

- Read: 1. Govt Memo No. 3879/Ser. I(2)/2016-2, dt. 06-08-2016.
2. T.O Memo No. Rc/ENC/E2/16071649/2016, dt. 22-09-2016.
3. From the SE, SRSP Stage-II Circle, KC Camp, Warangal Lr No. SE/
SRSP-II/Wgl/S/EC-5/369/ENC dt. 03.07.2017.

Sub: Estt.- I & CAD Department – TSESS –Promotions issued from Technical Assistants (Tracer) post to the Junior Technical Officer (Draughtsman Gr.III) post – Irregular promotions noticed - Instructions – Issued. ✓

All the circle / Unit Officers are hereby informed that as per APSS Rules (TSESS Rules) and also clarification issued by Government in Memo No: 52348/Ser. IX(1)/1995-49, Dt: 01.01.2008, and Govt Memo No: 3879/ Ser.I(2)/ 2016-2, Dt: 06.08.2016, the Technical Assistant (Tracers) who put in not less than 10 years experience in the cadre of Tracer, can be promoted to the category of Junior Technical Officer (DM Gr.III) without insisting for the qualifications prescribed for the post. Similarly, the Technical Assistant, who possess the qualifications prescribed for the post of Junior Technical Officer (i.e., Diploma in Civil/ Mechanical Engineering) and completed the minimum service prescribed in State and Subordinate Service Rules, can also be promoted to the said post without insisting for (10) years experience as Technical Assistant. These instructions were also circulated to all the Unit Officers vide this office memo no. RC/ENC/16071649/2016, Dt: 22-09-2016.

Further, it is noticed that, certain Technical Assistants in several units, were promoted to Junior Technical Officer and further promoted to the post of ATO/TO, without requisite qualification/ service as per rules. And also certain Technical Assistants without requisite qualification are claiming for promotion / filing cases in Court for promotion, duly quoting earlier promotions which are given against rules.

The issue is examined and all the Unit / Circle Officers are requested to look into the matter personally duly verifying the records regarding promotions issued to the Technical Assistants to the post of Junior Technical Officer and further promotions from JTO to ATO/T.O., including the records of the individuals retired from service.

On verification, if it is found that any orders issued were against to the rules, it is requested to issue orders to the individuals who were promoted from Technical Assistant to JTO and further promoted to the post of ATO/TO without acquiring requisite qualification/ without completing requisite service as per rules, by revising the date of promotion to the post of JTO/ATO/TO to the actual date as per rules, i.e., T.A with ITI qualification has to be promoted to the post of JTO after completion of (10) years of service as T.A and with the qualification of Diploma (DME/DCE) after completion of (3) years of service. Further promotions from JTO to ATO and ATO to T.O has to be given after completion of prescribed period of service in each category, as stipulated in State and Subordinate Service rules. The individuals who have not fulfilled the above conditions shall be reverted to the post of Technical Assistant.

