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NOTIFICATION

G. O. (P) No. 93/2018/Fin.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 16th June, 2018  
2nd Mithunam, 1193.

**S. R. O. No. 415/2018.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Kerala Public Services Act, 1968 (19 of 1968), read with section 3 thereof, the Government of Kerala hereby make the following rules, further to amend the Kerala Service Rules, namely:—

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## RULES

1. *Short title and commencement.*—(1) These rules may be called the Kerala Service (Seventh Amendment) Rules, 2018.

(2) They shall come into force at once.

2. *Amendment of the Rules.*—In Part III of the Kerala Service Rules, in rule 20,—

(i) after the first sentence the following sentence shall be inserted, namely:—

“Prior service in Public Sector Undertakings, Autonomous Bodies or similar bodies constituted under the Companies Act or by separate legislation of the Central or State Government shall not be reckoned for pension and Death-cum-Retirement Gratuity from Government”;

(ii) in the Note,—

(a) the first sentence shall be omitted

(b) after item (vii), the following items shall be inserted, namely:—

“(viii) Kerala University of Fisheries and Ocean Studies

(ix) Kerala University of Health Sciences

(x) Kerala Veterinary and Animal Sciences University

(xi) Thunchath Ezhuthachan Malayalam University

(xii) A. P. J. Abdul Kalam Technological University”.

By order of the Governor,

MANOJ JOSHI, IAS,  
Principal Secretary (Finance).

**Explanatory Note**

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

In the Judgment dated 28th October, 2014 in OP (KAT) No. 770/2013(Z) the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala has disapproved the stand

taken by Government that as per Note below rule 20, Part III of the Kerala Service rules, in case of appointments from or to Public sector Undertakings, Autonomous bodies or similar bodies constituted under the Companies Act or by separate legislation of the Central or State Government, such service period shall not be reckoned as qualifying service for pension. In order to protect the interest of the State in similar cases, the Government have decided to amend rule 20 of Part III of the Kerala Service Rules suitably. It has also been also decided to incorporate the names of recently constituted Universities in Kerala in rule 20 of Part III of the Kerala Service Rules.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.

To

The Principal Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.  
The Principal Accountant General (G&SSA), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.  
The Accountant General (E&RSA), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.  
All Heads of Departments and Offices.  
All Departments (All Sections) of the Secretariat including Law Department.  
The Secretary, Kerala Public Service Commission, Thiruvananthapuram (with C.L.).  
The Secretary, Kerala State Electricity Board, Thiruvananthapuram (with C.L.).  
All Secretaries, Additional Secretaries, Joint Secretaries, Deputy Secretaries and Under Secretaries to Government.  
The Secretary to Governor.  
The Private Secretaries to Speaker, Deputy Speaker, the Leader of Opposition and Government Chief Whip.  
The Private Secretaries to Chief Minister and other Ministers.  
The Additional/Deputy Secretary to Chief Secretary.  
The Secretary, Ombudsman for Local Self Government Institutions, Thiruvananthapuram.  
The Secretary, Kerala State Human Rights Commission, Thiruvananthapuram.

- The Secretary, Kerala Legislature Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram  
(vide Lr. No. 1840/Sub.C.D2/2018/L.S.).
- The PS to Principal Secretary (Finance Department).
- The CA to the Secretary (Finance Expenditure).
- The CA to the Secretary (Finance Resources).
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- The Registrar, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam (with C.L.).
- The Registrar, University of Kannur, Kannur (with C.L.).
- The Registrar, Kerala Agricultural University, Thrissur (with C.L.).
- The Registrar, Kerala Veterinary and Animal Sciences University,  
Wayanad (with C.L.).
- The Registrar, Sree Sankara Sanskrit University, Kalady (with C.L.).
- The Registrar, Kerala University of Health and Allied Sciences,  
Thrissur (with C.L.).
- The Registrar, Fisheries University, Ernakulam (with C.L.).
- The Registrar, Malayalam University, Tirur, Malappuram (with C.L.).
- The Registrar, High Court, Ernakulam (with C.L.).
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