

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

CIRCULAR

No. 80/85/ Fin.

Dated, Trivandrum, 10th September, 1985

Sub:- Commuted Leave on medical Grounds—Production of Medical Certificate—Clarification issued---Cancelled---Orders issued.

Ref:- Circular No. Prd.II/12-28/Leave/33/642 dated 1-7-1985 from the Accountant General.

In the Circular cited, it was clarified that when an Officer rejoins duty after enjoying Commute I Leave on medical grounds he has to produce a Medical Certificate of Fitness in the form prescribed in Rule 71, Part I, Kerala Service Rules. The Accountant General in his letter read as 2nd paper above has pointed out that according to Rules 71, Part I, Kerala Service Rules, Fitness Certificate need be produced only when an Officer is granted leave on Medical Certificate. So Fitness Certificate is not necessary when the Commuted Leave granted is not on production of Medical Certificate, though on medical grounds. The form prescribed in Rules 71, Part I, Kerala Service Rules requires the Medical Officer to examine the original Medical Certificate(s) and Statement(s) of the case (or certified copies thereof) before issuing the Medical Certificate of Fitness. As the production of Medical Certificate is not being insisted on for granting Commuted Leave of Medical Officer cannot certify that he has verified the original Medical Certificates. In view of the above position the Circular cited is hereby cancelled.

V.V. SARAMMA

Finance Secretary

To

The Accountant General, (Accounts and Entitlement)Kerala, Trivandrum

The Accountant General, (Audit)Kerala, Trivandrum

All Heads of Departments and Offices.

All Departments (All Sections) of the Secretariat

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

The Registrar, University of Kerala/Cochin/Calicut/Kottayam (with CL)

The Registrar, Kerala Agricultural University , Trichur (with CL)

The General Manager, Kerala State Road Transport Corporation, Trivandrum (with CL)

The Secretary, Kerala State Electricity Board Trivandrum (with CL)

The Registrar of High Court Ernakulam (with CL)

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The Secretary to Governor

The Private Secretaries to the Chief Minister and other Ministers

The Private Secretaries to the Leader of Opposition and Chief Whip

The Under Secretary to the Chief Secretary.