G.I., Dept. of Per. & Trg. O.M. No. AB-14017/27/89- Estt. (RR),

Dated 20-6-1989

Subject: SC/ST candidates recruited for Groups ‘C’ and ‘D’ posts, be given posting near their native places.

The undersigned is directed to say that a Committee of Members of Parliament, which examined matters relating to representation of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in Government services, has recommended that tribals should, as far as possible, be posted near their native place.

2. The recommendation has been examined carefully. It may not be possible or desirable to lay down that holders (belonging to SC/ST) of Group ‘A’ and Group ‘B’ posts who have All India transfer liability should be posted near their native places. It has however, been decided that in the case of holders of Group ‘C’ and Group ‘D’ posts who have been recruited on regional basic and who belong to Scheduled Tribes may be given posting as far as possible, subject to administrative constraints near their native places within the region.

3. Suitable instructions may also be issued to all subordinate units.