre controlling authority please do take necessary steps for issuance of similar order for our cadre.

The Association also will like to bring notice through your kind end and before our Hon'ble Chief Minister that WBLR service has not been included in the list covered under paragraph 2 A for creation of posts in pay level 21 and pay level 24. We submit that the cadre schedule has still not been finalised pursuant to constitution of WBLRS. The situation as such is that the authority is finding it difficult to distribute the post of BL&LROs among ADs exclusively as the total strength has been fixed keeping 347 SRO-IIs aside. On the contrary, Government has notified already that 20% post shall be entrusted

for new recruits through WBCS(Exe) & etc. Exam and it is since decided that such new recruits shall start as BL&LRO (for otherwise they have no viable basis to serve the Department and Government).The 734 strength (Reduced) has resulted in Senior State Service Officers serving as BL&LRO while junior SRO-IIs being posted at District Hd. Qtr., etc who are supposed to guide officers at Block and also to offer suggestions to DL&LRO-, the matrix is reversed at present. Since the Memo. has given scope to Administrative Authority to fix the issues, we pray that the total strength be redefined including 347 SRO-IIs and distribution of post be in 6:3:1 ratio for Scale 16,17,18(ROPA'98) with 20% upper tilt at higher grades.

That apart from serving our Department the officials of this cadre perform various important roles including AROs and AEROs in election related work and such inclusion or grant by the Hon'ble Chief Minister will give impetus to the officials.

We request your kind intervention in the above.

Sincerely yours,

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