

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

FAMILY BENEFIT SCHEME- SUBSCRIBERS WHO GO ABROAD ON LEAVE WITHOUT ALLOWANCES TO TAKE UP EMPLOYMENT AND WHO SUBSEQUENTLY REJOIN DUTY IN SERVICE AFTER/BEFORE COMPLETION OF LEAVE WITHOUT ALLOWANCES- REJOINING THE SCHEME ALLOWED- ORDERS ISSUED.

FINANCE (FBS) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (P) No. 586/80/Fin.

Dated, Trivandrum, 11th September, 1980.

Read: (1) G.O. (P) 405/77/Fin. dated 19-10-1977.
(2) G.O. (P) 83/78/Fin. dated 16-1-1978.
(3) G.O. (P) 182/78/Fin. dated 13-2-1978.
(4) G.O. (P) 437/78/Fin. dated 29-4-1978.
(5) G.O. (P) 780/78/Fin. dated 1-11-1978.
(6) Letter No. E.5-1613/80 dated 22-4-1980 from the Inspector General of Prisons, Trivandrum.

ORDER

In the clause (v) of the G.O. read as second paper above, it has been ordered that in the case of a subscriber under Family Benefit Scheme who go abroad on leave without allowances to take up employment, the accounts of the subscriber will be closed and the contribution till then made along with the corresponding Government contribution will be made over to him. A question has since arisen whether subscribers who go abroad on leave without allowances to take up employment and who subsequently rejoin duty in service after/before the completion of leave without allowances may be allowed to rejoin as subscriber to the scheme if he desires to do so. Government have examined the question in detail and are pleased to order that subscribers who go abroad on leave without allowances to take up employment and who subsequently rejoin duty in service after/before completion of leave without allowances will be allowed to rejoin as subscriber under Family Benefit Scheme provided they desire to do so, on the following conditions:-

- (i) Such an employee will be considered as an optee with effect from the date on which he originally joined the Family Benefit Scheme.
- (ii) He has to refund the whole amount already received under the scheme in lump.
- (iii) In the case of employees who rejoin duty after availing the full period of leave without allowances sanctioned to them for taking up employment abroad, the whole amount of arrears which have accumulated during the period of leave without allowances should be paid in lump and in the case of employees who rejoin duty earlier after canceling the leave already

sanctioned, the arrears accrued for the period of leave without allowances actually availed should be deducted from their pay from subsequent months in six equal monthly installments.

- (iv) In cases where such a subscriber dies while in service before the completion of the recovery of arrear- subscription due for the period of leave without allowances, the entire outstanding arrears will be adjusted in lump from the amount due to the subscriber under the scheme.

The employees who are desirous of rejoining the scheme as per the above order will furnish their written request to the concerned Drawing and Disbursing Officer within three months from the date of their rejoining duty in the service (to the head of department in the case of gazetted officers). The option/nomination originally filed by the employee and kept as permanent record as required in clause (v) of the G.O. read as fourth paper above, will be 'reopened' by the head of office/head of department duly authenticating it with date, name and designation of the officer after entering the following sentence therein.

“Reopened as per the G.O. (P) No. 586/80/Fin. dated 11-9-1980 and as per the request dated from Shri (name and designation) who rejoined duty in service with effect from after the expiry/after the cancellation of the leave without allowances sanctioned with effect from to take up employment abroad”.

Similar entries will also be made in the Register-cum-Broadsheet, and other connected records as stipulated in the G.O. 3rd read above in the case of officers so opted and the option/ nomination will be kept as mentioned in the various orders read above. The admission of each officer to the scheme as per this order should be communicated to him. The recovery should also be started within one month's time at the latest.

By order of the Governor,
N.K.PURUSHOTHAMAN,
Joint Secretary.

To

The Accountant General, Kerala, Trivandrum.
All Heads of Departments and Offices
All Departments and Sections of the Secretariat
The Registrar, High Court, Ernakulam (with C.L.)
The Registrar, University of Kerala/Cochin/Calicut (with C.L.)
The Registrar, Agricultural University, Mannuthi, Trichur (with C.L.)

The Advocate General, Ernakulam (with C.L.)
The General Manager, Kerala State Road Transport Corporation, Trivandrum
(with C.L.)
The Secretary, Kerala Public Service Commission (with C.L.)
The Secretary, Vigilance Commission (with C.L.)
The Secretaries, Additional Secretaries, Joint Secretaries, Deputy Secretaries and
Under Secretaries to Government.
The Secretary, Kerala State Electricity Board, Trivandrum. (with C.L.)
The Special Secretary to the Chief Minister.
The Private Secretaries to the Chief Minister and other Ministers.
The secretary to the Governor.
The Stenographer to the Chief Secretary
