DELHI FIRE SERVICE
GOVT. OF NATIONAL CAPITAL TERRITORY OF DELHI
HEADQUARTER: CONNAUGHT PLACE: NEW DELHI – 110001

No.F.2/308/DFS/HQ/Prom./L.F./Pt2/2022/23/1632 Dated: 29/07/2025

OFFICE ORDER

In compliance of Hon'ble CAT Order dated 24.04.2024 and with the approval of the Competent Authority, a review Departmental Promotion Committee meeting was held in Delhi Fire Service HQrs on 09.07.25 to review the DPC held on 02.07.2024 (said DPC was held to review the promotion of Fireman/Fire operators on regular basis to the post of Leading Fireman Group –C under promotion quota in Delhi Fire Service), the observations made by DPC are as under: -

DPC carefully scrutinized all the relevant facts of the DPC held on 02.07.2024 as per the Order by Hon'ble CAT to adjudge the suitability of the applicant Sh. Manoj Kumar, F.O. (244/63) for the post of Leading Fireman with reference to his juniors but no irregularities were found by the DPC in the previous recommendations of DPC held on 02.07.2024.

The DPC considered the Hon'ble Courts directions and found that the applicant had attained the education qualification in the year Dec-2017 and becomes eligible for promotion on 01.01.2018. (As per DOPT O.M. No. 22011/6/2013-Estt (D) dated 28.05.2014). While all other incumbents who were promoted had attained the education qualification in the year 2014 and 2015 and were eligible for promotion on 01.01.2015 and 01.01.2016 respectively after fulfilling the criteria of 3 years regular service as Fireman/Fire Operator in the service.

The DPC found that the Sh. Manoj Kumar F.O. (244/63) was not suitable and also not fulfilling the eligibility criteria for the promotion at the time of the DPC held on 19.08.2019, as the number of vacancies were limited and the incumbents who were juniors (in terms of seniority number and date of joining in DFS) Sh.Sunil Kumar F.O-139/63,Sh.Rajeev Sindhu F.O-111/64, Pardeep F.O-184/64 and Adesh Kumar F.O-28/64 were eligible before the applicant under 20% quota for promotion.

DPC carefully scrutinized all the relevant facts of the DPC held on 19.08.2019 as per the order by Hon'ble CAT to adjudge the suitability of the applicant for the post of Leading Fireman with reference to his juniors but nothing adverse was found by the DPC in the previous DPC held on 19.08.2019.

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The DPC found that Sh. Manoj Kumar acquired eligibility qualification in Dec 2017 was eligible to be promoted w.e.f. 01.01.2018 under 20% quota. Since only 09 posts arisen to be filled under 20% quota as per RRs of the post. Accordingly, the candidates who acquired the eligibility criteria on first come first serve basis were granted promotion and the 20% quota exhausted.

This order has been prepared with due diligence, however if any discrepancy is observed in the order the same may please be intimated immediately.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

(Rakesh Singhal)
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