## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA Abstract

## PENSION- APPLICABLITY OF RULES UNDER KERALA SERVICE RULES TO FUND EMPLOYEES –PENSION CONTRIBUTION – LEVY OF – ORDERS ISSUED.

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## FINANCE DEPARTMENT

G.O.(P) 443/62

Dated, Trivandrum, 10<sup>th</sup> October 1962.

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Read:- (1) G.O. MS.801/60/Home dated 27-12-1960

- (2) G.O.MS.106/61/Fin .dated 8-3-1961.
- (3) Letter No.PC.3-1/61-62/89 dated 15-7-61 from the Accountant General and
- (4) Letter No.PC.3-5/61-62/128 dated 2-8-61 from the Accountant General.

## **ORDER**

In the Government orders read as first and second papers above the pension able employees in the Chithra Home and in the Travancore and Cochin Dewaswam Boards were allowed to for the rules in the Kerala Service Rules subject to the conditions referred to there. The Accountant General in his letter read as third and fourth papers above has sought clarification on the following points:-

- (a) The Kerala Service Rules allow officiating and temporary service to be counted for pension and this Concession was made applicable to fund employees also. But rule 22 of part III Kerala Service Rules authorities payment of pension from General Revenues on recovery of pension contribution for its permanent employees only. The Accountant General has expressed doubt whether the concession of counting the officiating service for pension can be allowed to the fund employees if the provisions of Rule 22 part III K.S.R as now stand cannot admit of officiating service being counted for pension.
- (b) Even through the rates of pension contribution as prescribed in Rule 22 of Part III of K.S.Rs And 346(v) of T.S.R are the same is to be considered whether the rate prescribed at 1/6 of the average cost of each post can be deemed sufficient to meet the pensionary liability arising under the different conditions obtaining in the K.S.Rs
- (c) In the Rule 22 of Part III of K.S.R it is stated that arrears of contribution in respect of either individual officer or class of officers proposed with a view to render past service qualifying cannot be accepted. But if the officiating service of fund employees is reckoned for pension, arrears of contribution in respect of officiating service rendered prior to 1-11-1959 by the officers of local funds will have to be collected. It is therefore, to be considered whether such arrears prior to 1-11-59 may be accepted.
- (d) The point raised by the Accountant General are under the consideration of Government Since it may take some to arrive at a decision on the above points raised by the Accountant General, he has also suggested that in all cause where the demand of PENSION contribution has been completely satisfied under the old

rules, claims to pension under K.S.R may be settled, leaving the excess or deficiency in the demand as per the new rules to be adjusted in due course, so as to avoid hardship to the concerned pensioners. Government accepts the suggestion of the Accountant General and they order accordingly.

By order of the Governor, P.K. SYED MOHAMMED, Deputy Secretary

To

The Accountant general

The Heads of Department and Officers.

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

The Registrar University of Kerala (with CL)

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

The Secretary to the Governor.

The Department of the Secretariat.

The Secretary to the Governor and Comptroller, Governor's Household.

The Private Secretaries to Chief Minister and other Ministers.

All Secretaries, Joint Secretaries, Additional Secretaries, deputy Secretaries and Assistant Secretaries to Government

The Department of the Secretariat

The Personal Clerk to the Secretary.

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