## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA Abstract

PROVIDENT FUND- GENERAL PROVIDENT FUND (KERALA)
RULES-PERIOD OF OPTION FOR THE SUBSCRIBERS TO
THE STATE PROVIDENT FUND (TRAVANCORE), THE
GENERAL PROVIDENT FUND (COCHIN) AND THE
GENERAL PROVIDENT FUND (MADRAS)FIXATION OF- ORDERS ISSUED.

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## FINANCE DEPARTMENT

G.O. (P) No.140/64/Fin.

(PF) dated, Trivandrum, 1 st April, 1964 12<sup>th</sup> Chaitra 1886

Read:- 1. Notification No.39645/CR/62/Fin.dated the 26<sup>th</sup> December 1963 2. G.O. (P) No.108/64/Fin. (PF) dated 10th March, 1963

## **ORDER**

The General Provident Fund (Kerala) Rules published under Notification No. 39645/CR/62/Fin.dated the 26 th December, 1963, in Gazette No.2 dated the 14 th January, 1964 have come into force with effect from today, the 1sy April, 1964.

- 2. According to rule 5 of the General Provident Fund (Kerala) Rules, the existing subscribers to the State Provident Fund (Travancore), the General Provident Fund (Cochin) and the General Provident Fund (Madras) are allowed to exercise the option within such period as the Government may by notification prescribe, either to continue to subscribe to the existing Funds or to the General Provident Fund (Kerala). In respect of those who elect to join the General Provident Fund (Kerala), the balances standing to their credits in the existing Funds will be transferred to the new Fund. Accordingly, the Government are pleased to issue the Notification appended to this order fixing the period for exercising necessary option.
- 3. The Government are also pleased to prescribe the following procedure for exercising the option:-
- (a) The option shall be exercised in writing within the period of three months from the 1<sup>st</sup> April, 1964, as specified in the Notification.

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- (b) The option once exercised shall be final
- © The option in the case of Gazetted officers shall be initimated to the Accountant General directly, and in the case of non-Gazetted officers to the respective Heads of offices, who will, in turn, forward to the Accountant General a consolidated statement showing the name, designation, Provident Fund Account number and nature of option of each subscriber and make necessary entries in the Service Book of the person concerned.

- 4. No amendments to the existing Provident Fund Rules, viz.,the State Provident Fund (Travancore) Rules, the General Provident Fund (Cochin) Rules, and the General Provident Fund (Madras) Rules will, hereafter, be made. Amendments that may, in future be issued to the General Provident Fund (Kerala) Rules will not be issued to the General Provident Fund (Kerala) Rules will not be made applicable to the persons who opt to remain under the State Provident Fund (Travancore) Rules, the General Provident Fund (Cochin) Rules and General Provident Fund (Madras) Rules.
- 5. In the case of an existing subscriber to the State Provident Fund (Travancore), the General Provident Fund (Cochin), or to the General Provident Fund (Madras), Who has not exercised his option within the time-limit specified above, it will be presumed that he has not elected to be governed by the General Provident Fund (Kerala) Rules and he will continue to be governed by Provident Fund Rules which were applicable to him on 31-3-1964.

By order of the Governor, K V THOMAS, Deputy Secretary.

To

The Accountant General, Kerala.

All Heads of Departments and Offices.

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

The Secretary, Kerala State Electricity Board (with C.L.).

The Registrar, University of Kerala (with C.L)

The Registrar, High Court (with C.L).

The Director of Public Relations.

The Secretary to the Governor.

Ministers.

All Departments and Sections of the Secretariat.

The Secretaries, Additional Secretaries, Joint Secretaries, Deputy Secretaries and Assistant Secretaries to Government

and Assistant Secretaries to Government.

The Private Secretary to the Chief Minister and the Private Secretaries to other

The Personal Clerk to the Chief Secretary.

The Superintendent of Government Presses.

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**APPENDIX**NOTIFICATION

No.39645/CR/62/Fin

Dated, Trivandrum, 1st April, 1964/ 12<sup>th</sup> Chaitra, 1886

In exercise of the powers conferred by rule 5 of the General Provident Fun (Kerala) Rules, published under Notification No. 39645/CR/62/Fin.dated the 26<sup>th</sup> December, 1963, in the Gazette No.2 dated the 14th January, 1964, The Government hereby prescribe the period of three months from the 1<sup>st</sup> April, 1964, as the period within which the subscribers to the State Provident Fund (Travancore), the General Provident Fund (Cochin) and the General Provident Fund (Madras) may communicate the option referred to in the said rule to the Accountant Officer.

By order of the Governor, K.V.THOMAS. Deputy Secretary.