

**GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
FINANCE DEPARTMENT
AUDIT BRANCH**

No. 8460-F

Calcutta, 11th August, 1992.

MEMORANDUM

In terms of para 2 (xv) of Finance Department Memo No. 6075-F, dated 21.6.90 an Assistant Engineer may be allowed to move to the next higher scale on completion of ten years of continuous and satisfactory service if he has not already been fitted in the next higher scale under the existing scheme. Similarly, Executive Engineers will be allowed to move to the next higher scale in relation to their posts on completion of satisfactory service of twenty years as Assistant Engineer and Executive Engineer including three years of service as Executive Engineer. The matter has been reviewed in the light of the scheme for career advancement applicable to other state services.

2) After careful consideration, the governor has been pleased to direct that the aforesaid provision shall stand modified as follows :—

An Assistant Engineer may be allowed to move to the first higher scale in relation to the scale of pay of his post on completion of ten years of continuous and satisfactory service if he has not already moved to the such scale under the existing scheme. He may also be allowed to move to the second higher scale on completion of a further period of continuous and satisfactory service in the first higher scale provided that an Assistant Engineer who has been placed in the first higher scale in relation to the scale of pay of his post after completion of 10 years or more shall have to serve in the first higher scale for two years and complete a total period or service of at least twenty years in the first two scales. An Executive Engineer who is promoted from the post of Assistant Engineer shall be allowed to move to the next higher scale in relation to the prescribed scale of pay of the post of Executive Engineer on completion of twenty years of continuous and satisfactory service as Assistant Engineer and Executive Engineer taken together of which at least two years of service must be in the first higher scale in relation to the scale of pay of the post of Assistant Engineer (which is also the same as that of the Executive Engineer), if he has not already moved to that scale in terms of the existing promotion policy.

All other conditions as laid down in Finance Department Memo No. 6075-F, dated 21.6.90 in so far as they are not inconsistent with this modification, shall continue to apply. This modification shall be deemed to have effect from 1.4.89.

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