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Finance (Pension-B) Department

NOTIFICATION

G. O. (P) No. 92/2018/Fin.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram,

16th June, 2018 2nd Mithunam, 1193.

S. R. O. No. 414/2018.—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:—

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RULES

- 1. Short title and commencement.—(1) These rules may be called the Kerala Service (Sixth Amendment) Rules, 2018.
- (2) They shall be deemed to have come into force on the 18th day of September, 2015.
- 2. Amendment of the Rules.—In Part III of the Kerala Service Rules, in rule 90,—
- (i) in clause (c) of sub-rule (6), after the word "daughter", the words and symbols "from valid/void/voidable marriage" shall be inserted,
- (ii) after sub-rule (6A), the following sub-rule shall be inserted, namely:—
- "(6B) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-rule (6) above.—
- (a) contributory family pension will be admissible to the children of deceased Government servant/pensioner from void/voidable marriage, on substantiating the veracity of the facts before the Government;
- (b) the family pension under this rule shall be sanctioned by the Government."

By order of the Governor,

Manoj Joshi, IAS, Principal Secretary (Finance).

Explanatory Note

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

The Government of India as per Office Memorandum No. 1/16/1996-P&PW (E) (Vol. II) dated 27th November, 2012 has issued orders to the effect that family pension will be granted to children of a deceased Government servant/pensioner from a void/voidable marriage under rule 54 (7) (C) of CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972. Several representations

have been received from various quarters with the request to grant pensionary benefits to children of a deceased State Government servant/pensioner from void or voidable marriages. The Government as per G. O. (P) No. 414/2015/Fin., dated 18th September, 2015 have decided to grant family pension to the children of a deceased Government servant/pensioner from void/voidable marriage if the veracity of the facts in such cases is substantiated before the Government. It has also been decided to place the children from such marriages along with the children of legal marriage in the order of seniority in the definition of family in rule 90 (6) (c) of Part III of the Kerala Service Rules. In order to give statutory validity to the said Government Order, the Government have decided to amend Part III of the Kerala Service Rules.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.

To

The Principal Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Principal Accountant General (G&SSA), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Accountant General (E&RSA), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

All Heads of Departments and Offices.

All Departments (All Sections) of the Secretariat including Law Department.

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

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

All Secretaries, Additional Secretaries, Joint Secretaries, Deputy Secretaries and Under Secretaries to Government.

The Secretary to Governor.

The Private Secretaries to Speaker, Deputy Speaker, the Leader of Opposition and Government Chief Whip.

The Private Secretaries to Chief Minister and other Ministers.

The Additional/Deputy Secretary to Chief Secretary.

The Secretary, Ombudsman for Local Self Government Institutions, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Secretary, Kerala Legislature Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram (vide Lr. No. 2126/Sub.C.D2/2018/L.S.).

The PS to Principal Secretary (Finance Department).

The CA to the Secretary (Finance Expenditure).

The CA to the Secretary (Finance Resources).

The Secretary, Kerala State Human Rights Commission, Thiruvananthapuram.

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

The Registrar, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam (with C.L.).

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

The Registrar, Kerala Agricultural University, Thrissur (with C.L.).

The Registrar, Kerala Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Wayanad (with C.L.).

The Registrar, Sree Sankaracharya University of Sanskrit, Kalady (with C.L.).

The Registrar, Kerala University of Health and Allied Sciences, Thrissur (with C.L.).

The Registrar, Fisheries University, Ernakulam (with C.L.).

The Registrar, Malayalam University, Tirur, Malappuram (with C.L.).

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

The Registrar, Kerala Lok Ayukta, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Director of Treasuries, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Director, Information and Public Relations, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Managing Directors/General Managers of all Government Companies/Boards/Corporations/Autonomous Bodies.

The Advocate General, Kerala, Ernakulam.

The Chief Information Commissioner, Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

All District Treasury Officers/Sub Treasury Officers.

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