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GOVERNMENT OF ORISSA
POLITICAL AND SERVICES DEPARTMENT

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To

All Departments of Government
All Heads of Departments
All District Offices.

Sub:- Reference of Departmental Proceedings to
Administrative Tribunal for trial.

An issue recently came up about the reference of disciplinary proceedings against gazetted/ Non-gazetted officers to the Administrative Tribunal. Under Rule 4 of the Disciplinary Proceedings (Administrative Tribunal) Rules, 1951 read with instructions issued vide Memo No. 156(85)/AT., dt. 16th April, 1964, any reference to the Administrative Tribunal can be made only by the P & S (Vigilance) Department. While important cases where a prima-facie case is made out are referred to the Administrative Tribunal, other cases are referred by the P & S (Vigilance) Department to the concerned Departments for enquiry and action under the Classification, Control and Appeal Rules, 1962 after obtaining the Government orders.

2. There has been a large accumulation of disciplinary proceedings in various departments which would call for speedy disposal. Government have, therefore been pleased to decide that

- (i) P & S (Vigilance) Department may refer bulk of their cases to the Administrative Tribunal except the cases of minor nature which could go to the Departments.
- (ii) The Administrative Departments may also refer disciplinary proceedings under the Classification, Control & Appeal Rules, 1962 to the Administrative Tribunal after getting the prior concurrence of the P & S (A.S.) Department.

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(iii) Minor cases of disciplinary proceedings may be disposed of by the Departments at their level. These need not be referred to the Administrative Tribunal.

3. The aforesaid instructions may please be brought to the notice of all concerned.

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CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

There has been a large accumulation of disciplinary proceedings in various departments which would call for special attention. Government have, therefore, been pleased to decide that (i) P & S (Vigilance) Department may refer all of their cases to the Administrative Tribunal except the cases of minor nature which would go to the Departments. (ii) The Administrative Department may also refer disciplinary proceedings under the Administrative Control & Appeal Rules, 1951 to the Administrative Tribunal after getting the prior concurrence of the P & S (A.S.) Department.