

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

No. 40277/SS4/65/Home
Home (SS Department)
Dated, Trivandrum, 24-3-1966

CIRCULAR MEMORANDUM

Sub:- Circulation of spurious S.S.L.C. books

It has come to the notice of the Government that the entries in a few SSLC books issued by the Education Department of this State were altered and corrected by the holders to their advantage. These SSLC books with spurious entries were detected in Madras. The corrections and alternations were made by the holders of the Air Force. When the above SSDC books were scrutinized verifying the entries therein with those recorded in the Tabulation Registers in the Education Department the following manipulation were observed.

1. Alteration of dates of birth. The alterations have been done so cleverly that it cannot be found out by casual scrutiny.
2. Alteration of marks. In respect of subjects in which the candidates have failed, the marks entered in the books have been erased and pass marks entered. The alterations in these cases also cannot be easily detected.
3. Alteration of Departmental facsimile. The departmental facsimiles stamped in the books have been erased and fresh ones stamped. For example, in some cases the facsimile "failed" has been changed to "Eligible".
4. Fresh entries. Fresh entries have been made in the remaining blank pages of the books entering bogus register Numbers and marks. Fabricated facsimiles of the Secretary to the Commissioner for Government Examinations has been stamped on such pages.
5. On suspicion whether such spurious certificates would be in circulation in this state also, detailed enquiries were made at various offices in the state. So far, no instance of producing a manipulated SSLC book has come to the notice of the Government. However, Government would like to stress the need for vigilance in this matter and request all appointing authorities in the State to scrutinize the SSLC books produced by the candidates, minute before admitting them to duty.

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Copy to all Sub-officers for information and attention.

Sd/- for Chief Conservator of Forests

Endt. On F.Dis. 6165/66 dated 23-4-1966

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Conservator's Office,
Chalakudy.

For Conservator of Forests