

POLICE ORDER No. 229/A

Dated, Cuttack, the 17th August 1968

In supersession of Paras. (1) and (3) of Police Order No. 219 of 1966, the following revised principles should be followed in respect of :—

(1) *Seniority*—There should be one common seniority list for each of the ranks of Naiks, Havildars, Havildar-Majors, Jemadars and Subedars for each of the following groups of companies irrespective of the Battalions to which they are attached.

(i) Oriya and Rajput Companies

(ii) Gurkha Companies

Vacancies arising in the above ranks in any Company will be filled up from the respective common seniority list. Short term vacancies, not exceeding three months and leave vacancies might be filled up within the Battalion itself without prejudice to the claims of seniors in other Battalions as a stop-gap arrangement. Such promotion should on no account give a person superior claim over his seniors for absorption against substantive vacancies.

(2) *Promotion*—The D. I.-G., M. P. & T. will call for nominations from the Commandants for promotion of Havildars, Havildar-Majors and Jemadars to their next higher rank when so advised by the Inspector-General and after holding Range Boards, forward the nomination rolls to the A.I.-G. of Police for convening Central Selection Boards.

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Manual reference.....Rule 15 of O. M. P. Manual