

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA Abstract

Revision of Pension in respect of UGC/AICTE/MES Pensioners Modification - Orders issued.

FINANCE (PENSION-B) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(P) No. 373 /2012/Fin Dated, Thiruvananthapuram 4th July 2012

Read: 1. GO(P) No. 211/11/Fin. dated 07:05.2011

- 2. GO(P) No. 389/2010/H.Edn. dated 07.12.2010
- 3. GO(P) No. 425/2009/H&FWD. dated 14.12.2009
- 4. GO(P) No. 58/2010/H.Edn. dated 27.03.2010

ORDER

In the Government Order read 1st above, orders were issued revising the pensionary benefits to those coming under UGC/MES/AICTE Schemes. The pay in respect of those coming under these schemes are regulated by a pay band and not a pay scale. Hence the method of calculating 50% of the minimum of the pay scale cannot be made applicable to these pay bands which include a range of designations. Hence Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to issue a clarification to the Government Order read as 1st paper above.

Para 3.2 shall be modified as follows:

"If the total of (i) to (iii) above (consolidated pension) is less than 50% of the minimum of the pay in the pay band plus Academic Grade Pay (AGP) corresponding to the pre-revised scale of the post from which the pensioner had retired, provided he has qualifying service of 30 years or

more, pension shall be stepped up to 50% of the minimum of the revised pay of the respective post in the pay band together with the Academic Grade Pay (AGP) for the post. In the case of others with qualifying service of less than 30 years, pension proportionate to the qualifying service alone will be admissible as indicated in Schedule I to the Government Order read above, Proportionate pension means the maximum pension admissible for any particular stage multiplied by the Qualifying Service factor(QS/30). If consolidated pension is greater than 50% of the minimum of the corresponding revised pay of their respective post in the pay band from which the pensioner retired, the basic pension based on Qualifying Service shall be fixed at such consolidated pension."

Para 4.3 shall be modified as follows:

"If the total of (i) to (iii) is less than the family pension corresponding to the minimum of the pay in the pay band plus Academic Grade Pay (AGP) corresponding to the pre-revised scale of the post from which the pensioner had retired / expired while in service, it shall be stepped up to that amount as per Schedule II to this order."

The Government Order read 1st above stands modified to this extent.

By Order of the Governor

SABATH JOSEPH THOUNDASSERY ADDITIONAL SECRETARY (FINANCE)

To

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For Director of Health Services