

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA Abstract

Finance Department-Pension- Implementation of National Pension System for State employees-Mobility of employees in Government service/Autonomous Bodies/Aided Institutions-Continuance of Kerala Service Rules, Part III Pension Scheme -Orders issued.

FINANCE (PENSION-A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(P) No. 209/2013/Fin. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 07.05.2013.

Read: 1. G.O. (P) No. 441/2012/Fin dated 08.08.2012.

2. G.O. (P) No. 20/2013/Fin dated 07.01.2013.

3. G.O. (P) No. 149/2013/Fin dated 03.04.2013.

<u>ORDER</u>

As per the G.O read as 2nd paper above, National Pension System (NPS) has been implemented for the State employees who are appointed on or after 01.04.2013. As such, those employees who are appointed on or after 01.04.2013 would come under the ambit of the NPS, even if they had been appointed in another post under the State Government on or before 31.03.2013. In this connection, various representations have been received requesting to retain, those who are appointed upto 31.03.2013 in Government service, aided institutions and institutions where Part III, Kerala Service Rules is applicable, in the Kerala Service Rules, Part III Pension Scheme when they get fresh appointments in other categories.

2. Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to order that Government Servants/Autonomous Body Employees/Aided Institution Employees who were appointed in substantive vacancies on regular basis on or before 31.03.2013 and who were in such posts on 31.03.2013 and to whom the KSR, Part III Pension Scheme applies in their respective institutions, would be allowed mobility and for this, they can exercise option for the continuance of KSR, Part III Pension Scheme based on the combined service in accordance with Part III, KSR. For this purpose,

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such employees would be allowed to exercise option to be governed by KSR, Part III Pension Scheme, within 3 months of joining their fresh appointment in the form appended to this G.O, to the appointing authority concerned.

By Order of the Governor,

Dr. V.P. Joy Principal Secretary (Finance)

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The Director (Services), Department of Personnel and Training, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pension, Government of India The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram The Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram

All Heads of Department

All Departments and Sections of the Secretariat

The Director of Treasuries, Thiruvananthapuram

The Secretary, Kerala Public Service Commission, Thiruvananthapuram(with CL)

The General Manager, Kerala State Road Transport Corporation, Thiruvananthapuram

The Registrar, High Court of Kerala, Ernakulam

The Registrar, Kerala Administrative Tribunal, Thiruvananthapuram (with CL) The Registrar, University of Kerala / Kochi / Kozhikode / Mahatma Gandhi/ Kannur (with CL)

The Registrar, Kerala Lok Ayukta, Thiruvananthapuram

The Registrar, Kerala Agricultural University, Vellanikkara

The Registrar, Kerala Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Wayanad (with CL)

The Registrar, Sree Sankara Sanskrit University, Kalady (with CL)

The Registrar, Kerala University of Health and Allied Sciences, Thrissur (with CL)

The Registrar, Fisheries University, Ernakulam (with CL)

The Secretary, Ombudsman for Local Self Government Institutions, Thiruvananthapuram

The Advocate General, Kerala, Ernakulam (with CL)

The Secretary, Kerala State Electricity Board, Thiruvananthapuram

The Additional Secretary to the Chief Secretary to Government

All Additional Chief Secretaries/ Principal Secretaries/ Secretaries/ Special Secretaries/Additional Secretaries/Joint Secretaries/ Deputy Secretaries/Under Secretaries to Government

The Secretary to Governor, Raj Bhavan, Thiruvnanthapuram

The Private Secretary to the Speaker/Deputy Speaker of the Kerala Legislative Assembly

The Secretary, Kerala State Human Rights Commission, Thiruvananthapuram The Secretary, Kerala State Women's Commission, Thiruvananthapuram The Private Secretaries to the Chief Minister and other Ministers

The Private Secretary to the Leader of Opposition

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The State Election Commissioner, Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram The Chief Information Commissioner, Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram (with CL) The General Administration (S C) Department The Finance (Budget Wing.A/B) Department All District Treasury Officers/Sub Treasury Officers The Director, Information and Public Relations, Thiruvananthapuram The Nodal Officer, <u>www.finance.kerala.gov.in</u> Stock File/Office Copy

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ANNEXURE

(Vide G.O. (P) No. 209/2013/Fin. Dated. 07.05.2013)

FORM OF OPTION

Ihereby opt to continue in the Kerala Service Rules, Part III Pension Scheme.

> Signature: Name: Designation: Office: Department:

Station: Date:

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