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No. AB.14017/21/85-Estt (RR)
Government of India/ Bharat Sarkar
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances
and Pensions
(Department of Personnel & Training)

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New Delhi, the 27 February, 1986

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

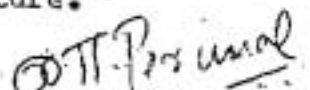
Subject: Modification of the provision in deputation column.

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The undersigned is directed to invite attention to this Department's O.M.No.14017/18/82-Estt(RR) dated 15th December, 1982, advising Ministries to revise the provision in the recruitment rules regarding period of deputation/short-term contract suitably so as to make it clear that the period of deputation in another ex-cadre post held immediately preceding the present appointment in the same organisation/department shall also be counted in determining the period of deputation. The above instruction, however, ignores the period spent on deputation by the officer in some other organisation/department of the Central Government immediately before the present appointment. This issue has been examined in consultation with the UPSC. Keeping in view the principle that officers should not be away from their own cadre/service for more than a reasonable period, it has been decided that the period of deputation/short-term contract in any other Organisation/Department of the Central Government immediately before the present appointment should also be taken into consideration in computing the total period of deputation for which that officer can be appointed. It has accordingly been decided that the standard provision in regard to the period of deputation to be made in recruitment rules, wherever transfer on deputation/short-term contract is prescribed, should be revised as follows:-

"Period of deputation/contract including the period of deputation/contract in another ex-cadre post held immediately preceding this appointment in the same or some other organisation/Department of the Central Government shall ordinarily not exceed -----Years!"

All Ministries/Departments are requested to amend the existing recruitment rules accordingly and also keep the above instructions in view while framing rules in future.


(N.H. Perumal)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India.

To

All Ministries/Deptts of the Govt. of India.

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2. Secretary, UPSC (with 20 spare copies).
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4. All Sections in the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions.
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