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Police Head Quarters,
Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
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Sub: - Police Estt- Armourer Unit Regularization of Promotion and Seniority – instructions issued-Reg.

Ref: - 1. GO (P) No.210/2001/Home Dated, 07.11.2001.

2. Minutes of the Police Establishment Board Meeting held at PHQ on 04-07-11.

As per GO(P) No.210/2001/Home, dated 07.11.01 Government have issued special rules for the purpose of appointment, seniority and promotion in various categories of posts in the Armourer Unit. The method of appointment seniority and promotions in respect of various categories of Armourer wing specified in the special rules has furnished below:

(1) In the case of Armourer Police Constables/Havildars, the District Police Chiefs/ Commandants shall be the appointing authority.

(11) Deputy Inspector General of Police AP Bn shall be the appointing authority in respect of Armourer ASIs and Armourer SIs.

(111) For the purpose of appointment, seniority and promotion in respect of Armourer PCs, the District shall be the unit. Each Armed Police Battalion will be a separate Unit.

- (1v) For the purpose of appointment, seniority and promotion in respect of Armourer Havildars, the Range shall be the Unit. For this purpose the AP Bn will be included in the Ranges depending on the place in which each Battalion has its Headquarters.
- (v) For the purpose of appointment, seniority and promotion in respect of Armourer ASIs and Armourer SIs, the State shall be the Unit.
- (v1) The method of appointment in the categories of Armourer Havildars, Armourer ASIs and Armourer SIs shall be by promotion from immediate lower category.

Discrepancies have been noticed in issuing orders of regularization of Armourer Head Constables/ Armourer ASIs in the four Ranges. In some of the Ranges, the date of promotion of Armourer Head Constables and Armourer ASIs are being taken as the criteria for regularization of the Armourer Head Constables and Armourer ASIs in the Armourer wing. In other Ranges the date of arising of vacancy to which the incumbent is promoted is considered as the criteria for regularizing them.

Following different procedures of regularization of the Head Constables and ASIs of the Armourer wing, is adversely affecting some police personnel of those Ranges in which the date of promotion is considered as the criteria for regularization. This discrepancy has to be

rectified since statewide seniority list of ASIs are to be prepared for promotion to higher rank.

To avoid the above discrepancy and in order to have a uniform procedure for regularization of HCs and ASIs of Armourer wing, it is hereby, instructed that the date of occurrence of the vacancy shall be treated as the criteria for regularization of Armourer HCs and Armourer ASIs in all the Ranges.

Sd/-

State Police Chief

All Officers in the list 'B'

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For State Police Chief

23/9/20