A STUDY ON JOB EVALUATION-CAPITAL IQ

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ABSTRACT

A paradigm change is occurring in the way the human component of any organisation is being handled as the new age gets underway. Regardless of whether a company operates in the old or the new economy, its hardware and software will always constitute a significant portion of its overall makeup. The organisation of the new economy, on the other hand, takes into account not only the hardware and software but also the information system and the "skin ware" that is the human being. Even though JOB EVALUATION is already an established practise, the recent shift in HR's role has made the notion of JOB EVALUATION all the more urgent, despite the fact that JOB EVALUATION is itself an established practise. Over the course of the last ten years, there has been a substantial rise in the importance of it. The term "human resource management" (HRM) refers to a relatively new category that encompasses a wide variety of concepts and approaches to the management of people. It may be defined and described in a number of different ways, some of which are in conflict with one another. The idea of human resource management is explained in more detail in the following passage, which is taken from the book "Human Resource Management in a Business Context." It describes HRM as a philosophy of people management and offers a framework for understanding its function within the context of a company. Management of people, often known as human resource management, did not "appear out of thin air." The field of HRM has borrowed concepts and methods from a variety of other fields. In practise, it is a combination of themes and ideas derived from nearly a century's worth of management theory and the research conducted in the social sciences.

I. INTRODUCTION:

Job evaluation is the of process systematically determining relative internal value of a job in an organization. In all cases the idea is to evaluate the job, not the person doing it. Job evaluation is the process of determining the worth of one job in relation to that of the other jobs in a company so that a fair and equitable wage and salary system can be established.

Evaluation types

- Job Ranking is the most simple form.
 Basically one just orders the jobs according to perceived seniority.
 This is easy to do in a small organization, but gets more and more difficult as different jobs exist within the company.
- Pair Comparison introduces more rigor by comparing jobs in pairs, but really it's a more structured way of building a basic rank order.
- Benchmarking or slotting sets up certain jobs that are analyzed in detail. These are then used for

comparison to slot jobs against these benchmarks.

 Job Matching allocates benchmarks too, but when a position is matched the elements of the job that differ are re-evaluated. Usually this evaluation will be done with a Point Factor Analysis (PFA) or classification system

A United Kingdom Perspective

 The late 1990s saw a move towards widespread introduction of job evaluation across government with the introduction of the Single Status Agreement for Local Authorities, Agenda for Change in the NHS, Framework Agreement in Higher Education and similar moves in the Armed Forces and Civil Service.

Job Evaluation - What is it?

Job evaluation is a practical technique, designed to enable trained and experienced staff to judge the size of one job relative to others. It does not directly determine pay levels, but will establish the basis for an internal ranking of jobs.

The two most common methods of job evaluation that have been used are first, whole job ranking, where jobs are taken as a whole and ranked against each other. The second method is one of awarding points for various aspects of the job. In the points system various aspects or parts of the job such as education and experience required to perform the job are assessed and a points value awarded - the higher the educational

requirements of the job the higher the points scored. The most well known points scheme was introduced by Hay management consultants in 1951. This scheme evaluates job responsibilities in the light of three major factors - know how, problem solving and accountability.

Job Evaluation Concept

Job evaluation is a systematic way of determining the value/worth of a job in relation to other jobs in an organization. It tries to make a systematic comparison between jobs to assess their relative worth for the purpose of establishing a rational pay structure.

Job evaluation needs to be differentiated from job analysis. Job analysis is a systematic way of gathering information about a job. Every job evaluation method requires at least some basic job analysis in order to provide factual information about the jobs concerned. Thus, job evaluation begins with job analysis and ends at that point where the worth of a job is ascertained for achieving pay-equity between jobs.

Features

The purpose of job evaluation is to produce a defensible defensive ranking of jobs on which a rational and acceptable pay structure can be built. The important features of job evaluation may be summarized thus:

- It tries to assess jobs, not people.
- The standards of job evaluation are relative, not absolute.

