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FINANCE (PENSION-B) DEPARTMENT Downloaded Copy - Association of Retired CIRCULAR

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Sub : Qualifying service for pensionary benefits - Inclusion of new services in the array of qualifying services of statutory pension - Instructions issued.

Action of Administrative Departments in issuing orders placing various services into the group of qualifying services for statutory pension in contravention to rules in Part III, KSRs is causing much administrative inconvenience and also impairing the consistent stand taken by the Government in Finance Department. In these circumstances, Government feel that there is a need for elaborating the procedure to be followed in issuing orders on the above subject.

2.Following instructions are accordingly issued for guidance in this

context :-

i) the proposal for including any service in the ambit of qualifying service for pensionary benefits shall be first analysed in detail by the concerned Administrative Department,

- ii) after such analysis, the proposal along with sufficient documents, statement of financial liability involved and the recommendation of Administrative Department shall be forwarded to Finance Department,
- iii) Finance Department, after detailed scrutiny will issue final orders on the proposal,
- iv) Hereafter only Finance Department, being the authority ofPart III KSRs, shall issue final orders in this regard.
- 3. All Administrative Departments shall observe the above instructions while dealing with proposals on the above matter.

RAJESH KUMAR SINHA Secretary (Finance Expenditure)

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