

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

No. 5446./Rules-1/80/GAD
General Admn.(Rules) Department,
Trivandrum, 9-11-1983.

CIRCULAR

Sub:- Public Services- Departmental Tests- Temporary exemption to Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled Tribes in service- Reversion from higher posts for want Of test in M.O.P./ Secretariat Manual – Stay- Cancelled- Orders issued.

Ref:- 1. G.O.(MS) No. 22/PD dated 13-1-1972.
2. Circular Memorandum No. 2501/ Rules / 73/PD dated 17-8-1973.
3. Circular Memorandum No. 54463/ Rules-1/80/CAD dated 19-5-1980.

In the Circular Memorandum read as 3rd paper above Government have disclosed their intention to review the clarificatory order issued in Circular Memorandum No. 2501/Rules/73/PD dated 17-8-1973 with respect of the orders contained in G.O.read as first paper above. It was also ordered in the Circular Memorandum dated 19-5-1980 that pending this review employees belonging to Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled tribes, if any, in the higher posts may be allowed to continue in the higher posts without reversion until further orders. Governments have now decided to drop the proposals to review the clarification issued in the Circular Memorandum dated 17-8-1973.

2. It was come to the notice of Government that certain Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Personnel in the Public Works Department happened to be promoted to the higher posts due to the wrong interpretation of the G.O dated 13-1-1972 despite the clarificatory order issued in the Circular Memorandum dated 17-8-1973. There may also be other departments where such promotions have been ordered. Governments consider it not desirable to revert such Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes employees from the higher posts they are holding even if it due to wrong interpretation of the G.O. dated 13-1-1972.

3. Government therefore direct that exemption from passing M.O.P. or Secretariat Manual Test or a temporary exemption to acquire the qualification as the case may be granted to such of the persons who have been benefited by the wrong interpretation of the G.O dated 13-1-1972 after considering the individual cases on merits.

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