GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Planning & Economic Affairs Department – Economics and Statistics – Establishment – Posts of Extension Officers (Planning & Monitoring) in the Block Development Offices upgraded to that of Research Assistant / Statistical Inspector – Orders Issued.

PLANNING & ECONOMIC AFFAIRS (D) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (MS) No.8/2001/Plg. Thiruvananthapuram, Dated 01.03.2001.

- Read: 1) D.O.letter No.14251/PM3/97/CRD dated 31.8.1998 from the Commissioner for Rural Development addressed to the Secretary Planning & Economic Affairs Department.
 - 2) Letter No.EB(2) 12980/98/DES dated 16.11.1998 from the Director of Economics & Statistics, Thiruvananthapuram.

ORDER

The Director of Economics & Statistics in his letter read as 2nd paper above has reported that due to the effective implementation of People's Campaign, the work load of Block Development Offices have doubled. Hence he has suggested that for the successful collection, Compilation and Monitoring of Statistical Data at Block level, an officer at supervisory level is essential. All other posts of extension Officers of various Departments like Industries Department, Scheduled Caste/ Scheduled Tribes Development Department etc. attached to Block Development Offices have already been upgraded and they are having higher scale of pay. Thus the plan schemes implemented by the Extension Officers (Planning & Monitoring) having a higher scale of pay are now monitored by Extension Officers (Planning & Monitoring) of Economics and Statistics Department having lower scale of pay and this creates administrative problems. He has therefore requested Government to upgrade the post of Extension Officers (Planning and Monitoring) in the Block Development Offices under the Economics and Statistics Department (Now in the cadre of Junior Statistical Officers in the scale of Rs.4000-90-4090-100-6090) to that of Research Assistant /Statistical Inspector in the scale of Rs.5000-125-5750-150-8150.

2) The Rural Development Department has agreed to the upgradation subject to the condition that the Director of Economics and Statistics should post Research Assistants who are trained thoroughly in Window Based computer Application works in Block Development Offices and the training should be effected most professionally through Institute of Management in Government / Electronics Research and Development Centre in consultation with and to the satisfaction of Rural Development Department. The above condition was accepted by the Director of Economics and Statistics. 3) In the circumstances, Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to order the upgradation of 152 posts of Extension Officers (Planning & Monitoring) of the Economics and Statistics Department in the scale of Rs.4000-6090 in the Block Development Offices to the cadre of Research Assistant / Statistical Inspector in the scale of Pay of Rs.5000-8150 for administrative efficiency of the Department.

(By Order of the Governor)

(K.N.Kurup) Secretary to Government.

To

The Director of Economics & Statistics, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Commissioner for Rural Development, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Principal Accountant General, Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Accountant General (A&E) Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

The General Administration (SC) Department vide item No.5447 dated 31.1.2001)

The Finance Department vide U.O. No.13199/Exp. A-3/01/Fin. Dated 26.2.2001.

The Local Self Government (RD-EA) Department vide U.O.No.6764/DA2/ 99/LSGD dated Nil.

The Planning & Economic Affairs (B) Department for information.

The Director of Public Relations, Thiruvananthapuram. Stock File / O.C.

Forwarded / By Order Section Officer.