

## POLICE CIRCULAR ORDER NO. 7973 dated 21.05.2022

Sub:- Investigation power to Constables and CI Havildars- Eligibility and syllabus of training.

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Government of Odisha has conferred power of investigation upon Graduate Constables and Crime Intelligence Havildars U/s 157 CrPC vide Notification No 348/D&A dated 3-1-2019 and issued guidelines vide Resolution No 358/D&A dated 3-1-2019 giving a list of offences which the Graduate Constables/CI Havildars could investigate. The said resolution also prescribes that such power of investigation shall be conferred upon such Graduate Constables/CI Havildars who pass the examination approved by the DG & IGP after completion of 30 days of institutional training in any recognized training institute on various aspects of investigation followed by practical training at Police Stations for a further period of 45 days.

Accordingly, this PCO is issued prescribing eligibility, training and other modalities as under:-

## (1) Eligibility:-

Constables and Crime Intelligence Havildars:

- (a) Must be graduate and must have completed qualifying service of minimum 4 years as on 1<sup>st</sup> January of the year in which institutional training begins.
- (b) Should have completed basic course of training.

Constables/CI Havildars having any Departmental Proceeding pending against them or those who have been awarded two or more major punishment in last 5 years or those who have 5 or more minor punishments in last 5 year shall not be eligible.



- (2) <u>Institutional and practical Training on Investigation:</u> Eligible Graduate Constables and Crime intelligence Havildars will undergo institutional training of 30 days conducted by the BPSPA at different training institutions for development of their skill in the field of investigation, as per the approved syllabus. After the Institutional Training, they will undergo practical training of 45 days at police station level as per the approved syllabus.
- (3) After successful completion of the trainings, Constables and CI Havildars will undergo an examination. Those who pass the examination shall be taking up investigation of cases in terms of Home Department Resolution mentioned above.
- (4) The Graduate Constables and Crime Intelligence Havildars having power of investigation shall not be entitled for any financial /service benefit on account of such delegation of power of investigation.

This PCO is in supersession of PCO 381/2019 on this subject.

Director General of Police Odisha, Cuttack.

Memo No. /CID-LAW.

Dated.

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- Commissioner of Police, Bhubaneswar-Cuttack, Bhubaneswar/ADGP, Railways Odisha, Bhubaneswar/All Range IGPs/DIGPs for information and necessary action.
- All district SPs including SRPs Cuttack/Rourkela and DCPs Bhubaneswar/
  Cuttack with a request to ensure proper training of Graduate Constables and
  Crime Intelligence Havildars.

Director General of Police Odisha, Cuttack.