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Com.S.G.MISHRA
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Dear Com.S.G.Mishra

Sub: Holding of "Protest Week" from 2nd to 7th January, 2020 by AIRF – Extension of support & participation by IRTSA.

Ref: AIRF letter No.AIRF/24(C) , dated 26.12.2019.

We extend our whole hearted support for and on behalf of all Technical Supervisors on Railways and Members of IRTSA to the decision of the AIRF to observe a "Protest Week", from 2nd to 7th January, 2020, by AIRF by holding Dharnas, Demonstrations, Protest Rallies, Gate Meetings etc, at the branch level all over the Indian Railways, against a number of arbitrary decisions taken by the Ministry of Railway in the name of restructuring of the Indian Railways in the "Parivartan Sangosthi", held on 7th and 8th December, 2019 in New Delhi, which are going to have serious repercussions and impact on the Railway men as also pave the way for wholesale privatization of the Indian Railways by dismantling time-tested existing Railway Network. The said "Parivartan Sangosthi" has also suggested for drastic reduction of the staff in the name of introduction of technology, whereas Railway men are working under extreme pressure due to acute shortage of the staff, as rightly mentioned by you in your letter cited above.

At this crucial juncture, IRTSA stands with Railway men to protect the rights of Railway men. Members of IRTSA will participate and extend full support and cooperation for the "Protest Week", from 2nd to 7th January, 2020 organised by the affiliates of AIRF all over Indian Railways.

IRTSA wishes the "Protest Week" all success.

Thank you

Yours faithfully,

Harchandan Singh,
General Secretary, IRTSA