

Copy of Circular letter No. 1070-GIII-60/11995, dated the 1st April, 1960 from the Secretary to Government, Punjab to all Heads of Departments, etc., etc.

Subject :—Pay to be allowed to direct recruits to various services during the period of probation and training.

I am directed to invite a reference to the instructions contained in Punjab Government letter No. 15574-G-I-56/8603, dated the 19th November, 1956, as subsequently amplified, particularly in Punjab Government letter No. 8605-GIII-59/47447, dated the 13th October, 1959, on the subject noted above.

2. The question whether the concession allowed under these instructions is admissible only to new recruits, appointed against temporary vacancies has been considered by Government and it has been decided that :

- (i) all direct recruits appointed to Government service, whether against temporary or permanent posts, should receive the minimum of the prescribed pay scale; and
- (ii) this concession will not be admissible to personnel recruited as apprentices, who will receive the pay applicable to apprentices.

3. These instructions will take effect from the 1st November, 1956, i.e. the date when the original instructions, referred to above became operative.