

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA  
Abstract  
PUBLIC SERVICES - MINISTERIAL POSTS-PROMOTTIONS.

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PUBLIC (SERVICES B) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.NO.959. DATED, TRIVANDRUM, 6<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 1959.

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- Read: - 1. G.P.S© 4-14527/56/PD dated 19-11-1957.  
2. G.O. Ms, No. 105, Public (Services C) dated 31-1-1958.

**ORDER**

In the G.P. first cited, it has been laid down among other things that in offices other than the Secretariat, Public Service Commission and High Court there will be a ratio of 1: 1 between graduates and non-graduates for promotion from the posts of Lower Division Clerks to the post of Upper Division Clerks and from Upper Division Clerks to supervisory ministerial posts. A minimum service of 3 years for graduates and 7 years for no graduates has also been prescribed as a pre-requisite for promotion from the Lower division to the Upper Division.

According to the orders in para 3 the G.O. second cited, when neither graduates with 3 years service nor non-graduates with 7 years service are available for promotion, the question as to who should be promoted, has to be considered and decided by Government in the Public (services) Department on merits. While referring such cases to Government, the Heads of Departments will bear in mind the following instruction:

If, in a particular case, one of the claimants is likely to completed the minimum period of service within a short period not exceeding 3 months, the vacancy may be kept unfilled till then, so that after the expiry of this period a regular promotion can be made without resorting to relaxation of the minimum service rule.

By order of the Governor,  
P. SREEDHARA MENON,  
Deputy Secretary.

To

All Heads of Departments and Officers.  
The District Collectors.  
The Secretary, Kerala Public Service Commission with C.L.  
The Registrar, High Court with C.L.  
The Registrar, University of Kerala with C.L.  
The Comptroller.  
The Secretary to the governor  
The Secretaries, Additional Secretaries, Joint Secretaries  
Deputy Secretaries and Assistant Secretaries.  
The Departments of the Secretariat, including Law and Finance Departments.  
The Director of Public Relations.  
The Personal Clerk to Chief Secretary.  
The Gazette.

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