Government have been pleased to decide that henceforth and until further orders cancelling or modifying this Police Order, whenever the Armed Police Reserve stationed at the district headquarters and also at the outlying Police Stations are employed for law and order and mob disposal duties, the members of the force shall only use 410 muskets and nut. 303 rifles, if firing has to be resorted to in the discharge of such duties.

The other units of the Armed Police Reserve such as Police Guards, static guards and escorts will continue to be armed with 303 rifles and should any occasion arise in the discharge of their duties for the use of fire arms, they shall use 303 rifles.

Government have also been pleased to decide that the Orissa Military Police contingent shall be armed with 303 rifles and they shall, therefore, use only 303 rifles when employed for any duty including law and mob order and mob disposal duties.

Police Circular Order No. 1 of 1958 (Recently renumbered as 120) together with its corrigendum issued under Memo. No. 7967 (17)-S-VIB-59, dated 7th April, 1959 and No. 20313(17)-S-VIB-1-59, dated 5th October 1959, and Police Order No. 1 of 1962 (Recently renumbered as 171) and all other orders and instructions issued on this subject are hereby cancelled.