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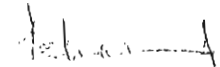
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Applications of Government servants for outside employment - Applications forwarded in response to U.P.S.C. advertisements for competitive/departmental examinations not to be counted against the permissible number of four opportunities in a year

Attention of the Ministry of Finance etc. is invited to Ministry of Home Affairs O.M. No.5/2/68-Ests(C), dated 6th May, 1968, and to this Department's O.M. No.8/15/71-Ests(C), dated 16th September 1971 under which it has been provided that both permanent non-scientific and non-technical employees as well as permanent scientific and technical employees could be given four opportunities in a year to apply in response to Union Public Service Commission advertisements or advertisements/notices of Government Departments/ Public Sector Undertakings/Autonomous Bodies except where withholding of any such application is considered by the competent authority concerned to be justified in the public interest. The Departmental Council of Joint Consultative Body of the Ministry of Home Affairs recommended that the applications of Government servants forwarded in response to U.P.S.C. advertisements for competitive examinations and limited departmental examinations should not be counted against the limit of four opportunities referred to above. It has been decided to accept this recommendation. It would, however, still be open to the competent authority concerned to withhold forwarding of such applications of Government servants for competitive/departmental examinations conducted by the Union Public Service Commission where it is considered to be justified in the public interest.

2. Ministry of Finance etc. are requested to bring these instructions to the notice of all authorities under them.

  
(T.R. Prasad)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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All Ministries/Departments etc. of the Government of India;(with usual number of spare copies); All Union Territories; All attached and subordinate offices of the Department of Personnel; All Administrative/Service Sections of the Department of Personnel.