

Copy of Circular No.53/72/Fin. Dated 5-7-1972 from the Finance Secretary, Finance Department, Trivandrum to the All Heads of Departments.

Sub:- Economy – Economy in expenditure – Restrictions on fresh recruitments – further instructions – Issued

Government have ordered in paragraph 2 of G.O.(P)142/72/Fin. Dated 15-5-1972 that no fresh recruitment should be made to fill up the existing vacancies and vacancies arising thereafter for the next three months and that the ban should apply even to recruitment to posts created prior to the issue of the above orders which have not been filled up. It has been further clarified to the Public Service Commission that unless the appointing authorities inform the commission that they any requisition placed with the commission is withdrawn, the commission can proceed with recruitment and advice candidates. In this connection the Public Service Commission has brought to the notice of Government certain instances which necessitate the following further instructions to the appointing authorities.

- (i) It has been reported that in some cases candidates advised by the commission have been refused appointment by the appointing authority on the basis of the economy orders and the commission was not informed either before or afterwards by such authorities of their intention of not making appointment to these posts. As desired by the public service commission the appointing authorities are requested that wherever they have placed a requisition for recruitment boards and they do not intend to make the appointment in accordance with these requisitions in view of the economy orders they should inform the commission/the District Recruitment Board of the position immediately.
- (ii) It has also been brought to the notice of Government that in some cases the appointing authorities are continuing provisional hands and refusing appointment to the nominees of the public service commission/District Recruitment Boards to the posts held by the Provisional hands. This is not the intention of Government in issuing the orders in G.O.(P)142/72/Fin. Dated 15-5-1972. The action of such appointing authorities amounts to a virtual abuse of the Government Order. All appointing authorities will, therefore, ensure that wherever candidates have been advised by the commission or the District Recruitment Boards in accordance with the requisition made by the appointing authorities and where the commission or District Recruitment Boards have to be appointed by the appointing authorities and the provisional hands should not be allowed to continue in such cases. Further, if provisional hands are allowed to continue, the vacancies should be reported to the Public Service Commission or the District Recruitment Boards as the case may be.

Endt. On E3.33416/72/F.Dis. dated 22-7-1972

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For Chief Conservator of Forests

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