

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA
Abstract

RULES-KERALA SERVICE- REVOCATION OF OPTION IN THE CASE CERTAIN
PENSIONERS- ORDERS ISSUED.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

G.O. (P)No.203/Fin/62

Dated, Trivandrum, 17th May 1962.

Read: - (1) Notification Fin (CR) 65375/59 dated 10-11-1959.
(2) G.O (P) No.416/60/Fin. dated 23-8-1960
(3) G.O (P) 2/61 dated 2-1-1961.
(4) G.O (P) 47/61 dated 3-2-1961.

ORDER

In the Government orders read as third and fourth paper , Government had extended the period for exercising the option either to be governed by the old Service Rules or the Kerala Service rules till the end of March 1961.

Since then, Government been receiving several representations from persons who have retired from service that they might be allowed to revoke the option already exercised by them. A good majority of the petition are from those who have already opted to be governed by the Kerala Service Rules but who want to go back to the old service rules applicable to them.

Governments have carefully examined the problem in detail. In the case of many pensioners who have opted to the Kerala Service Rules their pensions have been substantially reduced and large amount already drawn by them as pensions under the old rules have to be adjusted against the Death-cum-Retirement Gratuity admissible according to the Kerala Service Rules. It has also come to the notice of Government that in many such cases, the pensioners are unwilling to surrender the P.P.O issued to them under the old rules and to accept the pension sanctioned to them under the Kerala Service Rules. Government that there is a genuine case of hardship involved in such cases and that a lenient view should taken. They are therefore, pleased to order as follows:-

Such of these pensioners who had opted to be governed by the K.S.Rs and in whose cases pension under the K.S.R has been sanctioned but not drawn so far will be allowed to cancel their earlier option and to go back to the old service rules applicable to them before the K.S.R came into force. Such cancellation and re-option shall be done in writing within a period of two months from 17-5-1962. The re-option will have to be communicated to the Accountant General, Kerala, and to the head of the Department from which the pensioner retired within the period prescribed above.

The Heads of Department and officers are directed to take immediate steps for finalizing the pension cases coming under the above category.

NOTIFICATION

No.4389/62/Finance.

Dated, Trivandrum, 17th May 1962

In pursuance of sub clause (b) of clause (ii) of Rule 2 of part I of the Kerala Service Rules published under Notification No. Fin.(CR).57702/59 dated 10-11-1959 as amended by Notification No.Fin.G.O(P)205/60 dated 20-4-1960, Government are pleased to under that among those persons who on the 31st October 1956 were in the service of the Travencore-Cochin Government or the Madras Government and who continued to be in the service of the Government of Kerala, such of those who opted to be governed by the Kerala Service Rules and who have already retired from service, and in whose case pension has been sanctioned but not so far drawn, shall be allowed to re-opt to the rules which governed them on 31st October 1956 canceling their existing option in favour of the Kerala Service Rules. Such re-option once it is exercised shall be final and shall be exercised in writing a period of two months from 17th May 1962.

The option shall be communicated to the Accountant General and the head of the department from which the officers retired.

By order of the Governor,
P.S.PADMANABHAN,
Special Secretary (Finance)

To

The Account general
The Heads of Department and Officers.
The Registrar, High Court (with C.L)
The Secretary Kerala Public Service Commission (with C.L)
The Department of the Secretariat.
The Private Secretaries to Chief Minister and other Ministers.
All Secretaries, Joint Secretaries, Additional Secretaries, deputy Secretaries and
Assistant Secretaries to Government
The Personal Clerk to the Secretary.
