No. 21011/5/2002-Estt(A) Government of India Department of Personnel and Training (Establishment (A) Desk-1)

Dated: 26.7.2002

OFFICE-MEMORANDUM

Subject: Issue of fresh instructions in order to ensure that the ACRs reflect the true profile of the officers reported upon.

The undersigned is directed to refer to the subject mentioned above and to say that at present the Departmental Promotion Committees (DPCs) have only the ACRs, to rely upon while making assessment of an officer for his promotion. The assessments made by the DPCs on the basis of ACRs alone, are at times at variance with real qualities of the person assessed. Therefore, the ACRs so initiated, are required to be written with the greatest care, so that the work, character, qualities and capabilities of the officers reported upon, can be accurately judged from these reports.

2. The above objective is yet to be fully achieved. As the objectivity in writing the ACRs, is still wanting in spite of issuing various Government instructions on the subject from time to time. Therefore, all the administrative Ministries/Department are requested to take adequate measures to ensure that the ACRs being written in the Ministries/Departments, reflect the true profile of the officers reported upon.

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the ACR is an effective tool of growth and development