



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Model Code of Conduct - Extension of Deputation of Officers on Deputation during the currency of Model Code of Conduct declared in the State, consequent to the General Election to the House of the People 2024 - Orders issued

FINANCE (RULES-A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(P)No.27/2024/FIN

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 09/04/2024

Read :- G.O(P)No.45/2013/Fin dated 22.01.2013.

ORDER

As per Rule 140 (c) Part I, Kerala Service Rules, continuing on deputation without prior sanction of Government will be liable for disciplinary action and no ex post facto approval for regularization of overstay on foreign service shall be allowed. The period of overstay shall not be counted for the purpose of pension and that any increment due during the period of overstay shall be deferred with cumulative effect, till the date on which the officer rejoins his parent cadre. The officer shall be precluded from drawing pay and allowances from the date on which the sanctioned term of foreign service expires.

2. In view of restrictions on transfer and posting imposed under the Model Code of Conduct declared in Kerala consequent to the General Election to the House of People 2024, the Administrative Departments cannot issue orders for extension of deputation of the officers in advance or re-post them in the parent department on reversion from deputation during the period. If orders extending the deputation are not issued, the officers will be reverted to their parent department and due to non-availability of sufficient vacant posts, these officers have to either wait for posting orders compulsorily and get the period regularized only as eligible leave or have to face disciplinary action as per Rule 140(c), Part I, Kerala Service Rules, in the event of continuance on deputation without Government sanction.

3. In order to overcome the present situation of having to overstay on deputation, Government are pleased to order that deputation of the officers whose sanctioned term expires during the currency of the Model Code of Conduct (ie, from 16.03.2024 to 06.06.2024) are treated

as extended till 30.06.2024 in relaxation of Rule 140 (c), Part I, Kerala Service Rules and they will be reverted to their parent department on 30.06.2024, unless the competent authority extends the period of deputation on or before 30.06.2024.

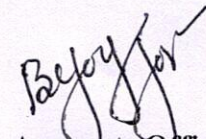
(By order of the Governor)

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