

(b.) No person shall be appointed to any place in the first or inside Departmental Division of the Civil Service below that of a Deputy Head, on probation or otherwise, whose age exceeds thirty-five years, or who has not attained, in case the appointment is to a place below that of a third class clerk, the full age of fifteen years, or in other cases, the full age of eighteen years, and for this purpose the limit of age mentioned in sub-section (a) of section twenty-six of the said Act shall be reduced to fifteen instead of eighteen as therein stated." [As amended by 46 Vic, c. 7, s. 4]

Limits of age for inside division.

8. The Deputy Heads of Departments shall be appointed by the Governor in Council, and shall hold office during pleasure; but whenever such pleasure shall be exercised in the direction of removing a Deputy Head from his office, a statement of the reasons for so doing shall be laid on the table of both Houses of Parliament within the first fifteen days of the next following Session.

Appointment of Deputy Heads during pleasure; Report thereof to Parliament.

9. The salaries of the Deputy Heads shall be determined by the Governor in Council, according to the duties and responsibilities of their respective Departments. The minimum salary of a Deputy Head shall be three thousand two hundred dollars, and the maximum salary shall be four thousand dollars.

Salaries how determined.

Amount limited.

10. It shall be the duty of the Deputy Head of each Department, and he shall have authority (subject always to the directions of the Head of the Department) to oversee and direct the other officers, clerks and servants of the Department; he shall have general control of the business of the Department and shall have such other duties as may be assigned to him by the Governor in Council.

Duties and powers of a Deputy Head.

11. In the absence of any Deputy Head, a chief clerk to be named by the Head of the Department shall perform the duties of such Deputy Head unless the performance of such duties is otherwise provided for by Order in Council; and there shall be in the office of the Auditor General a chief clerk who shall, at all times, act for the Auditor General in his absence.

By whom to be performed in his absence

In the office of the Auditor General.

12. A chief clerkship in any Department shall only be created by Order in Council passed after—

Chief Clerkships.

(a.) The Deputy Head of the Department has reported that such an officer is necessary for the proper performance of the public business of his Department, stating the reasons on which he has arrived at that conclusion, and the salary that, in his opinion, should be attached to the office;

Conditions of creation.