

## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

### Abstract

*LINGUISTIC MINORITIES- SAFEGUARDS- RECRUITMENT TO PUBLIC SERVICES-  
LANGUAGE TEST IN MALAYALAM- SULLABUS-SIMPLIFICATION OF- ORDERS ISSUED.*

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#### GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (RULES) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (P) No. 381/78/GAD.

Dated, Trivandrum, 16<sup>th</sup> August 1978.

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*Read:-* 1. G.O.MS.No.142 Public (Rules-NI) Department dated 31<sup>st</sup> March, 1966.  
2. Letter No AII (1) 33702/76/GW dated 11-7-1978 from the Secretary, Kerala Public Service Commission, and Trivandrum.

### ORDER

According to the G.O read above candidates belonging to Linguistic Minorities who take recruitment test in language other than in Malayalam will be required to pass a language test in Malayalam as specified in the annexure to that G.O. It has since been represented that the syllabus prescribed for the Malayalam language test may be simplified. The State Level Committee at its meeting held on 6-9-1977 recommended to Government to consider this matter.

The Government examined the question in consultation with the Kerala Public Service Commission. As agreed to by the Kerala Public Service Commission Government are pleased to approve the following revised simplified syllabus for the language test in Malayalam to be conducted by the Kerala Public Service Commission along with other Departmental and Account tests regularly.

#### Second Class language test (in Malayalam)

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Item of Syllabus	Number of Marks		Duration of test
	Maximum	Minimum	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)

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Written

Part A

Translating with fair accuracy of  
Idiom grammar as easy passage  
of English Prose relating to Indi-  
an subjects and containing no wo-  
rds that have not familiar equiva-  
in Malayalam ( The passage may  
be of S.S.L.C Standard)

100 40

45 minutes

VivaVoce

Part B

Conversing with accuracy and fluency  
in Malayalam.

100 50

15 minutes

The annexure to the G.O. read above is modified accordingly.

*By order of the Governor,*

**P.P.ACHUTHA MENON,**  
*Joint Secretary.*

To

The Secretary, Kerala Public Service Commission (with C.L)  
All Heads of Departments and Offices.  
The Registrar, High Court of Ernakulam.  
The Registrar, University of Kerala, Trivandrum (with C.L)  
The Registrar, University of Calicut, Calicut (with C.L)  
The Registrar, University of Cochin, Cochin (with C.L)  
The Registrar, Kerala Agricultural University/ Trichur (with C.L)  
The Secretary, Kerala State Electricity Board, (with C.L)  
The General Manager, Kerala State Road Transport Corporation, Trivandrum (with C.L)  
All Departments of the Secretariat.  
The Secretary to Governor.  
The Commissioner for Linguistics Minorities, 40, Amaranths Jha Marg,  
Allahabad-2 (with C.L)  
The Assistant Commissioner for Linguistic Minorities, 52, Gengu Reddy Road,  
Egmore, Madras (with C.L)  
The Joint Secretary, Southern Zonal Council, Madras (with C.L)  
Then Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, Madras (with C.L)  
The Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Bangalore (with C.L)  
The Chief Secretary to the Government of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad (with C.L)  
All Special Secretaries, Secretaries Additional Secretaries, Joint Secretaries  
Deputy Secretaries and Under Secretaries to Government  
The Private Secretaries to the Chief Minister and Other Ministers.  
The Under Secretary to the Chief Secretary.  
The Director of Public Relations.