## GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA REVENUE & DISASTER MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

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To

All Departments of Government
All Revenue Divisional Commissioners
All Heads of Departments
All Collectors

Sub: Carrier planning and Transfer policy for OAS-I(JB) Officers.

In order to develop a carrier planning and transfer policy for OAS-I(JB) Officers and to formulate appropriate guidelines for ensuring efficient and responsive administration without causing undue hardship to the officers, formulation of a progressive carrier planning and transfer policy was under active consideration of Government.

Now Government after careful consideration have been pleased to decide a carrier development plan and transfer policy for OAS-I(JB ) Officers as follows:

(i) No officer shall be posted in his home district in posts like Tahasildar, B.D.O., Deputy Collector, Additional Sub-Collector, Sub-Collector, R.T.O. or L.A.O. etc.

Tahasildars and BDOs shall not be posted in their home Sub-Division.

- (ii) Every OAS officer should work in KBK districts/Scheduled areas for at least 5 to 6 years in order to gain understanding of issues relating to administration in these backward areas.
- (iii) All OAS officers must serve as Tahasildar and BDO for a period of two to three years each in order to gain experience in various aspects of governance.

- (iv) After completion of service of 6 years in KBK/Scheduled areas, an officer may be posted in other areas, except in cases where the officer may opt to serve for longer period in such areas.
- (v) An officer should normally hold a post at a particular station for a minimum period of two years and maximum period of three years. However, transfers before the period of two years and retention beyond a period of three years may be considered on administrative grounds and in exigencies of administration.
- (vi) Posts normally held by OAS-I (JB) officers shall be classified in three phases. Phase-I may consist of posts of Tahasildar/BDO, Phase-II shall consist of posts like LAO, RTO, Deputy Collector, Superintendent of Excise, Additional Sub-Collector, AFA/US to RDC, LAO, Special LAO etc. and Phase-III of posts in Directorates/Secretariat. For proper career management each officer should preferably be posted to posts in all these phases. Normally an officer should be posted to Phase-II posts after holding posts in Phase-I for at least four to six years. Exceptions may however be made for officers promoted or selected to the service, considering their prior service experience. Phase-III posts should normally be manned by officers who have served in both Phase-I and Phase-II posts.
- (vii) These guidelines shall however, not confer any right or claim upon any officer for being posted to or retained at any particular post/ station and all officers are required to abide by any orders or transfer or posting as decided by the Government.

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Principal Secretary to Government

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Special Secretary to Government

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The OIC, IMU, Revenue & D.M. Department is requested to put the above policy in the website of the Department.

Special Secretary to Government