

Copy of letter No. 8588-G-55/44186 dated 25th July, 1955 from the Chief Secretary to Government, Punjab to All Heads of Department, etc., etc.

Subject :—Promotions.

I am directed to say that it has been noticed by Government that there is a provision in some of the service rules laying down that certain promotions will be made on grounds other than selection. The matter has been given careful consideration by Government and it has been decided that such a provision should not remain in the service rules as promotion should always be by selection. I am accordingly to request you to amend the service rules, where such a provision exists, so as to provide that all promotions, whether from one grade to another or from one class of service to another, should be on the basis of selection