ESTABLISHMENT RULES

METHODS OF RECRUITMENT

- Promotion;
- Direct Recruitment;
- Deputation;
- Transfer (now absorption);
- Re-employment;
- Short-term Contract.

METHODS OF RECRUITMENT

Prescription of method depends on:

- Nature of duties, qualifications and experience required;
- Suitable incentives for maintenance of efficiency;
- Direct recruitment at appropriate levels
- > Proper mix of various methods.

RECRUITMENT & CONDITIONS OF SERVICE

ARTICLE 309:

- (1) Act of Parliament or State Legislature to regulate recruitment and conditions of service;
- (2) Till Acts are made, Rules framed by President to regulate *recruitment and conditions of service.*

RECRUITMENT & CONDITIONS OF SERVICE

ARTICLE 310: Tenure of office of persons serving the Union or a State:

- > Pleasure of the President:
- Members of Defence Service;
- Members of Civil Service, All-India Service;
- Holder of civil post;
- Any post connected with Defence.

RECRUITMENT & CONDITIONS OF SERVICE

- Article 311 Dismissal, Removal or Reduction in rank of persons employed in civil capacities under the Union or the State.
- > Security of Service;
- > Procedure specified;
- ➤ Principles of Natural Justice incorporated.

TWO TYPES:

- 1. Service Rules for Organized Services;
- 2. Recruitment Rules for posts not included in Organized Services.

SERVICE RULES: COVERAGE:

- 1. Short Title and Commencement;
- 2. Definitions;
- 3. Constitution;

SERVICE RULES

- 4. Grades, Authorized Strength;
- 5. Members of the Service;
- 6.Initial Constitution of the Service;
- 7. Future maintenance of the service;
- 8. Appointment by transfer on deputation
- 9. Seniority;
- 10. Probation;

SERVICE RULES

- 11. Appointment to the service;
- 12. Liability for service in any part of India and other conditions of service;
- 13. Disqualifications;
- 14. Power to relax;
- 15. Savings;
- 16. Interpretation;
- 17. Repeal.

13 COLUMNS:

Column – 1: Name of Posts;

Column – 2: Number of Posts:

> Authorized strength: [Ex. 20 (1994)*]

Column – 3: Classification:

- > Central Civil Service or General Civil Service;
- > Group to which the posts belong;
- > Ministerial or non-Ministerial.

- Column 4 Scale of Pay: Full Scale, Special Pay;
- Column 5 Whether Selection or non Selection post;
- Column 6 Age limit for DR;
- Column 7 Whether benefit of added years of service is admissible under Rule 30 of CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 (Now Not applicable)

- Column 8 Educational and other qualifications required for direct recruits: Two types –
- > Essential Qualifications
- Educational qualifications;
- Experience qualifications.
- > Desirable qualifications.
- [Relaxations in experience qualifications provided]

- Column 9 Age and educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruits will apply in the case of promotees:
- Normally applies to scientific and technical posts;
- > May be less than direct recruits;
- > Facilitate acquiring of such quals.

Column 10 – Period of probation; PROBATION:

- ➤ DR or Promotion in Junior scale to the service – Probation 2 years;
- >Govt. may extend probation;
- > Extension intimated along with reasons
- Successful completion will lead to confirmation;

- ➤ If not for permanent appointment, govt. may discharge or revert the officer to the post held by him prior to his appointment to the service;
- > Required to undergo training etc. and pass tests or examination prescribed;
- > Performance during probation is crucial to further retention.

Column 11 – Method of recruitment:

- ➤ Whether by DR or by promotion or by deputation/transfer; and
- Percentage of the vacancies to be filled by various methods;
- Depends on various factors and also nature of the hierarchy.

- Column 12 Grade from which recruitment by promotion/deputation/transfer/short-term contract/re-employment is to be made:
- > Feeder Grade defined;
- > Qualifying service prescribed by DOPT;
- > Qualifications and Experience indicated

Column 13 – If DPC exists, what is the composition:

- DPC is required to:
- ➤ Make promotion;
- > Removal from probation;
- > Confirmation.
- Chairman and Members prescribed.

Column 14 – Circumstances in which UPSC to be consulted in making recruitment.

- Assessment of aptitude & ability for the post;
- > For a fixed period of time;
- Probation complete on completion of the prescribed period;
- > Steps to obtain assessment reports before the completion;
- > Conduct DPC;

- > DPC to assess:
- Whether the person has completed probation satisfactorily; or
- Whether there is necessity to extend the period of probation (Not more than the prescribed period of probation);
- > Placed before the DPC again;

- > DPC to assess:
- Whether period of probation completed satisfactorily; or
- Discharge for unsatisfactory performance;

CONFIRMATION

- Regular Govt. servant is eligible for confirmation after completion of probation satisfactorily;
- One time confirmation at the initial entry level;

PROCESS:

- Satisfactory completion of probation;
- Decided by DPC;
- Requires specific order for confirmation;

CONFIRMATION

CONSEQUENCES:

- Lien right /title to hold a regular post;
- ➤ When holder of a post returns, junior most person has to be reverted to the lower grade.
- > No effect on seniority;

SENIORITY

1. DIRECT RECRUITMENT:

- Relative seniority determined by the order of merit;
- Persons appointed as a result of earlier selection senior to those, granted extension beyond 9 months or offer of appointment revived after cancellation;
- Such persons will be junior to those who have already joined the posts.