- The basic information on which job evaluations are made is obtained from job analysis.
- Job evaluations are carried out by groups, not by individuals.
- Some subjective element is there in job evaluation.
- Job evaluation does not fix pay scales, but merely provides a basis for evaluating a rational wage structure.

NEED FOR THE STUDY:

JOB EVALUTION helps the organization to follow systematic way of collecting data & information of each employee to aid planning, decision –making and submitting of returns & reports to the external agencies.

This collected information about the personnel will be helpful in solving the employees problems and organization problems .JOB EVALUTION maintains the data related to the employee's personal profile, career profile, skill profile & benefit profile, which would help in their growth.

JOB EVALUTION also maintains the data related to the personnel identification i.e. the employee code to recognize every individual with their employee codes.

JOB EVALUTION also includes managing the salary discrepancies of employees. some modifications are done in order to rectify the salary discrepancies of the employees.

SCOPE OF THE STUDY

The study with the prime objectives of ascertaining the employees towards the Job Evaluation program, which are required to perform their jobs effectively. In Capital IQ the studies include managers and employees.

- The study is confined and relevant only to Capital IQ not applicable to any organization.
- The study covers motivational practices in Capital IQ at various levels of employees.
- The study assists the management in determining the decision regarding the performance of the employee.

OBJECTIVES OF STUDY

- 1. To Determine equitable wage differentials between different jobs in the organization
- 2. To eliminate wage inequities
- 3. To develop a consistent wage policy
- 4. To provide a framework for periodic review and revision of wages
- 5. To provide a basis for wage negotiations
- 6. To enable management to gauge and control the payroll costs

7. To minimize wage descriptions on the basis of age, sex, caste, region, religion, creed etc • Procedure : simple random sampling

II. METHODOLOGY

The present study has been conducted in Capital IQ situated at Hyderabad. The online Interviews are conducted through a properly

Designed questionnaire constitute the primary source of data for the study.

Unit of study

Two instruments are used; the first one is the management schedule to gather

Information from management on different angles of organization.

The second one intended to administer among the sample.

Research & Design

- 1. Research method : Survey
- 2. Data collection Method:

Primary source : Structured closed ended questionnaire

 Secondary source: Company brochures, records, magazines (REINFOREC).

Journals,

Internet.

 Research Instrument : Personal Interview with aid

• Sampling plan : Size 100

LIMITATIONS:

While the computerized Human Resource Information System, described Earlier, has many benefits, it also has many problems, which need to be Addresses to before it can really be useful. Some of them are described Below.

- (a) It can be expensive in terms of finance and manpower requirements.
- (b) Often the personnel designing JOB EVALUTION do not have a thorough

Understanding of what constitutes quality information for the users. Thus,

The user managers do not get exactly the reports, which they
Want Producing information that is of quality to the users requires an Investment in time, effort and communication on the part of JOB EVALUTION

Managers.

(c) Computers cannot substitute human beings. Human intervention will

Always be necessary. Computers can at best aid the human effort. The

Quality of response is dependent upon the accuracy of data input and

Quires fired. The 'Garbage-in Garbageout' is the key expression in any Computerized system.

(d) In many organizations, the system is operated in batch mode with

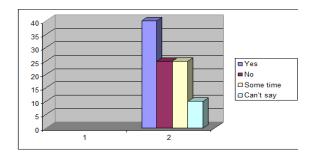
The records being updated once a week. Online facility in multi-

Environmental needs to be developed so that the reports generated are

Not out of place with the realities.

