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No. 3-2(b)/LDCE-2017/E-I

Dated 16/02/2018

From

संयुक्त सचिव (प्रशासन)
Joint Secretary (Admn.)

To

The Directors,
CSIR-IMT, Chandigarh;
CSIR-CDRI, Lucknow;
CSIR-CGCRI, Kolkata;
CSIR-CEERI, Pilani;
CSIR-IICB, Kolkata;
CSIR-CSIO, Chandigarh.

Sub : Disposal of Representations seeking Postponment of LDCE-2017 - reg.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the following letters vide which Labs/Instts have forwarded representations of their officials:-

Sl.	Lab/Instt	Letter No.	Dated
(i)	IMT	2(122)/2012-E.II	10/01/2018
(ii)	CDRI	4-8/39/2016-Estt.II	16/01/2018
(iii)	CGCRI	3-(GC)(1401)/1996-Establishment	17/01/2018
(iv)	CEERI	2(1909)/05-Estt.	22/01/2018 & 31/01/2018
(v)	IICB	Admn-8(10)/17	25/01/2018
(vi)	CSIO	CSIO/4(1630)/LDCE/2012-E.II	29/01/2018

B. Submissions made in the representations are as under:-

(i) The proposal for Cadre Review for Administrative posts has been under process since long. LDCE-2017 will adversely affect the rights of the eligible candidates as their seniority would be affected by the LDCE.

(ii) DPC for the posts of SOs is being deferred on the ground of interim stay by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in SLP No. 30621/11. The reservation policy is involved in DTQ also. Conduct of DTQ is contrary to the aforesaid interim order. Induction of SOs through LDCE-2017 would adversely affect the seniority of the eligible candidates of DPC. DOPT OM No. 36012/11/2016-Estt.(Res.) dated 30/09/2016 has also been referred to in this regard.

(iii) DOPT orders regarding reservation in promotion for DPC are applicable for DTQ also. In the given circumstances conduct of DTQ will be erroneous.

The applicants have requested to expedite the process of Cadre Review and to postpone the LDCE-2017.

C. Decision of the Competent Authority

The matter has been considered by the Competent Authority and accordingly, it is informed that:-

(i) Cadre Review Proposal has already been sent to DOPT. Further, cadre review proposals will have prospective effect and cannot be a ground for non-conduct of DTQ examinations.

(ii) DOPT vide OM No. 36012/11/2016-Estt. (Res.) dated 30/09/2016 has referred to their earlier OM No. 36012/45/2005-Estt (Res) dated 10/08/2010 on the subject Reservation in Promotion – treatment of SC/ST candidates promoted on their own merit and various SLPs and contempt petitions filed in the Hon'ble Supreme Court and has notified that while considering promotion, the aforesaid DOPT OM dated 10/08/2010 is not to be relied upon till such that the SLPs are decided by the Hon'ble Supreme Court. As on date, there is no DOPT order which prohibits conduct of DTQ examinations.

(iii) The residency period for DPC is 08 years whereas residency period for DTQ is 03 years. Therefore, any candidate who was in the ZOC for promotion to the post of SO (Gen/F&A) for the Vacancy Year 2016-2017 was eligible for applying for LDCE-2017 and hence could apply. The seniority list is prepared in accordance with DOPT OM No. 20011/1/2012-Estt. (D) dated 04/03/2014. Thus the apprehension regarding loss of seniority is unfounded.

(iv) It is also informed that some of the applicants of CDRI had earlier requested for notification of departmental examination, vide CDRI letter No. 4-8/6/94-Estt.II dated 02/09/2016.

In view of the above, the requests of the applicants seeking postponement of LDCE-2017 have no merit and hence the same cannot be acceded to.

The applicants may kindly be informed accordingly.

This issues with the approval of Joint Secretary (Admn.), CSIR.

Yours faithfully,

(Rajeev Sharma)
Under Secretary

Copy through CSIR Website to:-

1. All Sr. COAs/COAs/AOs
2. All the Candidates of LDCE-2017