

**Ministry of Home Affairs Resolution No.42/19/51 NGS,
dated the 25th June, 1952**

The policy of the Government of India in regard to communal representation in services was laid down in Ministry of Home Affairs Resolution No. 42/21/49-NGS, dated the 13th September, 1950. Paragraph 4(3) of the Resolution provides that the maximum age limit prescribed for appointment to a service or post will be increased by three years in the case of candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes. The Government of India have examined the question whether any further relaxation in maximum age-limits is necessary to secure greater representation of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in the public services. It has now been decided that the maximum age limit prescribed for appointment to a non-gazetted service or post will be increased by five years in the case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes.