GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

<u>Abstract</u>

Civil Supplies – Informal Rationing – Verification of Ration Cards by Homeguards volunteers – Treating their absence from duty – Regarding – Orders issued

FOOD DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.477/65/Food

Trivandrum, Dated, 22-06-1965.

Read:- Letter No. (CS) B5-20257/65 dated 5-8-1965 from the Additional Secretary (Civil Supplies), Board of Revenue.

<u>ORDER</u>

The Home Guard Volunteers and other Government Servants were engaged in the verification of ration cards consequent on the introduction of informal rationing in this State. In performing this work, it is reported that the Home Guard Volunteers who are also Government Servants absented from their Official duties for a period exceeding 15 days which is normally granted to them as special casual save while they are called upon to discharge any of the duties assigned to them. In the letter read above, the Additional Secretary (civil supplies), Board of Revenue has requested clarification as to how the absence over 15 days in this case has to be treated.

2. Government have examined the question in all its aspects and are pleased to order that the absence from Official Duties of Home Guard Volunteers who are Government Servants and other Government Servants in connection with the intensive verification of ration cards consequent on the introduction of informal rationing in this State will be treated as "Duty" for all purposes.

By Order of the Governor,

N.M.Patnaik, Chief Secretary to Government. All Heads of Departments etc. etc.

Endt. On E5-39604/65(F.Dis) dated 20-12-1965

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> R.Sadasiva Panicker, Administrative Officer, For Chief Conservator of Forests.

> > Forwarded/By Order,

Superintendent

Office of the Chief Conservator of Forests, Trivandrum.

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