POLICE ORDER No. 269

In modification of Police Order No. 132, the following is published for guidance:-

I. S. I. Operators/Mechanics

Principles for fixation of seniority of S.-Is and A. S.-Is in the Police Wireless Grid.

- (1) A. S.-I. Operators/Mechanics promoted to the rank of S.-I. Operators/Mechanics will take seniority from the date of selection by the Central Selection Board for permanent promotion. Their seniority inter se will be reckoned according to the position given to them by the Central Selection Board.
- (2) Candidates recruited direct at the same time will be placed below the departmental promoted officers and their seniority *inter se* will be determined in order of their position in the Central Selection Board list.

Il A. S.-I. Operators/Mechanics

- (1) Candidates recruited direct will remain as ungraded A. S. I. Operators/Mechanics and will undergo the prescribed course of training. They will take seniority in the rank from the date of successful completion of the training. Their seniority inter se will be determined according to the marks obtained by them in the final examination of Basic Radio Training.
- (2) Candidates who fail in not more than two subjects may be allowed to re-appear in the failed subjects only and those who fail in more than two subjects shall be required to appear in all the subjects. They will continue as ungraded Operator/Mechanic unless they qualify themselves in the subsequent trade test examination of the grade. During this period, they will not be entitled to the Trade Special Pay and they will not be placed on probation or confirmed against duty post.
- (3) Candidates who fail to qualify in the TTB even after two consecutive chances shall be liable for discharge from service.
- (4) R. T. Constables/Messenger Constables and Workshop Hand Constables of the Wireless Grid promoted to the rank of A. S.-I. Operator/Mechanic at the same time will be placed above the directly recruited A. S.-Is. Their seniority inter se will be reckoned according to the position given to them by the Central Selection Board. Cases of those who fail to pass the final Examination in the B. R. T. course will be decided in the same manner as for the direct recruits, except that the departmentally promoted candidates shall revert to the substantive rank of Constable on failing to qualify in the T. T. B. even after two chances.
- (5) A candidate who indulges in any indisciplined conduct or uses unfair means in the examination or is found guilty of any misconduct or misdemeanour shall render himself liable for discharge from service. Such candidate/trainees shall be debarred from appearing in the qualifying examination subsequently.
- (6) Candidates who fail to qualify in the T. T. B. on completion of their initial training will be placed at the bottom of the candidates who qualify in the T. T. B. in a particular year in order of their performance in the T. T. B.
- (7) Even after passing the qualifying T. T. B. such candidates shall remain at the bottom of the list of the candidates with whom they appeared after their initial training not withstanding the fact that they have obtained more marks in the subsequent examination as compared to their counterparts who qualified in the first instance.