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NOTIFICATION

No. HC. XI-08/96/1653/RC, the 4th April, 1997. The Gauhati High Court (The High Court of Assam, Nagaland, Meghalaya, Manipur, Tripura, Mizoram & Arunachal Pradesh) services (Appointment, Conditions of Services and Conduct) (1st Amendment) Rules, 1997.

1. The Rules shall be called the Gauhati High Court (The High Court of Assam, Nagaland, Meghalaya, Manipur, Tripura, Mizoram & Arunachal Pradesh) Services (Appointment, Conditions of Services and Conduct) (1st Amendment) Rules 1997 hereinafter referred as "Amending Rules."
2. The Amending Rules shall come into force with effect from 16.2. 1996.
3. Definition—"The Rules" mean the Gauhati High Court (The High Court of Assam, Nagaland, Meghalaya, Manipur, Tripura, Mizoram and Arunachal Pradesh) Services (appointment, Conditions of Services and Conduct) Rules, 1967.
4. Clause (i) of Rule 20 of Part III of the aforesaid Rules be substituted as follows:—

"20 (i) The order of precedence among Gazetted Officers interse in the High Court services shall be as set out in Schedule III.

A member of the establishment of this Court appointed substantively to a post mentioned in Schedule shall take rank in order of seniority in the select list prepared in order of merit by the appointing authority for such appointment, subject to confirmation of the member following in that order, provided the member joins the post within the time allowed for the purpose. If the confirmation of the members does not follow in that order, the unconfirmed members will take their places in the seniority list below those who are confirmed before them.

Provided that, if selected candidate is prevented or fails to join the post within the stipulated time, for any circumstances beyond his/her control, the appointing authority if satisfied after due consideration of such circumstance may extend the joining period of such member. If the joining period is extended by the appointing authority the seniority of the member will be fixed according to his/her position in the select list. In case the joining period is not extended by the appointing authority the seniority of such member will be fixed according to his/her date of joining."

By order etc.

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