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Endt on no. 8736/E1/2021/KWA, Dated 17.05.2021

G.O.(P) No. 10/2021/WRD Dated, 31.03.2021 forwarded to all controlling officers for strict compliance.

K A Zulphicar Senior Administrative Officer

To,

- 1. All the controlling officers.
- 2. The Accounts Officer (Pay Slip & Pension)







GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Water Resources Department-Kerala Water Authority-Government orders reckoning CLR/SLR service of employees of Irrigation department and Kerala water Authority prior to their absorption into regular service for time bound grade promotion - cancelled -Orders issued.

WATER RESOURCES (WATER SUPPLY-B) DEPARTMENT G.O.(P)No.10/2021/WRD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 31/03/2021

Read 1. GO(P)17/99/IR dated 18/03/1999.

- 2. GO(Rt) 279/2006/WRD dated 01/03/2006.
- 3. Judgment dated 03/06/2009 of the Hon. High Court in WP(C) No.26589/2007 & 25639/2008.
- 4. Judgment dated 06/06/2018 of the Hon. High Court in WP(C) Nos.7559/2016.

ORDER

As per the Government order read first above, orders were issued reckoning the CLR/SLR service prior to absorption in to regular service of Irrigation Department in respect of CLR/SLR employees for time bound higher grades. This benefit was extended to the employees of Kerala Water Authority also, as per the Government order read 2 nd above, subject to certain terms and conditions.

- 2. It has come to the notice of Government that many CLR/SLR employees, retired from the Irrigation Department and the Kerala Water Authority approach Government with orders from the Hon. Court to the effect that the service counted for time bound higher grades shall also be taken in to account for assessing their pensionary benefits accordingly.
- 3. Government, having examined the matter, have found that the Government Orders read above apparently contradict the relevant rules in Kerala Service Rules so far as the periods reckoned for time bound Higher Grade are counted also for pension, whereas the Kerala Service Rules



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stipulate that only regular service counts for pension.
4.Under the circumstances, Government order that the Government orders read first and second above stand cancelled with

(By order of the Governor)

REGIKUMAR J

JOINT SECRETARY

To:

immediate effect.

- 1. The Principal Accountant General (A&E/Audit), Thiruvananthapuram.
- 2. The chief Engineer (I&A), TVPM
- 3. The Managing Director, Kerala Water Authority, Thiruvananthapuram.
 - 4. Finance (PU-C) Department (vide 1144086/PU-C1/37/2019-Fin dated 17/02/2021).
 - 5. Water Resources (A) Department.
 - 6. The Information Officer, Web &New Media,Information and Public Relations Department.
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