

Service Rules Part III—Service put in by employees under Municip
COMMON SERVICE/PANCHAYATHS/UNIVERSITIES PRIOR TO ENTRY TO GOVERNMENT
SERVICE AND VICE VERSA—RECKONING FOR PENSION—
AMENDMENTS TO RULE 20—ORDERS ISSUED

FINANCE (PENSION-B) DEPARTMENT

G. O. (P) No. 228/2001/Fin. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 2nd February, 2001.

Read:—1. G. O. (P) No. 369/87/Fin. dated 30-12-1987.

- 2. G. O. (P) No. 383/89/Fin. dated 29-8-1989.
- 3. Circular No. 74/99/Fin. dated 4-12-1999.

ORDER

In the Government Orders read above, Government have issued guidelines for reckoning the service rendered in Government of India Departments/Central Autonomous Bodies/State Government Departments/State Autonomous Bodies/Public Sector Undertakings etc. for reckoning pensionary benefits consequent on permanent absorption in State Government Departments/State Autonomous Bodies and vice versa. Prorata pension is payable in the cases of permanent absorption of Government employees in State/Central Public Undertakings and vice versa.

As clarified in the Circular cited, mobility is applicable in the context of deputation followed by permanent absorption and pensionary liability is sharable on pro rata basis according to the length of service with the former employer. But no rule has been framed in respect of State Government employees who later join the Panchayaths/Municipal Common Service/Universities etc. after serving in the Government department and vice versa on getting appointment by transfer or through direct recruitment by Public Service Commission. Government was receiving representations from employees to count past service in Municipal/Panchayath/University services for pensionary benefits.

GCPT. 4/771/2001/15,000/DTP:

Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to order that the service if any, put in by Government employees in the Municipal Common Service/Panchayaths and Universities prior to their entry in State Government service including Aided Schools service and vice versa can be reckoned for pensionary benefits and to incorporate a note under Rule 20 Part III KSRs to that effect as follows:

"Not

Notwithstanding anything contained in the above Rule the past service put in by Government employees/Teachers in Panchayaths/Municipal Common Service/Universities etc. prior to entry in State service and vice versa will be reckoned as qualifying service for pension & DCRG. The amount credited to/creditable to a pension fund for the service rendered by the employee at market rate of interest (@ 10% at present) on compounding basis calculated for the period he worked with the former employer, has to be paid by the former employer in lump at the time of such appointment of the employee to the State service and vice versa. This will not be applicable to appointments to or from Public Sector Undertakings or similar bodies as they are constituted under Companies Act or by separate legislation of the Central/State Governments".

The benefit of this order will be applicable to the retirements after the date of this order and the pension cases already settled or pending settlement on administrative reasons will not be considered on any account. The formal amendments to Part III KSRs will be issued separately.

By order of the Governor,

VINOD RAI,
Principal Secretary (Fin).

The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram. The Accountant General (A & E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

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All Heads of Departments and Offices/All Departments (all Sections) in the Secretariat.

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

The Registrars, University of Kerala/Cochin/Calicut (with C.L.)

The Registrar, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam (with C.L.)

The Registrar, Kerala Agricultural University, Thrissur (with C.L.)

The General Manager, Kerala State Road Transport Corporation, Thiruvananthapuram (with C.L.)

The Secretary, Kerala Electricity Board, Thiruvananthappuram (with C.L.) The Registrar, Kerala High Court, Ernakulam (with C.L.)

The NORKA Department.

All Secretaries, Additional Secretaries, Joint Secretaries, Deputy Secretaries

The Secretary to Governor.

The Private Secretaries to the Chief Minister and other Ministers.

and Under Secretaries to Government.

The Private Secretary to Honourable Speaker.

The Director of Public Relations, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Additional Secretary to Chief Secretary.

The Director of Treasuries, Thiruvananthapuram.

The District Treasury/Sub Treasuries.

The General Administration (S.C) Department—vide decision of Council dated 31-1-2001 under Item No. 5465.

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