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**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF CIRCLE RELAXATION COMMITTEE HELD FOR CONSIDERATION  
OF CASES UNDER COMPASSIONATE APPOINTMENT IN MAHARASHTRA CIRCLE**

The Circle Relaxation Committee (CRC) was constituted vide memo no. RE/CRC/Deptl/2017-18/2018 dated 09.08.2019, with the following members:

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| 1. | Dr.N.Vinod Kumar        | PMG Goa    | Chairman |
| 2. | Ms.Kaiya Arora          | DPS MR     | Member   |
| 3. | Shri Pawan Kumar Dalmia | DPS Nagpur | Member   |

The Circle Relaxation Committee met on **20 & 21.08.2019** in Conference Room O/o Chief PMG, Maharashtra Circle, Mumbai 400 001.

2. The Committee was informed that the last CRC held on 10.08.2018 had considered applications against vacancies for the year 2015-16 and 2016-17 i.e. upto 31.03.2017. The present committee has to consider applications received during 01.04.2017 to 31.03.2018 and 01.04.2018 to 31.12.2018 as per Directorate DO No.137-15/2014-SPB-II dated 07.07.2017 as vacancies are to be calculated calendar year wise and not financial year wise from 2018 onwards. The committee also considered 14 cases ( as detailed below at Sl. no. 1) referred to this committee by earlier CRC held on 10.08.2018. Thus 102 applications including one application earlier considered and rejected by CRC and now ordered to be re-considered by Hon'ble CAT ( as detailed below Sl .no 3) were placed before the Committee.

The breakup of the cases is as below:

Sr.No.	Period	No. of Cases
1	Cases referred by the previous CRC for want of documents and having equal points as that of last recommended candidate.	14
2	Cases received between 01.04.2017 and 31.12.2018	87
3	Cases directed by Hon'ble CAT for re-examination/reconsideration	01
	Total	102

3. Following one applicant withdrew her claim with request to consider the application of her son as below.

Sr. No.	Case No.	Old Applicant	New applicant	Remark
1	RE/4-3/12/2017	Smt. Mangal R. Atpadkar (Wife)	Shri. Vishal R. Atpadkar (Son/16yrs old)	Fresh case will be processed after attaining 18 yrs old.

This application along with three similar applications of last CRC as mentioned below may be placed before the next CRC on receipt.

Sr. No.	Case No.	Old Applicant	New applicant	Remark
1	RE/4-3/45/07	Mangesh S. Jadhav (Son)	Priti S. Jadhav (Daughter)	Fresh case yet to be received.
2	RE/4-1/41/15	Shri Shailesh Vasudeo Dhele (Son)	Applicant expired.	Fresh case yet to be received.
3	RE/4-1/40/16	Ms. Nisha D. Sawant (Sister)	Sapna D. Sawant (Sister)	Fresh case yet to be received.

4. As per the Department of Posts Memo No. 14014/3/2005.Estt (D) dated 14.06.2006, 5% of total vacancies arising for the Direct Recruitment Quota is only to be reserved for relaxation cases under different cadres. Committee was informed of the vacancy position as follows:

Cadre	Number of Vacancies under Relaxation for the year 2017-18	Number of Vacancies under Relaxation for the year 2018	Total
PA/SA	16	14	30
Postman/ Mail-Guard	18	13	31
MTS	15	15	30
<b>Total</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>91</b>

5. The Committee followed instructions contained in Directorate memo no 37-36/2014-SPB-1/C dated 20.01.2010, for award of points based on eight parameters having a total of 100 points. In addition, where the widow of the deceased applied for herself, additional 15 points were given as grace points as per instructions contained in the said memo.

The committee scrutinized all the 101 cases (except the case of Smt. Mangal R. Atpadkar who withdrew her application) in the light of the various guidelines issued by the Department of Posts noted below.

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- I. Memo No. 42012/4/2000.Estt (D) dated 24.11.2000.
- II. Memo No.14014/18/2000-Estt.(D) dated 22.06.2001.
- III. Memo No. 14014/5/02.Estt (D) dated 04.07.2002.
- IV. Memo No. 14014/3/2011.Estt (D) dated 26.07.2012.
- V. Memo No. 37-4/2013-SPB-I/C dated 04.02.2013.
- VI. Memo No 14014/02/2012 Estt(D) dated 16.01.2013, 30.05.2013 & 05.09.2016.

6. All 101 cases are listed in **Annexure – I** along with the merit points awarded on the basis of scrutiny of documents produced and verified.

The committee after going through relevant records/documents in case of each applicant and considering new educational qualification recommended the following applicants against the available vacancies.

- a.Postal Assistant and Sorting Assistant (30 vacancies ) in Annexure II
- b.Postman and Mail Guard ( 31 Vacancies) in Annexure III
- c.Multi Tasking Staff (30 Vacancies) in Annexure IV

7. One case which was considered and rejected by the earlier CRC was re-examined for second time by the committee in the light of direction of Hon,ble CAT.

i. Case of Shri. Nikhil, son of late Shri. Prakash W. Nikas who expired on 07.08.2012 (RE/4-1/39/2013).The case was considered and rejected by the CRC held on 30.12.2013. The applicant filed OA No.211/00245/2015 to the Hon'ble CAT, Nagpur Bench. The Hon'ble CAT passed an order dated 29.09.2016 to reconsider the case of the applicant and ordered to put up the same before the CRC again as per provision of rules for two more years. Accordingly, the case has been placed for second time before the present CRC for scrutiny and comparison with other cases.

8. The applicants who have been recommended by the committee but whose claims are belated i.e. claims submitted with delay of five years from the date of death of ex-official are listed in **Annexure-V**. Their cases may be taken up with Directorate as per DOP&T memo No. F.No.14014/02/2012.Estt (D) dated 16.01.2013 for relaxation subject to approval of Competent Authority.

9. The committee recommends cases pertaining to the widow applicants who are not fulfilling educational qualifications and listed in **Annexure – VI**. Approval of competent authority may be obtained in this respect.

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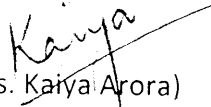
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10. Cases which are rejected by the committee are listed in **Annexure-VII** with detailed remarks against the name of the each applicant.

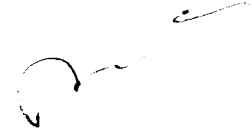
11. The committee could not consider the case of Shri.Rakesh Vishwanath Rane (**Annexure-VIII**) due to want of supporting documents which may be obtained from the concerned unit and the case may be placed before the next CRC.



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