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Statutory Notifications (S.R.O.)

**GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN
CABINET SECRETARIAT
(Establishment Division)**

NOTIFICATION

Islamabad, the 5th August, 2022

S. R. O. 1558(I)/2022.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 25 of the Civil Servants Act, 1973 (LXXI of 1973) read with Notification No. S.R.O. 120(I)/98, dated the 27th February, 1998, the Prime Minister has been pleased to direct that the following further amendments shall be made in the Civil Servants Promotion (BPS-18 to BPS-21) Rules, 2019, namely:—

In the aforesaid Rules,—

(1) in rule 2,—

- (i) in clause (n), the word “and” at the end shall be omitted;
- (ii) in clause (o), for full stop at the end, a semi colon and the word “and” shall be substituted; and

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(iii) after clause (o), amended as aforesaid, the following new clause shall be added, namely:—

“(p) “special vetting agency” or “SVA” means an agency as approved by the Prime Minister and notified for verification and screening of officers being considered for promotion under these rules.”;

(2) in rule 4, after sub-rule (4), the following new sub-rule shall be added, namely:—

“(5) The CSB may besides other information consider intelligence reports of SVA to arrive at a decision.”;

(3) in rule 18, in sub-rule (3),—

(i) in clause (e), the word “and” at the end shall be omitted;

(ii) in clause (f), for full stop at the end, a semi colon and the word “and” shall be substituted and thereafter the following new clause shall be added, namely:—

“(g) the CSB or DSB may, in respect of officers being considered, compile the objective assessment form in a tabulated form which may contain parameters and attributes as set out in Schedule IV in terms of clauses (c) and (d).”;

(4) in Schedule IV, —

(i) for the heading “OBJECTIVE ASSESSMENT BY CENTRAL/DEPARTMENTAL SELECTION BOARD”; the heading “OBJECTIVE ASSESSMENT FORM TO BE SIGNED BY ALL MEMBERS INCLUDING THE CHAIRMAN AND THE SECRETARY OF CSB OR DSB AFTER THEIR ASSESSMENT” shall be substituted; and

(ii) after the expression “Overall Category _____”, the following shall be added, namely:—

“Notes.—

1. The form shall be circulated amongst all members of the Board. While considering the case of an officer for promotion to higher pay scale, after deliberation based

on record placed before it, all the members shall apply their collective judgment as provided in clause (d) of sub-rule (3) of rule 18 and award marks collectively against each attribute given in the objective assessment form and afterwards append their signatures at appropriate place given at the end of objective assessment form.

2. In case of any disagreement amongst the members while making collective judgment in respect of any attribute of objective assessment form, each member may separately give his/her own assessment and may sign the objective assessment form individually. In such a case, the final marks shall be calculated after taking average of the whole marks given by all the members, namely:—

$$\text{Average} = \frac{M_1 + M_2 + \dots + M_n \text{ (marks given by all members of the board)}}{\text{Total number of members of the Board}}$$

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