

Promotion for Class-I and Class-II  
Field Officers who work in Tribal  
areas.

GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA.  
General Administration Department,  
Circular No.BCC-1079/2541/827/XVI-B,  
Mantralaya, Bombay-400 032,  
Dated the 6th September,1979.

READ : Government Resolution, General Administration Department  
No.BCC-1075/15-317-XVI, dated the 8th April 1976.

CIRCULAR : According to the Government Circular, General Administration Department No.BCC-1075/15/317/XVI, dated the 8th April 1976, the experience of work of Class I and Class II Field Officers of the State Services in Tribal areas of the State for a period of not less than 2 years should be considered as an additional qualification for their promotion. It has been made clear in the Government Circular referred to above that it would be the responsibility of the Administrative Departments of the Mantralaya and the Heads of Departments to ensure that as many Field Officers as possible get postings in Tribal areas before they become due for promotion to Class I and Class II posts. The Legislature Committee on the Welfare of Schedule Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Vimukta Jatis and Nomadic Tribes has observed in its 12th report that it has come to the notice of the Committee that many schemes in the Tribal areas remain incomplete due to inadequate staff. With a view that adequate staff should become available in the Tribal areas, the Committee has recommended that as an incentive the staff may be given accelerated promotion. Since it has come to the notice of the Legislature Committee on the Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Vimukta Jatis and Nomadic Tribes that staff available in the Tribal Areas, is not adequate it is likely that the Field Officers posted in Tribal areas must be getting their postings cancelled or avoiding to go to the Tribal areas.

2. All Departments of Mantralaya and Heads of Departments are requested to state whether the orders contained in Government Resolution, General Administration Department No.BCC-1075-15-317/XVI, dated the 8th April 1976 have been implemented and whether any difficulties are experienced by them while implementing these orders and methods for encountering them.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra,

Sd/-  
( D.G. Ratnaparkhe )  
Under Secretary to Government.

All Departments of Mantralaya,

All Heads of Department.