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Government of India  
Ministry of Personnel and Training Administrative  
Reforms and Public Grievances and Pension  
Department of Personnel and Training

New Delhi the 25 Sept., 1985.

To

1. The Chief Secretary to the Government of Tripura-Agartala.
2. The Chief Secretary to the Government of Manipur, Imphal.

Subject:- Promotion to the Supertime Scale of Indian Administrative Service-Relaxation of guidelines -Regarding.

- Ref:- (1) Correspondence resting with D.O. letter No. F.13(2) CA/78/dated 9th April, 1985 from the Chief Secretary to the Government of Tripura.
- (2) Correspondence resting with Government of Manipur letter No. 3/14/82(IAS)/DP dated 15th April.1985.

Sir,

I am directed to say that guidelines regarding promotion to the supertime scale of Indian Administrative Service were issued vide this Department's letter No. 11030/20/75-AIS(II) dated 27th December, 1976. In accordance with these guidelines, the zone of consideration for promotion to supertime scale post may consist of all the members of Indian Administrative Service who have completed 16 years of Service. In the past, the Government of Manipur promoted to the supertime scale some members of the Indian Administrative Service belonging to the Joint IAS Cadre of Manipur-Tripura before they completed 16 years of Service as laid down in the guidelines referred to above. Recently, Government of Tripura also promoted an officer of IAS to the supertime scale before completion of 16 years of Service. The Accountants General, Manipur, and Tripura have been authorising pay to such officers on a provisional basis on the ground that in the absence of any relaxation of the provisions of the guidelines by the Central Government the appointments could be held invalid. The Accountant General have also been seeking the orders of the Central Government in this matter. The State Governments have stated that there is acute shortage of senior level officers in the exdxx cadre and that appointments were being made in the exigencies of public services, and that concurrence of the Joint Cadre Authority has since been obtained for such appointments.

2. After careful consideration of all the relevant facts, particularly, the shortage of senior officers in the Joint IAS Cadre of Manipur-Tripura, the Central Government have decided, as a special case, to relax the zone of consideration for promotion to the super-time scale of IAS by two years in respect of the joint IAS Cadre of Manipur-Tripura. The zone of consideration for promotion to super-time scale in the Joint IAS Cadre of Manipur-Tripura may consist of members of IAS who have completed 14 years in the service. This is subject to the condition that all such appointments are approved by the Joint Cadre Authority. The past cases may also be regularised accordingly.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

( T.N. Manna )

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India.

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Dated 25<sup>th</sup> Sept., 1985.

Copy to :-

1. The Accountants General (Accounts) Manipur, Imphal with reference to the correspondence resting with his letter No. GOE/IA-17(B) 593 dated 28-6-85.
2. The Accountant General (Accounts) Tripura, Agartala with reference to the correspondence resting with his letter No. GAI/PE/1046 dated 15th Jan., 1985.

( T. Manna )

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India.