

years of service in the grade by those Senior Librarians who have put in less than eight years of service;

(d) what is the number of Senior Librarians thus superseded; and

(e) whether the affected persons have made any representations and whether any action has been taken thereon; if so, what are the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI VASANT SATHE): (a) and (b) There are 3 Senior Librarians in the Directorate General of All India Radio. 1 Senior Librarian has been working from 1977. The designations of the other 2 Senior Librarians were so changed on 26-8-1981. There was, therefore, no requirement for circulation of the seniority list prior to August, 1981. Subsequently, the seniority list has been circulated.

(c) In the Directorate, there are no higher posts to which these Senior Librarians could be promoted. The question of Senior Librarians having been superseded, therefore, does not arise.

(d) Does not arise.

(e) The Senior Librarians of the Directorate General of All India Radio have represented that they should be given a promotional avenue. It has been decided, in principle, that these Senior Librarians of the headquarters of DGAIR should also be made eligible alongwith the Senior Librarians in the individual Stations in the Northern Zone, for promotion purpose.

Omission of names of Senior Librarians from the Seniority List

1936. SHRIMATI MONIKA DAS; Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Senior Librarians with more than ten years of service

working in Directorate General, AIR have represented against omission of their names from the seniority list of AIR Librarians, Delhi Region;

(b) whether non-inclusion of their names in the seniority list has resulted in the promotion of Senior Librarians with service lesser than eight years to the post of Transmission Executive;

(c) whether any enquiry has been ordered to find out the reasons leading to the said omission; and

(d) whether any action has been taken to promote the affected Senior Librarians as Transmission Executives from the dates their juniors have been promoted; if so, what are the details thereof and if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI VASANT SATHE): (a) There are 3 Senior Librarians in the Directorate General of All India Radio. One Senior Librarian has been working from 1977. The designations of the other 2 Senior Librarians were so changed on 26-8-1981. There was, therefore, no requirement for circulation of seniority list prior to August, 1981. Subsequently, the seniority list has been circulated.

(b) and (d) The seniority list of Senior Librarians are maintained separately for stations, on a zonal basis and for the headquarters. There is no post of Transmission Executive in the Directorate General of All India Radio. The question of the juniors to the Senior Librarians in the headquarters having been promoted does not arise. However, it has been decided, in principle, that the Senior Librarians of the Headquarters of Directorate General of All India Radio should also be made eligible alongwith the Senior Librarians in the individual Stations in the Northern Zone, for promotion purpose.

(c) Does not arise.