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Local Self Government Department - Rural Development-Establishment- Final order dated 31/03/2016 of the Honourable Kerala Administrative Tribunal in OA.No.549/2016 filed by Smt. Sheela Babu, Extension Officer (Women's Welfare), Mallapally Block Panchayath - Complied with - Orders issued.

LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (ERB) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt).No. 2139 /2016/LSGD, Thiruvananthapuram, Dated, 16/07/2016

- Read:- (1) Representation dated 2.3.2016 from Smt. Sheela Babu, Extension Officer (WW), Mallapally Block. (Annexure A8)
 - (2) Final order dated 31.03.2016 of the Honourable Kerala Administrative Tribunal in OA.No.549/2016 filed by by Smt. Sheela Babu
 - (3) Letter No.2222/Estt.B3/15/CRD, dated 31.03.2016 from the Commissioner for Rural Development.
 - (4) G.O (Rt) No. 1946/2016/LSGD dated 20/06/2016.

<u>ORDER</u>

Smt. Sheela Babu, Extension Officer (WW), Mallapally Block Panchayath has submitted a representation dated 2.3.2016 (Annexure-A8) before the Government against the seniority list of Joint Block Development Officers, as it denies promotion to the applicant to the category of Joint Block Development Officer. In the meantime she has filed OA No. 549/2016 before the Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal. The Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal in their Order read as 2nd paper above, directed. "We dispose of the original Application with a direction to the first respondent (Secretary, Local Self Government Department) to take a decision on Annexure A8 (pending before Government), after hearing the applicant within a period of four months from the date of receipt of a

certified copy of this order. The applicant relies upon Annexures A9 to A11 judgments of the Hon'ble High Court and the applicant is free to rely upon the same at the time of hearing. All the contentions raised in the Original Application are left open. If in the event of a favourable order being passed on Annexure A8, it affects anybody else who has already been promoted, the affected parties also will be heard".

In compliance with the order of the Kerala Administrative Tribunal, the applicant was heard by the Deputy Secretary, Local Self Government (ERB) Department on 26/05/2016. During the hearing the applicant has only reiterated the points in the petition(Anexeure A8).

The Commissioner for Rural Development as per the letter read as 3rd paper above has reported that Smt. Sheela Babu has not been given promotion in the cadre of Joint Block Development Officer, as the disciplinary action initiated against her when she worked on deputation in the Kerala Agricultural Worker's Welfare Fund Board, Kottayam is yet to be finalized.

As per the G.O read as 4th paper above, the disciplinary action initiated against Smt. Sheela Babu, Extension Officer (WW), when she worked on deputation in the Kerala Agricultural Worker's Welfare Fund Board, Kottayam has been finalised by barring an increment without cumulative effect.

Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to order that the Commissioner for Rural Department should take into account the the G.O (Rt) No. 1946/2016/LSGD dated 20/06/2016 and consider the promotion of Smt. Sheela Babu to the

post of Joint Block Development Officer as per the existing rules. The direction of the Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal in the final order dated 31/03/2016 in OA No. 549/2016 is hereby complied with.

By Order of the Governor)

DAVID MILTON DEPUTY SECRETARY

To

Smt. Sheela Babu, Extension Officer (WW) Mallapally Block Panchayath.

(Through the Commissioner for Rural Development)
The Commissioner for Rural Development, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Advocate General, Thiruvananthapuram Branch (With C/L)

Information Kerala Mission, Thiruvanathapuram
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