

IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENTS WITH REGARD TO DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL & TRAINING FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST, 2017

1. Interactive session of Assistant Secretaries (IAS officers of 2015 batch) was held on 04.08.2017 at CSOI, Vinay Marg, New Delhi. Presentations were made by experts from Department of Science & Technology and ISRO (Indian Space Research Organisation) on various achievements / opportunities / challenges ahead. Presentation was also made by expert from Ministry of Urban Development on PPP (Public Private Partnership) model and its various aspects. Secretary (Personnel) & Senior officers of DoP&T were also present during the session.
2. Interactive session of Assistant Secretaries (IAS officers of 2015 batch) was held on 18.08.2017 at CSOI, Vinay Marg, New Delhi. Presentations were made by Shri Amitabh Kant, CEO, NITI Aayog, Shri S. K. Patro, e-Office Project Division, NIC and Dr. Arvind Panagariya, Vice Chairman, NITI Aayog. Analysis of selected indirect measures of job creation, Features of e-office and creating Good Jobs were subjects of the presentations. On this eve, Assistant Secretaries also took Sadbhavna Diwas Pledge.
3. Cadre Review of IPS (Uttarakhand) done vide Notification dated 08.08.2017.
4. Cadre Review of IFS (Tamil Nadu) done vide Notification dated 08.08.2017.
5. Cadre Review of IFS (Sikkim) done vide Notification dated 18.08.2017.
6. In pursuance of the decisions taken by the Government on the recommendations of Seventh Central Pay Commission, orders for payment of Dress Allowance at the rate of Rs. 5000/- per year were issued vide this Department's O.M. No. 14/4/2015-JCA2 dated 31st August, 2017.
7. Instructions issued vide O.M. No. A-27012/03/2017-Estt.(AL) dated 16th August, 2017, on the recommendations made by the Seventh Central Pay Commission for providing extra benefits to women employees with disabilities especially when they have young children and children with disability.
8. Instruction on abolition of Desk Allowance as per recommendations of the Seventh Central Pay Commission has been issued vide this Department's O.M. No. A-27023/01/2017-Estt.(AL) dated 16th August, 2017.
9. Consequent upon the decision taken by the Government on the subject of Children Education Allowance Scheme, instructions were issued vide this Department's O.M. No. A-27012/02/2017-Estt.(AL) dated 16th August, 2017.

10. Appointment's Committee of the Cabinet (ACC) has approved appointments in 05 cases in various Schedule A & B Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs). Further, Twenty Nine (29) appointments of Chairpersons/Members in various Tribunals/ Statutory Bodies/ Authorities/ Commissions, Three (03) appointments of Chief Executives in Autonomous Bodies, Two (02) proposals of Appointment of PS to Ministers, Two (02) proposal of Appointment of OSD to Ministers has been approved by the Cabinet Secretary/ACC. Further Five (05) officers have been appointed CVO and Fifteen (15) officers have been retained on offer under the Central Staffing Scheme.
11. Total 34 training programmes were conducted at ISTM including 04 CSS-CTP (L-F, L-E, L-D and L-A). The number of participants in these programmes was 1075.
12. A One day Orientation Training Programme on Goods and Service Tax (GST) was conducted on 18.08.2017 by ISTM, DoP&T.
13. Blood Donation Camp was organised in association with the Indian Red Cross Society, New Delhi at Sena Bhawan, New Delhi on 23.08.2017 and 122 employees donated blood in this camp.
14. Orders of compulsory retirement vide Rule 16(3) of the AIS Service Rules were issued in respect of 3 IAS officers, two from Chhattisgarh cadre and one from Madhya Pradesh Cadre.