No. 15012/5/92-Estt(D)  
Government of India  
Ministry of Personnel, P.G. and Pensions  
(Department of Personnel & Training)  

New Delhi, the 27th July, 1995.

Office Memorandum

Subject:— Grant of age concession to blind, deaf-mute and orthopaedically handicapped persons for appointment to Gr.'A' & 'B' posts which are not filled through open competitive examination.

The undersigned is directed to say that this Department's O.M. No.15012/6/77-Estt(D) dated the 28th January, 1978 (copy enclosed) on the above subject provides that for purpose of appointment to class III and Class-IV (Now Group C and Group D) posts, filled through the Employment Exchanges, the upper age limit in the case of blind, deaf-mute and orthopaedically handicapped persons shall be relaxed upto 10 years.

1. The question whether similar age-relaxation should be granted to the physically handicapped persons for appointment to Group-A & Group-B posts has been considered in consultation with the UPSC and O&AG. It has now been decided to allow age relaxation of 5 years (10 years for SC/ST and 8 years for OBC) to blind, deaf mute and orthopaedically handicapped persons for appointment to Group 'A' and Group 'B' posts/services except where recruitment is made through Open Competitive Examination.

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Director

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