

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Health & Famly Welfare Department - Health Services - Establishment- Order of the Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal dated 01-07-2025 in OA (EKM) 956/2025 filed by Dr Noorudheen Karuvambil - Complied with - Orders Issued.

HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE(A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.3403/2025/H&FWD 2025

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 03-11-

- Read:-1 Representation dated 30.05.2025 from Dr. Noorudheen Karuvambil (Annexure A11 in OA (EKM) 956/2025)
 - 2 Order of the Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal dated 01-07-2025 in OA (EKM) 956/2025
 - 3 Letter No.EA2-19016/2025/DHS dated 08.08.2025 from the Director of Health Services.

ORDER

Dr Noorudheen Karuvambil, Assistant Surgeon filed OA (EKM) 956/2025 aggrieved by the General Transfer List of Assistant Surgeon 2025. As per order read as 2nd paper above, the Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal has directed the 1st respondent to consider Annexure A11 representation and pass orders within a period of one month from the date of receipt of the copy of the order.

2. In the Annexure A11 representation read as 1 st paper above, the applicant submitted the following.

Posted to CHC, Mankada in the General Transfer 2025. The first option was General Hospital, Manjeri and in the draft list name was

shown against General Hospital, Manjeri. Having five years of station seniority at THQH, Tiruranagadi. Dr Harsha S Das, a fresh PSC recruit was appointed at GH, Manjeri. In the posting order of Dr Harsha S Das it has stated that the appointment will be reviewed during the General Transfer. The applicant requested to post him at GH, Manjeri replacing Dr Harsha S Das.

3. The Director of Health Services as per letter read as 3 rd paper above reported the following.

Dr.Noorudheen Karuvambil, Assistant Surgeon, Taluk Head Quarters Hospital, Tirurangadi, Malappuram has been transferred and posted to Community Health Centre, Mankada, Malappuram in the General Transfer 2025. Dr.Noorudheen Karuvambil was working at Taluk Head Quarters Hospital Tirurangadi, Malappuram since 27-02-2020. In General Transfer 2025 his options were the following.

- 1.General Hospital, Manjeri (Formerly District Hospital), Malappuram
- 2. Taluk Headquarters Hospital, Malappuram
- 3. CHC, Mankada (Formerly PHC) Malappuram
- 4. 24x7 PHC ,Anakayam ,Malappuram
- 5. CHC, Puzhakkattiri ,Malappuram
- 6. 24x7 PHC ,Pang, Malappuram
- 7. CHC Vengara (Formerly PHC) Malappuram
- 8. PHC Marakkara, Malappuram
- 9. PHC Edarikode (New), Malappuram
- 10. PHC Kalpakanchery, Malappuram
- 11. PHC Perumanna-Klari (Old Edarikode), Malappuram
- 12. PHC Oorakam , Malappuram
- 13. PHC Iringallur, Malappuram
- 14. PHC AR Nagar ,Malappuram

- 15. PHC Makkaraparamba , Malappuram
- 16. PHC Kodur, Malappuram
- 17. PHC Ponmala, Malappuram
- 18. PHC Othukkungal , Malappuram
- 19. PHC Trippanachi, Malappuram
- 20. CHC Kottakkal, Malappuram
- 21. PHC Pookkottur, Malappuram
- 22. PHC Angadippuram, Malappuram
- 23. 24x7 PHC Edayur, Malappuram
- 24. PHC Morayur, Malappuram
- 25. PHC Nediyiruppu, Malappuram
- 26. PHC Kuzhimanna, Malappuram
- 27. PHC Athavanad, Malappuram
- 28.Government Taluk Headquarters Hospital, Kondotty Malappuram While considering his options, the applicant was initially posted to his first option, i.e., General Hospital, Manjeri, in the draft list. Thereafter, reviewing the appeal applications of other eligible incumbents, his posting was revised to the Community Health Centre, Mankada, Malappuram in the final General Transfer Order 2025.

Several posting orders were issued against PSC advice before the issuance of the General Transfer Order. Since 2025 January, in all PSC posting orders and transfer orders issued have included the clause "The Order will be reviewed during General Transfer 2025, if required". As per Order No.EA1-7004/2025/DHS Dated 12.03.2025 Dr.Harsha S Das was posted at District Hospital, Tirur ,Malappuram as Casualty Medical Officer. Due to the absence of vacancy at District Hospital, Tirur,the District Medical Officer (Health) Malappuram has been reposted her to General Hospital , Manjeri.

Dr Noorudheen Karuvambil has submitted 28 options in

General Transfer 2025 and he has been posted at his 3rd option ie, Community Health Centre, Mankada, Malappuram. Moreover the distance between General Hospital, Manjeri and Community Health Centre, Mankada is within 15 km.

4. Government have examined the matter in detail. Dr.Noorudheen Karuvambil, Assistant Surgeon, was working at Taluk Head Quarters Hospital Tirurangadi , Malappuram since 27-02-2020. In the General Transfer 2025, he was posted to Community Health Centre, Mankada, Malappuram , which was his 3rd option. Moreover the distance between General Hospital , Manjeri and Community Health Centre, Mankada, Malappuram is within 15 km. In the above circumstances order is issued hereby rejecting the Annexure A11 representation read as 1st paper above submitted by Dr Noorudheen Karuvambil.

5. The order of the Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal read as 2nd paper above is complied with as above.

(By order of the Governor) CHITHRA K DIVAKARAN JOINT SECRETARY

The Advocate General, Ernakulam
The Director of Health Services, Thiruvananthapuram
Dr Noorudheen Karuvambil, Assistant Surgeon, Community Health
Centre, Mankada, Malappuram- 679324
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Endt.Lr.No.DHS/19016/2025-EA2 Dated:05-11-2025

Copy of Govt.Order communicated to the incumbent, Head of the Institutions and Concerned District Medical Officer of Health for information and necessary action.

Signed by Vinod Kumar V A

Date: 06-11-2025 12:40:44

For Director of Health Services