

Copy of letter No. 32542-WG-56/85110, dated 20-11-56 from Chief Secretary to Govt. Punjab to All Heads of Departments etc. etc.

*Subject :—Concession to candidates who took part in National Movements.*

I am directed to refer you to Punjab Government, Letter No. 8791-WG-53/83351, dated the 14th October, 1953, on the subject noted above, wherein it has been laid down that the Punjab Government have decided that in the case of persons who rendered national or social service before independence, the age limit for entry into Government service may be relaxed upto and including the age of 45 (forty-five) years. Participation in certain movements which qualify for national or social service was also laid down. It was further stated that this concession will be allowed upto 31-12-54 and will only for a further period of two years. i.e. upto 31st December, 1956, vide Punjab Government letter No. 15240-WG-54/34912, dated the 6th December, 1954.

2. I am to add that the Punjab Government have now decided that this concession should be extended for a further period of one year. Accordingly, it should now be given upto the 31st December, 1957.