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To

All Directors / Project Directors/  
Zonal Coordinators of ICAR Research Institutes/  
Project Directorates/ National Research Centres/  
Zonal Coordinating Units.

**Sub.:- Clarification regarding merit promotion from T-5 grade to T-6 grade -  
Consideration of due date of Assessment in view of acquiring higher  
qualifications of T-6 grade.**

Sir,

Clarification was sought by the Director, IASRI, New Delhi as to whether the assessment promotion of technical personnel of T-5 grade in Category II who had completed 5 years of service in T-5 grade, but acquired the post graduate degree in relevant field after completion of 5 year period, might be given either from the due date after completion of 5 years service in T-5 grade, or five years after the date of acquiring Master's degree in relevant field.

The matter has been considered in the Council and it is hereby clarified that on the analogy of this Council's Circular No.F.14-3/94-Estt.IV dated 1.2.95, the technical personnel in T-5 grade would become eligible for assessment promotion to next higher grade of T-6 in Category III by removal of Category Bar from the 1st January of the year following the year in which the prescribed qualifications were acquired by them, provided they had also completed 5 years service in T-5 grade on that crucial date.

Hindi version of this letter will follow.

Yours faithfully,

  
(J.K.NATH)

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