

श्रेणी V (ज्येष्ठ समयमान) सहायक आयुक्त, सीमाशुल्क और केन्द्रीय उत्पाद शुल्क	808	10000-325-15200 रु.
श्रेणी VI (कनिष्ठ समयमान) सहायक आयुक्त, सीमाशुल्क और केन्द्रीय उत्पाद शुल्क	232	8000-275-13500 रु.
(i) प्रतिनियुक्ति रिजर्व		
(ii) छुट्टी रिजर्व	}	215 8000-275-13500 रु.
(iii) प्रशिक्षण रिजर्व		
(iv) परीक्षा रिजर्व	}	

(ए) अनुसूची 2 में (विभागीय प्रोन्नति समिति की संरचना में संबंधित) श्रेणी 1 के मानने, स्तंभ 3 के अधीन प्रविष्टियों के अन्तर्गत, निम्नलिखित रखा जाएगा, अर्थात्:—

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| 1. अध्यक्ष/सदस्य, संघ लोक सेवा आयोग | —अध्यक्ष |
| 2. सचिव (राजस्व) | —सदस्य |
| 3. अध्यक्ष, केन्द्रीय उत्पाद शुल्क और सीमाशुल्क बोर्ड | —सदस्य |
| 4. *सदस्य, केन्द्रीय उत्पाद शुल्क और सीमाशुल्क बोर्ड | —सदस्य |

*केन्द्रीय उत्पाद शुल्क और सीमाशुल्क बोर्ड का ज्येष्ठतम सदस्य

[पा० सं० ए-12018/1/90-प्रशा०-II]

आर०के० महतोत्रा, अवर सचिव

णी :

राजस्व विभाग के दिनांक 17 मितम्बर, 1987 की अधिसूचना सं० ए-12018/5/75-प्रशा०-2 [सा०का०नि० सं० 794/(अ)] के तहत भारतीय सीमाशुल्क एवं केन्द्रीय उत्पाद शुल्क सेवा नियमावली 1987 को प्रकाशित किया गया था।

राजस्व विभाग के 1 अगस्त, 1992 की अधिसूचना सं० ए-32012/2/91-प्रशा०-II (सा०का०नि० सं० 343) के तहत उक्त नियमावली का संशोधन किया गया था।

(Department of Revenue)

New Delhi, the 23rd March, 1998

G.S.R. 77.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution, the President hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Indian Customs and Central Excise Service Group 'A' Rules, 1987, namely:—

(1) These rules may be called the Indian Customs and Central Excise Service Group 'A' (Amendment) Rules, 1998.

(2) They shall come into force with effect from date of publication in the Gazette of India.

2. In the Indian Customs and Central Excise Service Group 'A' Rules, 1987:—

(a) for rule 18, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"18. Appointment by promotion to Grade VI of Service: (1) Appointment to the vacancies in Grade VI of the Ser-

vice required to be filled by promotion under sub-rule 2(ii) of rule 5 shall be by promotion of the following categories of Group 'B' officers in the Central Excise, Customs and Narcotics Departments who have completed three years regular service in the Group 'B' posts of—

(a) Superintendents of Central Excise in the Central Excise Department and District Opium Officer or Intelligence Officers or Superintendents (Executive) in the Narcotics Department.

(b) Appraisers of Customs in the Customs Department.

(c) Superintendents of Customs (Preventive) in the Customs Departments.

(2)(a) The vacancies to be filled by promotion shall be filled from out of the three Group 'B' officers mentioned at categories (a), (c) and (b) to sub-rule (1) in the ratio of 6 : 1 : 2 respectively for each bunch of nine vacancies. Out of these 9 vacancies, the

At six vacancies would go to officers at category (a) the 7th vacancy to the officer at category (c) and 8th and 9th vacancies to the officers at category (b) of sub-rule 1 above and seniority of these officers shall also be fixed in this order.

(b) For the purpose of making promotion to Group 'A' separate consideration lists of Superintendent of Central Excise and District Opium Officers or Intelligence Officers or Superintendent (Executive) in the Narcotics Department, Appraisers and Superintendent of Customs (Preventive) would be drawn up on all India basis on the basis of their continuous officiation in their Group 'B'.

