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Dated 26/10/10

To  
The Chief Commissioner,  
Central Excise,  
Chennai Zone.

Madam,

Sub : Posting on promotion in the grade of  
Superintendents of Central Excise - Order  
91/10 dated 12 /10/10 -Regarding  
Ref : Lrs 39/10 dt 20/9/10,41/10 dt 06/10/10(before  
issue) and 43/10 dt 12/10/10 & 44/10 dt  
13/10/10(After issue)

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I wish to draw your attention to the references  
above cited and more specifically to the contents of  
letter 43/10 dt 12/10/10 wherein a request was made  
to suspend that portion of the order relating to  
retention of newly promoted Superintendents in  
Chennai city completely discarding the policy issued  
by the Cadre Control Authority vide  
C. No II/3/51/2008 dated 13/2/2008. A request was  
also made to sort out the issue through talks and till  
the time of writing this letter no such invitation has  
been received. I made an attempt to meet you at  
around 6PM in the evening of 25<sup>th</sup> and was informed  
that the Chief Commissioner entertains  
representations from associations only between 0500  
& 0530 pm. Considering the difficulties faced in  
getting us heard the following submissions are  
made.

[a]The policy issued by the cadre control authority is  
applicable to both the executive cadres namely the  
Superintendents & Inspectors. Para 4 of the policy

clearly mentions that officers on promotion will be sent out subject to exceptions contained in Para 3[i] which deals with serious illness cases. This too has been circumscribed by a rider drawing attention to the provisions of Rule 56J.

[b] Based on this policy, in force from 2008, officers on promotion, were sent out during 2008 & 2009 in the case of Superintendents & applied as recently as 2 months back in the case of newly promoted Inspectors.

[c] This being the case, 16 officers have been retained in Chennai City[11 in CEX Comm + 5 posted to LTU constituting about 50% of the newly promoted officers jeopardizing the chances of bringing back Superintendents sent out earlier and who have completed more than an year. There is a clear provision [Para 6] in the policy facilitating such return of the category of officers aforementioned.

[d] This has not been done despite the request from the Association prior to the issue of the order under reference.

[e] The policy has been completely discarded to the detriment of 8 officers whose requests are pending and the policy issued by the CCA currently remains a mere piece of paper.

[f] The retentions have been given on all grounds as diverse as to those whose ward is studying in X/XII, entry into to Chennai after 1.1.2008 & before 1.1.2008. those wanting to go on deputations and have not assumed charge & those who have been relieved, those having reasons and those not .....

[g] From the above it could be seen that no policy pattern is discernible except that it is about " Show me the man, I will show you the rule".

[h] As the policy has been completely discarded it is requested that from now on no notices should be issued to Superintendents on long standing basis for transfer outside Chennai city pending negotiation of a policy. The only exception to be made is the unconditional return of Superintendents who were sent out on AGT during 2010 & on promotion during 2009/earlier.

[i] It is requested that the Association may please be given a reply in writing well before the deadline date of.29/10/10.

Encl : A/a

Yours Faithfully

  
[R.CHANDRAMOULI]  
GENERAL SECRETARY

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