III. DATA ANALYSIS AND INTERPRETATION

- 1. Is the physical working conditions are taken care by superiors?
- A) Yes B) No C) Some time D) Can't say



Interpretation

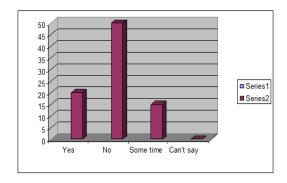
40% agreed with the above proposal

25% disagreed with the above proposal

25% may be may not

10% can't say

- 2. Are you accustomed work under many supervisors for the same nature of work?
 - A) Yes B) No C) Some time D) Can't say



Interpretation

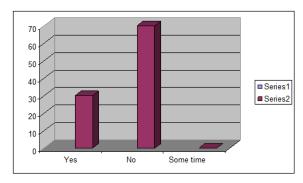
20% agreed with the above proposal

50% disagreed with the above proposal

15% may be may not

0% can't say

- 3. Do you feel to do your duty out of your commitment to job or because of the fear of survival?
- A) Yes B) No C) Some times



Interpretation

30% agreed with the above proposal

70% disagreed with the above proposal

FINDINGS

 The organization is giving good job valuation programs to the employees in Capital IQ

Most of the respondents have expressed that they are interested in the job valuation programs

in Capital IQ

 Most respondents expressed that feedback is collected from all the participants in the program.

The employee in the organization are well participated in the job valuation programs in Capital IQ.

- The training is being given to the employees at regular interval.
- Most of the employees are very much satisfied about the selection of the candidates for training.

Most of the employees are expressed that the job valuation programming in Capital IQ is imparting the latest technology in the market.

- Most of the employees agree with the training programmed meet prespecified objectives.
- Most of the employees are respond positive with the training programmers conducted in the organization.
- It is found that some of the employees are not aware or the job valuation programs in Capital IQ Hence they are made to be aware.
- Most of the employees agree with the training help you to upgrade soft skills

like communication skills, leadership, team building etc.

Most of the employees agree with the organization provide training for both present and new employees.

SUGGESTIONS

The conclusions so far drawn from the study tempts to offer the following suggestions for making the organization ready for Evaluation. The conclusions drawn above convince anybody to identify the following areas to chart out for job evaluation programs for the executives to make them completely ready for Evaluation

- A general training program covering the importance of and need for employee Evaluation in the light of global competition is to be designed in brainstorming session involving internal and external experts.
- The present study identifies the following areas in which training is to be undertaken.
- A training program may be undertaken for Executives in general and to Senior Executives in particular to convince and make them accept the Evaluation concept.
- Executives working in technical areas to be trained effectively in the areas of their role and interpersonal dependence and relations to make Evaluation more fruitful.
- A training program may be undertaken about "Shared Leadership" which brings high

morale and high productivity and makes the Evaluation a success.

be empowered must be ready to take up this responsibility. A study is to be conducted among the subordinate staff to find out their readiness to discharge the new roles under this Evaluation program. This helps in identifying the training areas, to make the subordinate staff completely ready for undertaking Evaluation.

IV. CONCLUSIONS

In the above perspective, the present chapter makes an attempt to draw some conclusions. It should be confessed here that the investigator is conscious of the limitations of the study and the conclusion drawn on the basis of the sample from a single unit cannot be generalized about the entire manufacturing sector.

The study examines the readiness for employee Evaluation in six aspects, namely effective Communication, Value of people, Clarity, Concept about power, Information and Learning.

A perusal of data pertaining to combination makes us to conclude that the Executives have agreed to the effective down ward communication flow, which is a prerequisite for Evaluation.

With regard to value of people, the analysis leads to the conclusion that the Executives give a reasonable value to the Human

Resources in the Organization. However, in respect of concept about power, they are somewhat agreed to share the power.

As far as information sharing with lower rungs is concerned, they are very positive.

One significant conclusion with regards to learning opportunities, which is a basic for Evaluation, is that the executives are favorable and feel that sufficient learning opportunities should be there for the rank & file.

As far as clarity is concerned, the executives are somewhat agreed i.e., neutral. The aspect wise percentage analysis leads to the conclusion that the organization is somewhat ready for employee Evaluation because the majority of the Executives in almost all aspects are concentrated in somewhat ready group

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