No. FIN-(PR)B(7)-1/98-III
Government of Himachal Pradesh
Finance (Pay Revision) Department.

The F.C.-cum-Secretary (Finance) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh.

To

1. All Administrative Secretaries to the
   Government of Himachal Pradesh.
2. All Heads of the Department in H.P.
3. The Registrar, H.P. High Court, Shimla.
4. The Secretary, H.P. Vidhan Sabha, Shimla.

Dated Shimla 17/10/02, the 18th April, 2002.

Subject: Clarification regarding date of annual increment on
placement in higher/next pay scale.

I am directed to invite a reference to Notification No. FIN-
(PR)B(7)-1/98 dated 1.9.1998 vide which the post-wise pay scales have
been revised w.e.f. 1.1.1996 and to say that number of references have
been received from various quarters seeking clarification regarding
date of next increment as a result of fixation of pay on placement in the
next higher pay scale on completion of requisite period of service. The
matter has been examined and the position is clarified as under:

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<td>Whether the date of next annual increment of Govt. servant on placement in the next higher pay scale on completion of requisite years of service shall fall due after completion of 12 months from the date of such placement</td>
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Yours faithfully,

\[Signature\]

Additional Secretary (FIN-PR) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh.

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