

# **IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENTS WITH REGARD TO DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL & TRAINING FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST, 2018**

- (i) The classification of all civil posts under the Union of India was notified in the Official Gazette vide Order No. 11012/10/2016-Estt.A-III dated 09.08.2018.
- (ii) Fundamental (Second Amendment) Rules, 2018 regarding the age of superannuation in respect of the doctors belonging to different services was issued vide Gazette Notification No. 25012/4/2016-Estt.(A-IV) dated 11.08.2018.
- (iii) 2<sup>nd</sup> iteration and 3<sup>rd</sup> iteration of allocation of Services i.e. IAS, IFS, IPS, Central Civil Services, Group 'A' and Group 'B' to candidates recommended by UPSC on the basis of Civil Services Examination 2017 was approved on 14.08.2018 and 24.08.2018 respectively.
- (iv) Cadre Review of IAS cadre of AGMUT was issued vide Gazette Notification No. 11031/02/2016-AIS-II (A) dated 28.08.2018.
- (v) Clarification regarding availing of option for fixation of pay on promotion from the Date of Next Increment (DNI) in the lower post and method of fixation of pay from DNI, if opted for, in context of CCS (RP) Rules, 2016 was issued vide O.M. No. 13/02/2017-Estt.(Pay-I) dated 28.08.2018.
- (vi) Amended Pay Rules of IAS Officers were issued vide Gazette Notification No. 11030/3/2017-AIS-II dated 30.08.2018.
- (vii) Appointments Committee of the Cabinet (ACC) approved appointments in 22 cases (05 CMD/MD and 17 Functional Directors) in various Schedule A & B Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs). Further, Two (2) appointments of Chairpersons/Members in various Tribunals/ Statutory Bodies/ Authorities/ Commissions, Six (06) appointments of Chief Executives in Autonomous Bodies/ Institutes, Two (02) proposals of Appointment of PS to Ministers and Ten (10) proposals of extensions were approved by the Cabinet Secretary/ACC. Further, 12 officers have been retained on offer under the Central Staffing Scheme.
- (viii) Four scholarships amounting to a total of Rs. 3000/- were granted to wards of canteen staff of non staff Department Canteen.

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2. In addition to the above, the following instructions / guidelines on different subjects were issued by this Department.

- (i) Instructions regarding grant of Additional Post Allowance - abolition of existing Acting Allowance (being granted in Defence Forces) and Dual Charge Allowance (being granted in Ministry of Railways) based on the decisions of government on recommendations of the 7<sup>th</sup> CPC, were issued vide this Department's O.M. No. 2/13/2017-Estt.(Pay-II) dated 08.08.2018.
- (ii) Instructions regarding half-day holiday in the afternoon of 17<sup>th</sup> August, 2018 in the Central Government Offices and CPSUs throughout the country to enable the people to attend the State Funeral which had taken place at "Smriti Sthal", New Delhi / pay homage to former Prime Minister Late Shri Atal Bihari Vajpayee were issued vide O.M. No. 12/2/2007-JCA2 dated 16.08.2018.
- (iii) Instructions regarding revision of entitlement of TA/DA to JCM Members after implementation of Seventh CPC recommendations were issued vide O.M. No. 8/10/2008-JCA dated 20.08.2018.