



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

KERALA FREEDOM FIGHTERS PENSION RULES, 1971—RULE 18 A—INSERTED—
ORDERS ISSUED

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (FFP-B) DEPARTMENT

G. O. (P) No. 148/2012/GAD. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 13th June, 2012.

- Read:—1. G. O. (P) No. 143/71/PD dated 22-5-1971.
2. G. O. (Ms.) No. 256/84/GAD dated 30-6-1984.
3. G. O. (P) No. 504/2000/GAD dated 5-8-2000.
4. G. O. (P) No. 62/2008/GAD dated 5-2-2008.
5. G. O. (P) No. 355/2010/GAD dated 8-11-2010.
6. G. O. (P) No. 69/2011/GAD dated 1-2-2011.
7. G. O. (P) No. 358/2011/ GAD dated 8-12-2011.
8. G. O. (P) No. 16/2012/GAD dated 20-1-2012.
9. G. O. (P) No. 92/2012/GAD dated 2-5-2012.

ORDER

Government approved a scheme for granting pension to Kerala Freedom Fighters as per G. O. read as 1st paper above. In Rule 18 of the Government Order, it is stated that applications received after 15-8-1972 will be granted pension only from the date of issue of sanction order. This provision is applicable to those who are sanctioned Kerala Freedom Fighters' Pension for the first time. There is no explicit provision in the said rules that makes the date of eligibility to receive Kerala Freedom Fighters' Continuous Pension sanctioned to the legal heirs of the deceased Freedom Fighters.

Government have considered the matter in detail and have decided to amend Rule 18 by incorporating the following as Rule 18 A viz.;

Rule 18 A:

AMENDMENT

- (i) " If the name of the Nominee/legal heir is already included in the P.P.O. by the Freedom Fighter for receiving payment of Kerala Freedom Fighters Continuous Pension, such nominee shall be eligible for Kerala Freedom Fighters Continuous Pension from the next day of the date of death of the freedom fighter subject to Rule 10.
- (ii) If the name of the nominee to receive Kerala Freedom Fighters Continuous Pension is not already included in the P.P.O. by the Freedom Fighter, the eligible legal heir shall have eligibility to receive Kerala Freedom Fighters Continuous Pension, subject to the conditions in Rule 10, only with effect from the date of submission of valid application along with all certificates required including the legal heirship certificate before the competent authority for sanctioning such pension."

Note:—The term "Valid Application" denotes the application complete in all respects for enabling the sanctioning authority to issue sanction orders.

The G. O. stands modified to this extent.

By order of the Governor,

K. R. JYOTHILAL,

Secretary to Government.

To

The Commissioner of Land Revenue, Thiruvananthapuram.

All District Collectors.

The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

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

The Advocate General, Kerala, Ernakulam (with C.L.).

The Director of Treasuries, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Finance Department.

General Administration (FFP-A) Department.

General Administration (FFP-B1, B3) Department.

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Copy to:

The Private Secretary to the Chief Minister.

The Secretary, Kerala Legislative Assembly, Thiruvananthapuram
(with C. L).

The P.A. to Principal Secretary, General Administration Department.

The C.A. to Additional Secretary, GA (FFP) Department.

The Director, Information and Public Relations Department.
(For Press Release and uploading in the Web).

All disposals concerned.