GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

PAY REVISION 1997 - HOLDING OF ADDITIONAL CHARGE - PAYMENT OF CHARGE ALLOWANCE - REVISION OF RATES - ORDERS ISSUED.

FINANCE (PAY REVISION IMPLEMENTATION DEPARTMENT)

G.O. (P) No. 1559/99/ (26)/Fin. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 7th July, 1999.

Read: -1. G.O. (P) No. 3000/98 Fin. dated 25-11-1998.

2. G.O (P) No. 1272/99 (15) Fin. dated 7-4-1999.

ORDER

Consequent on revision of pay scales to State Government Employees and Teachers as per Government Order read above, the Accountant General has sought for clarifications on the status of charge allowance. As per the Government Order second cited Government have clarified that charge allowance will be treated on par with special allowance as introduced with effect from 1-3-1997. However, Dearness Allowance and other allied benefits based on charge allowance in the pre - revised rates already drawn will not be recovered.

Governments have further examined the matter in detail and are pleased to order the following.

The rates of charge allowance will be changed from 20% of pay to allowance equal to 10% of Pay for holding full additional charge and 10% of pay to allowance equal to 5% of pay for discharge of current duties under Rule 53 Part I, Kerala Service rules.

The Changed rates shall come into force with effect from 1-3-1997. However, there shall be no recovery of charge allowance paid at the existing rates. Charge Allowance will not be reckoned as "emoluments" for the purpose of pension. Formal amendment to Rule 53 Part I, Kerala Service Rules and Ruling No. 2 below Rules 62 Part III, Kerala Service Rules will be issued separately.

By order of the Governor,

VINOD RAI, *Principal Secretary (Finance).*

The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

All Heads of Department and Offices.

All Departments (all section) of the Secretaries.

The Secretary, Kerala Public Service Commission (with C.L.).

The Registrar, High Court of Kerala, Ernakulam (with C.L.)

The Registrar, University of Kerala Cochin/Calicut.

The Registrar, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam (with C.L.)

The Registrar, Kannur University (with C.L.)

The Registrar, Sree Sankaracharya Sanskrit, Kalady (with C.L.)

The Registrar, Kerala Agricultural University, Thrissur (with C.L.)

The Advocate General, Ernakulam (with C.L.)

The Secretary, Kerala State Electricity Board, (with C.L.)

The Director of Treasuries, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Managing Director Kerala State Road Transport Corporation,

Thiruvananthapuram. (with C.L.)

All Secretaries, Additional Secretaries, Joint Secretaries, Deputy Secretaries and Under Secretaries to Government.

The Secretary to Governor.

The Private Secretaries to the Chief Minister and other Ministers.

The Private Secretary to Speaker Deputy Speaker.

The Private Secretary to the Leader of Opposition.

The Additional Secretary to the Chief Secretary.

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The Director of Public Relations. Thiruvananthapuram.

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