SENIORITY

2. PROMOTION:

- Seniority is in the order recommended by DPC for promotion;
- ➤ Persons appointed on the basis of earlier select list senior to those appointed from the subsequent select list.

SENIORITY

- 3. SENIORITY WHEN QUOTA OF PROMOTION AND DR PRESCRIBED IN RR:
- Drawn on the basis of rotation of quota amongst promotees and DR;
- ➤ Unfilled DR quota are added below the next year's rotation.

COMPOSITION:

- Consists of Chairman & Members of appropriate rank;
- > Either meets or decide by circulation;
- ➤ SC/ST/Minority/Woman members if the number of posts is more than 10;
- ➤ All efforts made to associate above if the number is less than 10;

- Purpose: To consider –
- > Candidates for promotion;
- > Candidates for confirmation;
- > Clearance of probation.
- Crucial date for eligibility:
- ➤ 1st of January irrespective of period of writing ACR;

Calculation of vacancies:

- Financial year-wise if the ACR are written financial year-wise;
- Calendar year-wise if ACR are written calendar year-wise;
- Regular vacancies for more than one year are to be taken up for preparation of select list.

Validity of a panel:

- Date of commencement of a panel will be the date on which DPC meets;
- For selection posts, panel valid for one year;
- Cease to be in force after one year and six months; or
- When a fresh panel is prepared whichever is earlier;

CIRCUMSTANCES – No ad hoc appts.

- Absence of recruitment rules;
- Revision of recruitment rules
- No ad hoc appointments;
- o As per existing recruitment rules.
- Revision of seniority list;
- No ad hoc appointments;
- o As per the existing seniority list.

- Shortage of DR quota;
- o Posts kept vacant;
- o Try alternative methods;

CIRCUMSTANCES- can make ad hoc app

- Court orders;
- To fill DR quota if no alternative provisions in RR;
- Short term vacancies.

CONDITIONS:

- Limited to 1 year;
- o For extension approval of DOPT;
- If by promotion:
- o By seniority cum fitness;
- o Proper screening;
- o Fulfill eligibility conditions;

- If by direct recruitment:
- o Through Employment Exchanges;
- Fulfill conditions of educational qualifications, experience, age etc. as in the RR

MODIFIED ASSURED CAREER PROGRESSION SCHEME

- Modified as per 6th CPC;
- 3 financial up-gradations at intervals of 10, 20 & 30 years of continuous regular service;
- Applicable to Group 'A', 'B' & 'C' posts;
- Not applicable to Gr. 'A' organized service, casual, ad hoc employees & those appointed on contract basis;

MODIFIED ASSURED CAREER PROGRESSION SCHEME

- Decided by screening committee Chairperson and 2 members;
- Recommendations placed before Secretary if in Ministry/Department;
- Other cases, to HOD;
- Screening in January and July 1st week for April-Sept. & Oct-March respectively

RETRENCHMENT

- Applicable Gr. 'A', 'B', 'C' & 'D' posts in case of reduction of in the number of posts or re-organization;
- Not applicable to employees declared surplus who are to be re-deployed through Surplus Cell;
- Not applicable to Organized Services where separate instructions exist.

RETRENCHMENT

- Retrenchment from a particular grade shall be retrenched in the following order:
- i. Those working in purely ad hoc basis;
- ii. On temporary loan form other Depts.
- iii. On deputation;
- iv. On quasi-permanent basis;
- v. On permanent basis;

RESIGNATION

- Acceptance by Appointing authority;
- In writing to the competent authority;
- Either with immediate effect or from a specified date;
- Clear and unconditional;
- Resignation should be normally accepted;

RESIGNATION

- Acceptance may not be given:
- o Till alternative arrangements made;
- In case of suspension for a grave misconduct;
- Effective from the date of acceptance;
- Can be withdrawn before acceptance;
- Technical resignation permitted;
- Forfeiture of service & other benefits on resignation.

RETIREMENT

- Employment after retirement Group A
- No commercial employment within 1 year of retirement without permission;
- o If done, cut in pension considered;
- Retired Engineers of gazetted rank Gr.
 A and B cannot work as contractors, if within 1 year, should obtain permission
- Group B officers should intimate if employment is within 2 years.

RE-EMPLOYMENT

- Distinction between 'Extension' and 'Re-employment:
- Continuation in the same cadre post is extension;
- Retention in different post in exceptional circumstances is reemployment;
- Continuation of a deputationist in all cases is re-employment.

TERMINATION

- Termination of temporary employees as per CCS (Temporary Service Rules, '65;
- Notice either by Govt. or the employee;
- Period of notice 1 month;
- If termination is forthwith, employee entitle to 1 month's pay + allowances;
- Notice to employee served in person;
- If not practicable, sent by registered post A/D;

TERMINATION

- Standard proforma for termination of service;
- No forfeiture of pay & allowance in lieu of notice;
- Reasons not required for termination;
- Payment of cash equivalent of leave salary.