

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

**Abstract**

Forest Department - Public Servants dying in harness - employment assistance to the dependents - appointment to Shri. M. Kochunni, son of late Sri. K.M. Mohammed, Watcher, as peon in the Department of Forests - Orders issued.

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AGRICULTURE (FOREST MISCELLANEOUS) DEPARTMENT

G.O. MS. NO 319/80/AD.

Dated, Trivandrum, 8.9.1980

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- Read: 1. G.O. MS.No. 20/70/PD dated 21.1.1980  
2. Applications dated 5.1.1979 and dated 18.2.1980 from Shri. M. Kochunni.  
3. Letter No. E2-42575/79(K.Dis) dated 20.8.1979 from the Chief Conservator of Forest.  
4. Letter No K.Dis. 97155/79 dated 13.11.1979 from the District Collector, Ernakulam.

**ORDER**

Shri. M. Kochunni, son of late Shri. K.M. Mohammed Watcher in the Forest Department who died on 12.9.1978 while in service., has in his representations read as II nd paper above requested for appointment in Government service under the scheme for providing employment to the dependents of Government Servants who die in harness. The Chief Conservator of Forests has in his letter read as 3 rd paper above recommended the request of the applicant to appoint him as Peon in the Forest Department. The Chief Conservator of Forest has reported that the deceased Government servant has 31 years of completed service in that Department, The District Collector, Ernakulam has also recommended the request and stated that the total annual income of the family is Rs. 3850/-. As the income of the deceased Government Servant exceeded the upper income limit of Rs. 2400/- fixed by Government the request for employment assistance under the scheme was rejescted.

2. Government have subsequently enhanced the income limit for eligibility for appointment under the scheme from Rs.2400/- to Rs.4200/- per annum. This order is applicable only to request for employment assistance received after 16.1.1979. In the case of the applicant the request for employment assistance was made on 5.1.1979. Had the petitioner applied for the assistance after 16.1.1979, je would have become eligible for it in accordance with the orders in force.

3. Based in the petition dated 18.2.1980 from Sri. Kochunni Government have examined the case of Sri. Kochunni further. Government consider that the benefits of employment assistance to the deserving candidates shouldnot be denied on flimsy or technical grounds. Government are therefore pleased to accord sanction for the appointment of Sri. M. Kochunni, Kadukkappilly, Kurichilakodu, Kodanad P.O. (Via) Perumbavoor, Ernakulam District, as peon in the Department of Forests, as a special case, relaxing the rules regarding the income limit in force.

4. The Chief Conservator of Forests will issue necessary orders of appointment to Shri. M. Kochunni as Peon in the Forest Department subject to verification of age, educational qualifications, character and antecedents as are necessary in respect of fresh recruits.

(By order of the Governor)

K.V. VIDHYADHARAN,  
Special Secretary to Government

To

Shri. N. Kochunni, Kadukkappilly, Kurichilakkode,  
Kodanad P.O. Perumbavoor (Via) Ernakulam District.  
The Chief Conservator of Forests.

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Endt. on E 2-40496/80(K.Dis) dated 19.9.1980

Copy to E 8 seat in office for further action.

Copy to the Conservator of Forests, Trichur for information (Ref. no. E1-5956/79 dated 18.6.1979)

copy to the Divisional Forest Officer, Timber Sales Division, Perumbavoor.

Copy to G.O. file and stock file.

Office of the  
Chief Conservator  
of Forest, Trivandrum.

Sd/-  
For Chief Conservator of Forests

DD/19/9.

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