

No. 22/2/87-3GS-III

From

The Chief Secretary to Government, Haryana.

To

1. All Heads of Departments in Haryana,  
Commissioners Ambala and Hisar Divisions  
All Deputy Commissioners & Sub Divisional Officers (Civil) in Haryana.
2. The Registrar,  
Punjab and Haryana High Court, Chandigarh.

Dated, Chandigarh, the 11-8-88.

Subject :—

Reservation of posts for Scheduled Castes, Backward Classes, Ex-Servicemen and physically handicapped in the service of Haryana State.

Sir,

I am directed to invite your attention to Haryana Govt. letter No. 38/20/78-2GS-I dt. 9-2-79 on the above subject wherein it has been provided in para 1(6) that the benefit of reservation is not to be made available where promotion is to be given on the basis of seniority-cum-fitness. This matter has been re-considered by Govt. and it has been felt that there is at present no justification for denying the benefit of reservation in cases where basis of promotion is seniority cum-fitness. It has therefore been decided to delete the para 1(6) of the insts. with immediate effect, so that the reserved category employees may get their due share in promotion irrespective of basis of promotion.

2. It is, however, stated that in a case in the Supreme Court with respect to insts. dt. 9-2-79, the Supreme Court has ordered that all promotions made will be subject to the result of the writ petitions. These orders of the Supreme Court have been conveyed to all Heads of Departments for compliance vide Govt. letter No. 22/67/83-3GS-III dt. 23-10-84. It has also been decided that all promotions hereinafter made (after deletion of para 1(6)) will also be subject to the decision of the writ petitions by the Supreme Court.

3. These insts. may be brought to the notice of all concerned working under your for compliance.

Receipt of this communication may kindly be acknowledged.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

Under Secretary, General Administration  
for Chief Secretary to Government, Haryana.