



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Local Self Government Department – Order dated 06.06.2017 of the Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal in OA (EKM) No.964/2017 filed by Sri. Suresh Babu C.E. Secretary, Karassery Grama Panchayat in Kozhikkode – Complied with – Orders issued.

LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (EPB) DEPARTMENT

GO (Rt) No.1201/2018/LSGD

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 27.04.2018

- Read: 1. Order No.E1-01/2017 Dated 02-06-2017 of the Director of Panchayats, Thiruvananthapuram
2. Order dated 06.06.2017 of the Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal in OA (EKM) No.964/17 filed by Sri. Suresh Babu C.E.
3. Representation dated 13.06.2017 of Sri. Suresh Babu C.E.
4. Letter No.E1-27743/17 dated 16.08.2017 of the Director of Panchayats, Thiruvananthapuram

ORDER

Sri.Suresh Babu. C.E, Secretary Karassery Grama Panchayat, Kozhikkode was transferred to Cherode Grama Panchayat vide the order read as 1st paper above. Aggrieved by this decision Sri. Suresh Babu filed OA No.964/2017 before the Kerala Administrative Tribunal. As per the Order read as 2nd above the Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal stayed the implementation of the order of the Director of Panchayats read as 1st paper above and permitted the applicant to file representation against the same before the Government. Accordingly as per 3rd paper read above Sri.Suresh Babu.C.E has submitted a representation requesting to retain him in the Karasserry Grama Panchayat as he is due to retire from service within 2 years and hence the transfer to Cherode Grama Panchayat which is 100 k.m. away from his residence is against the Government Orders issued in this regard. Moreover he has submitted that he has not been communicated the reason for the transfer.

Government have examined the matter in detail. A Vigilance Case No. VC/15/KKD was filed against the applicant in connection with granting permission to granite quarry in Karassery Grama Panchayat at Mysoormala in Kumaranellur Village in Kozhikkode violating orders issued by the Government. In this case based on a request from the Director, Vigilance & Anti-Corruption Bureau, Government have given direction to transfer the applicant from the present station for facilitating free and fair investigation of the case. Allowing the accused officer, Sri.Suresh Babu, to continue in the same station while he is suspected to have done unfair practices in his capacity as

Grama Panchayat Secretary is absolutely undesirable. Hence the request of the applicant to retain him in the Karassery Grama Panchayat is rejected. Since he is due to retire from service within two years he may be transferred to any other office in Kozhikkode district for which the Director of Panchayats will initiate further action.

The order of the Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal read above is thus complied with.

(By order of the Governor)
S. MOHANDAS
Additional Secretary to Government

To

1. Sri. Suresh Babu C.E, Secretary, Karassery Grama Panchayat, Kozhikkode
(Through the Director of Panchayats, Thiruvananthapuram)
2. The Director of Panchayats, Thiruvananthapuram
3. The Advocate General, Kerala, Ernakulam
4. The Accountant General (A&E/Audit) Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram/Thrissur
5. Deputy Director of Panchayats, Kozhikkode
6. Director, IKM, Thiruvananthapuram
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