



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Local Self Government Department-Urban Affairs-Establishment -Shri.K.V Sivasankara Veera Saivan, Municipal Secretary (Rtd)-Application for declaration of probation in the cadre of Municipal Secretary GrIII-Rejected-Orders issued.

LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT(EU)DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.2020/2022/LSGD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 19-08-2022

Read 1 G.O(Rt)No. 146/98/LAD dated 14.01.1998

- 2. G.O(Rt)No. 3789/99/LAD dated 15.12.1999
- 3 G.O(Rt)No. 4626/2000/LAD dated 17.11.2000
- 4 G.O.Rt)No.251/2007/Vig dated 27.10.2007
- 5 G.O.Rt)No.234/2016/Vig dated 09.12.2016
- 6 Letter dated 25.01.2017 of Sri.Sivasankara Veera Saivan
- 7 Letter No.E2-3023/17(2) dated 17.10.2017 and 15.09.2018 of the Director of Urban Affairs, Thiruvananthapuram

ORDER

Shri.Sivasankara veera Saivan K. V. was appointed as Municipal Secretary Gr III as per Government Order read as 1st above and he joined duty on 15.01.1998. The period of probation in the cadre of Municipal Secretary Gr III is two years continuous period of service within a period of three years.

Director of Urban affairs as per letter dated 17.10.2017, reported that Sri.Sivasankara Veera Saivan joined duty as Municipal secretary Gr III on 15.01.1998 and was suspended from service on 15.12.1999 as per Government order read as 2nd above and was reinstated in service on 26.11.2000 as per Government order read as 3rd above, without prejudice to the on going investigation in the vigilance case registered against him. The disciplinary action initiated against him was finalised by a punishment of compulsory retirement as per Government order read as 4th above and the punishment imposed was confirmed as per Government Order 5th above.

Director as per the letter dated 15.09.2018 requested to extend the period of probation up to 25.12.2000 and forwarded the application in respect of Sri.Sivasankara Veera Saivan for declaring probation wef 25.12.2000.

For declaring the probation of an officer as satisfactorily completed, the appointing authority shall consider the probationer's suitability for full membership of service, class or category for which he was selected, based on his work and conduct inclusive of the period subsequent to the prescribed or extended period of probation. In the instant case, Sri.K.V. Sivasankara Veera Saivan was found guilty on the specific charges of Corruption. He was placed under suspension for the period from 15-12-99 to 27-11-2000, following his arrest on 8-12-99, during the probation period itself. The Vigilance Tribunal found him guilty of charges and he was imposed with a penalty of compulsory retirement. After receiving the Government Order on imposing compulsory retirement on 2.11.2007, Shri.Sivasankara Veera Sivan continued as Municipal Secretary, Kodungallur Municipality up to 15.11.2007 and misused the official position. On perusal of his service history, the petitioner is a corrupt person and incurred monetary loss to state exchequer. He did even continue in service after compulsory retirement with the intention of corruption. He would have been reverted to his prior service as he is not at all competent or eligible to continue as Municipal Secretary Grade III. As this was not done then and after a long period of retirement, Govt is not inclined to do so. These shows Government have not any justification / reason for declaring his service, work and conduct during the prescribed/extended period of probation as satisfactory. Accordingly probation in the cadre of Municipal Secretary Grade III in respect of the petitioner cannot be declared as satisfactorily completed.

In the above circumstances, the application for declaring the probation in the cadre of Municipal secretary Gr III in respect of Sri.Sivasankara Veera Saivan is hereby rejected.

> (By order of the Governor) ANIL KUMAR G ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To:

The Director of Urban Affairs, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Advocate General, Ernakulam (with C/L)

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

The Director, Kerala State Audit Department, Thiruvananthapuram.

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