## FINANCE (RULES) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(P) 69/77/Fin.

Dated, Trivandrum, $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ February, 1977.
Read:- G.O.(P) 567/75/Fin. Dated 20-12-1975

ORDER
In the G.O. read above orders were issued permitting State Government Employees, including the All India Service Officers borne on the care of the State and serving in connection with the affairs of the State to encash Earned Leave at credit at the time of retirement subject to the two conditions stipulated therein. Various Service Association have since been requesting that the above benefit may be extended in the case of officers who die while in service and that the leave salary due may be paid to their legal heirs.

The Government after careful consideration of the case are pleased to order that the legal heirs of the officers, including All India Service Officers borne on the cadre of the State and serving in connection with the affairs if the State, who die while in service will be permitted to encash Earned Leave at credit of the Officers at the time of death subject to the following conditions:-
(1) the encashment of earned leave at the time of retirement should be subject to a maximum of 120 days.
(2) The leave salary shall be reduced by pension equivalent of Death-CumRetirement Gratuity

By order of the Governor,

K.J. THOMAS<br>Deputy Secretary

To
The Accountant General, Kerala
All Heads of Departments and Offices
All Departments and Sections of Secretariat
The Secretary, Public Service Commission (with C.L)
The Registrar of High Court of Kerala (with C.L)
The Registrar, University of Kerala/Calicut and Cochin(with C.L)
All Officers of the Secretariat
The Secretary to Governor
The Private Secretary to Chief Minister
The Private Secretaries to other Ministers
The Stenographer to the Chief Secretary.