(3)(a) The promotion shall be made on the principle of selection on merit basis.

(b) The Commission shall be consulted for making promotions to Grade VI;

(b) for rule 21, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

✓ 21. Appointment to Grade III of Service (Non-functional Selection Grade of the Service) : 15 per cent of the senior duty posts shall be operated in the non-functional selection grade of Rs. 14300-400-18300 and appointment to this grade shall be made according to seniority based on suitability taking into account the overall performance, experience and any other related matter :

Provided that no officer shall be appointed to the selection grade unless he has been appointed to Grade IV of Service to the post of Deputy Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise and has entered the 14th year in that Service on the 1st July of the year calculated from the year following the year of examination on the basis of which he was recruited.

Provided further, that inter-se-seniority of officers in Grade IV shall not be changed as a result of their appointment to the non-functional selection grade."

(c) for rule 22, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

✓ "22. Appointment to Grade II of the Service : Appointment to Grade II of the Service, to the post of Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise shall be made by promotion by selection from amongst :

(a) Officers of Grade IV of the Service, holding the post of Deputy Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise with eight years' regular service in the grade (including service, if any, rendered in non-functional selection grade of Rs. 14300-400-18300); or

(b) Officers with 17 years regular service in Group 'A' posts of the service, out of which at least four years' regular service should be in grade IV of the said service (including service, if any, rendered in non-functional selection grade)."

(d) for rule 23, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

Rule 23 : Appointment to Grade I : Appointment to grade I of the Service, to the post of Chief Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise of the service, shall be made by promotion by selection from amongst officers of Grade II of the service to the post of Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise with three years' regular service in the grade."

(e) for rule 24, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"24. Senior not to be ignored for consideration in promotion if junior is considered: Where juniors who have completed their qualifying/eligibility service are being considered for promotion, their seniors would also be considered provided they are not short of the requisite qualifying/eligibility service by more than half of such qualifying/eligibility service or two years, whichever is less and have successfully completed their probation period for promotion to the next higher grade alongwith their juniors who have already completed such qualifying/eligibility service."

(f) for Schedule I, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

SCHEDULE - I

[See sub-rule (1) of rule-4]

Grades, Numbers and Scales of Pay of Posts included in the service

Sl. No.	Grades of the post	Number of post	Scale of pay
	Grade I — Chief Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise	17	Rs. 22400-525-24500/-
	Grade II — (Senior Administrative Grade) Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise.	147	Rs. 18400-500-22400/-
	Grade III — Non-Functional Selection Grade of Junior Administrative Grade—Additional Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise.	286	Rs. 14300-400-18300/-
	Grade IV — (Junior Administrative Grade Deputy Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise.		Rs. 12000-375-16500/-
	Grade V — (Senior Time Scale) Assistant Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise.	808	Rs. 10000-325-15200/-
	Grade VI — (Junior Time Scale) Assistant Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise.	232	Rs. 8000-275-13500/-
	(i) Deputation Reserve (ii) Leave Reserve (iii) Training Reserve (iv) Probationary Reserve	215	Rs. 8000-275-13500/-

(g) In the Schedule II (relating to the composition of Departmental Promotion Committee), against grade I, entries under column 3, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

1. Chairman/Member, Union Public Service Commission—Chairman
 2. Secretary (Revenue)—Member
 3. Chairman, Central Board of Excise and Customs—Member
 4. *Member, Central Board of Excise and Customs—Member
- *Senior most Member of Central Board of Excise and Customs

[F.No. A-12018/1/90-AD. II]
R.K. MALHOTRA, Under Secy.

Note:—

1. The Indian Customs and Central Excise Service Rules, 1987 were published vide Department of Revenue Notification Number A-12018/5/75-AD. II (GSR(E) dated 17-9-87).
2. The above rules were amended vide Department of Revenue, Notification Number A-32012/2/91-AD. II G.S.R. Number 343 of 1992 dated 8th June, 1993.