

**Ministry of Home Affairs O.M. No.27/2/70-Estt.(SCT),
dated the 5th June, 1970, to all Ministries/Departments, etc.**

Subject:—Notifying vacancies reserved for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes to Employment Exchanges—Recommendation No. 3 (para 2.13) in the Fifth Report of the Parliamentary Committee on Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes.

The undersigned is directed to say that the Parliamentary Committee on welfare of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes has made the following recommendation in its fifth report:—

Recommendation No. 3 (para 2.13)

"The Committee are unhappy to observe that only about 41 percent of vacancies out of total vacancies notified as reserved for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes during 1968 were actually filled. They are also unhappy that only 23 per cent vacancies were notified as reserved for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes during 1968. In view of the insignificant percentage of vacancies notified as reserved for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes, the Committee would like that the Ministries/Departments and other authorities should ensure that percentage of posts intended to be reserved for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes is duly taken into consideration while notifying the vacancies to Employment Exchanges".

In this connection, a reference is invited to this Ministry's O.M. No. 14/12/67-Est(D) dated 10th April, 1968 (copy enclosed) in which the Ministries etc. were requested that while notifying vacancies to the Employment Exchanges, it should be clearly indicated in the requisition whether or not the vacancies are reserved for Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes/Ex-Servicemen and that even if a vacancy is unreserved, this should be specifically stated in the requisition. The recommendation of the Parliamentary Committee mentioned above is brought to the notice of the Ministry of Finance etc. They are requested to ensure that the instructions issued in this Ministry's O.M. No. 14/12/67-Est(D) dated 10-4-1968 are observed by them and their attached and subordinate offices strictly.
