GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Public Services - Establishment - Drivers of Departmental Motor Vehicles - Service during the period of repairs of Vehicles – Clarification to orders - Issued

PUBLIC (SERVICES D) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(MS).NO. 506

Dated 3rd July, 1965. •

Read:- G.O.(P)335/Public (Ser) dated 14-6-62

<u>ORDER</u>

In the G.O. cited it was ordered among other things that during that repairs of departmental vehicles a period up to three weeks, the driver will be treated as on duty at the workshop and if the period of repairs exceeds three weeks, the driver cannot be treated as on duty at the workshop and he will have to be given some work either in the office to which he is attached or in any other local Government institution or office where his services can be utilized.

2. A doubt has arisen whether it is open to a Head of Department or office to depute a driver to the workshop after the expiry of three weeks, if the Head of Department or office consider it necessary. In view of the doubt referred to above Government have re-examined the orders already issued in the matter. In modification of the orders issued in G.O.(P) No.335, Pub(Ser) dated 14-6-1962 Government direct that if the Head of Department or office considers it necessary, they depute the driver to the workshop even after a period exceeding 3 weeks. When motor vehicles are sent for repairs to a workshop, normally the drivers need not be sent to the workshop. The Head of Department or office may assign suitable work in his office or institution during the period the repairs last. If the head of Department or office considers that the driver should be present in the workshop during the repair, there is no objection for deputing the driver to the workshop. They should see that the services of the driver are usefully utilized during the repairs and that he is not allowed to remain idle. The driver will be eligible for his usual pay and allowances if he is retained in service, though assigned other duties during the period of repairs of the motor vehicles.

By Order of the Governor,

Sd/ Asst. Secretary.

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R.Sadasiva Panicker, For Chief Conservator of Forests.

Forwarded/By Order,

Superintendent.

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