



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Local Self Government - Proposal for the implementation of pay revision in the electricity Department of the Thrissur Corporation - Rejected- Order dated 24/02/2022 in OA(EKM) 6/2022 filed by Shri.S.J.Jayakumar & others - Complied with - Orders issued.

LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (E.U) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.1958/2022/LSGD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 11-08-2022

Read 1. Letter No.E4-16951/2021 dated 01.11.2021 from the Director of Urban Affairs,Thiruvananthapuram

2. Order dated 24/02/2022 in OA (EKM) 6/2022 of the Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal

Government Letter No EU1/287/2021-LSGD dated 3. 28.06.2022 addressed to the Director of Urban Affairs,Thiruvananthapuram

ORDER

The Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal in the Order read 2nd above directed the 6th respondent, the Secretary to Govt, Local Self Government Department to consider and pass appropriate orders on Annexure A6 as well, while considering the proposal forwarded by the Director of Urban Affairs for implementation of the pay revision in the electricity Department of the Thrissur Corporation and it will be ensured that appropriate orders are issued without undue delay.

2. Director of Urban Affairs vide letter read as 1st paper above has forwarded the proposal for Pay Revision to the employees of Thrissur Corporation Electricity Wing.w.e.f 01.08.2018 (For workmen category) and 01.07.2018 (for officer category). Director also reported that the council of Thrissur Corporation decided to revise the pay and allowances

of the workmen w.e.f 1.08.2018 and Officers categories w.e.f 1.07.2018 in accordance with the revision of pay and allowances of the workmen and other officers categories of KSEB and the Director of Urban Affairs vide letter read as 1st above has recommended the Proposal for pay revision. The applicants have submitted a representation dated 15.11.2021 (Annexure A6) requesting implementation of the proposal and adoption of KSEB orders. The contention in the representation is to provide pay revision in par with revision carried out in KSEB.

3. Government have examined the matter in detail. The entity under Local Self Government Department has been following a different pay structure is not in the best interests of the State. Hence the present form of pay revision in parity with KSEB has to be ceased and follows state pay revision pattern from next pay revision. Accordingly as per letter read as 3rd paper, the Director, Urban Affairs Department was directed to furnish fresh proposal for the Pay revision with proper recommendation. But the revised proposal has not been received in Government so far. Government can take a final decision in the matter only after receipt of the said proposal. As this is a pay revision proposal, consultation of Finance is essential which would be a time consuming one and there fore can't be done in a speculated time frame.

4. In the above circumstances, the Annexure A6 representation seeking the implementation of the proposal on the pay revision in the electricity Department of the Thrissur Corporation in par with the pay revision of KSEB is not in the best interest of the state as this is an entity under LSGD needs be implemented in par with state pay revision pattern, the contentions in Annexure A6 can't be accepted as such and hence rejected.

5. The order dated 24/02/2022 in OA(EKM) 6/2022 of the Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal is complied with accordingly.

(By order of the Governor)
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ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To:

The Principal Accountant General (A&E)/(Audit), Kerala, Thrissur

The Director of Urban Affairs, Thiruvananthapuram

The Advocate General, Ernakulam (with covering letter)

~~The Director, Kerala State Audit Department, Thiruvananthapuram~~

✓ The Executive Director, Information Kerala Mission,
Thiruvananthapuram

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