

**IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENTS WITH REGARD TO DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL
& TRAINING FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 2019**

- (i) The Staff Selection Commission has conducted following two Examinations in the month of February:-
 - a) Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Examination-2018 was conducted by the Commission from 5th to 8th February, 2019 for 4.37 lakh candidates.
 - b) Examination for recruitment of Constables (GD) in CAPFs, NIA and SSF and Rifleman (GD) in Assam Rifles has been scheduled to be conducted from 11.02.2019 to 11.03.2019. So far, the said examination has been conducted for 28.76 lakh candidates.
- (ii) Appointment of Shri Rajiv Nayan Choubey as Member, Union Public Service Commission has been notified vide Notification No. 39019/05/2018-Estt.(B) dated 07.02.2019.
- (iii) Appointments Committee of the Cabinet (ACC) approved appointments in 07 cases (03 CMD/MD and 04 Functional Directors) in various Schedule A & B Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs). Further, fourteen (14) appointments of Chairpersons/Members in various Tribunals/ Statutory Bodies/ Authorities/ Commissions, two (02) appointments of Chief Executives in Autonomous Bodies/ Institutes, three (03) proposals of Premature repatriations, three (03) proposals of Appointment of OSD to Ministers and seven (07) proposals of extensions were approved by the Cabinet Secretary/ACC.
- (iv) 17 Section Officers were promoted as Under Secretary on Ad-hoc basis.
- (v) 17 Under Secretary were promoted as Deputy Secretary/Director on Ad-hoc basis.
- (vi) 2 Officers were empanelled as Joint Secretary (in-situ).

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

- (i) CCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964 - Revision in limit for intimation in respect of transactions in sale and purchase of shares, securities, debentures etc vide O.M. No. 11013/6/2018-Estt.A-III dated 07.02.2019.
- (ii) Revision of rates of Deputation (Duty) Allowance/ pay fixation on appointment in the Personal Staff of Ministers vide O.M. No. 2/8/2018-Estt.(Pay-II) dated 07.02.2019.
- (iii) Treatment of period of Leave towards minimum residency period for in-situ promotions under Modified Flexible Complimenting Scheme (MFCS) vides O.M. No. 14017/32/2013-Estt. (RR) dated 25.02.2019.
- (vii) Restricting of officiating pay under FR 35 in the context of CCS (Revised Pay) Rules, 2016 vide O.M. No. 1/4/2017-Estt. (Pay-I) dated 28.02.2019.