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Revision of Requirements necessary for appointment to the Tribunal of Inquiry Chapter XLVIII – Establishments Code – Volume II

The Government has decided to revise the sub sections 19:4 and 19:5 of Chapter XLVIII of the Establishments Code Volume II.

- 02. Accordingly, the following sub sections 19:4 and 19:5 of Chapter XLVIII of the Establishments Code Volume II shall be revised as follows.
- 19:4 A Public Officer can be appointed as a Tribunal in a formal disciplinary inquiry, only if he has never been punished for an offence under the first schedule, or has completed a satisfactory period of 05 years of service after committing an offence under the second schedule of the Establishments Code, during his period of service.
- 19:5 The Secretary in charge of the subject of Public Administration should constitute a Panel of Inquiry officers consisting of retired Public Officers, who have not been punished for an offence indicated under the first schedule of the Establishments Code, or who have completed a satisfactory period of five years of service after committing an offence indicated under the second schedule therein, during their period of service and who count a period of service of ten years or more in a staff grade, and of Attorney at Law, and maintain it revising it as appropriate. It will also be the responsibility of the Secretary in charge of the subject of Public Administration to convey particulars regarding such Panel, from time to time, to Secretaries to Ministries, Heads of Departments and other relevant authorities.
- 03. Further, the name list of disciplinary inquiry officers published so far by Public Administration Circulars shall remain effective until further orders.

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