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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Finance (Pension-B) Department

NOTIFICATION

G. O. (P) No. 18/2019/Fin.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram,

20th February, 2019 8th Kumbham, 1194.

S. R. O. No. 151/2019.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Kerala Public Services Act, 1968 (19 of 1968), read with section 3 thereof, the Government of Kerala hereby make the following rules further to amend the Kerala Service Rules, namely:—

RULES

1. Short title and commencement.—(1) These rules may be called the Kerala Service (Second Amendment) Rules, 2019.

92/706/2019/S-2.

- (2) Clauses (A) and (B) of sub-rule (1), item (i) of clause (C) of sub-rule (1) and sub-item (a) of item (ii) of clause (C) of sub-rule (1) of rule 2 shall be deemed to have come into force on the 26th day of July, 2016, sub-item (b) of item (ii) of clause (C) of sub-rule (1) and sub-rule (2) of rule 2 shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of April, 2015 and sub-rule (3) of rule 2 shall be deemed to have come into force on the 18th day of April, 2012.
- 2. Amendment of the Rules.—In Part III of the Kerala Service Rules, in rule 90,—
 - (1) in sub-rule (6),—
 - (A) items (j) and (k) shall be omitted;
 - (B) Note 4 shall be omitted;
 - (C) in Note 5,—
- (i) in the first sentence, for the brackets, letters, symbols and word "(d), (e), (g), (j) and (k)", the brackets, letters, symbol and word "(d), (e) and (g)" shall be substituted;
 - (ii) in the third sentence,—
- (a) for the brackets, letters, symbols and word "(e), (g), (j) and (k)", the brackets, letters and word "(e) and (g)" shall be substituted;
- (b) for the figures "15,000", the figures "30,000" shall be substituted;
- (2) in sub-rule (6A), in clause (1), for the figures "15,000" the figures "30,000" shall be substituted;
- (3) in the proviso to sub-rule (7), in condition (i), the word "unmarried" shall be omitted.

By order of the Governor,

Manoj Joshi, IAS, Additional Chief Secretary (Finance).

Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

As per G. O. (P) No. 155/2015/Fin., dated 28th April, 2015, the Government have enhanced the income limit specified in clause (1) of sub-rule (6A) of rule 90, Part III of the Kerala Service Rules in the case of parents, unmarried daughters above 25 years, widowed disabled daughters and divorced disabled daughters from ₹ 15,000 to ₹ 30,000 with effect from 1st April, 2015. The income limit for family pension for unmarried daughters above 25 years, disabled divorced daughter and widowed disabled daughter is specified in Note 5 below sub-rule (6) of Rule 90. As per G. O. (P) No. 105/2016/Fin., dated 26th July, 2016, the Government have omitted the word "unmarried" occurring in condition (i) in the proviso to sub-rule (7) of rule 90 with effect from 18th April, 2012. It has also been decided that income criteria for family pension shall not be made applicable in the case of divorced disabled daughter and widowed disabled daughter with effect from 26th July, 2016. The Government Orders, viz., G. O. (P) No. 166/2008/Fin., dated 10th April, 2008, G. O. (P) No. 478/2011/Fin., dated 24th October, 2011 and G. O. (P) No. 155/2015/Fin., dated 28th April, 2015 have been modified to the above extent. To give statutory validity to the above said Government Orders, the Government have decided to amend rule 90 of Part III of the Kerala Service Rules.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.