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നക്ഷത്ര ചിഹ്നം ഇല്ലാത്ത ചോദ്യം നം. 5332

05-07-2024 - ൽ മറുപടിയ്ക്ക്

2016 ലെ യു.ജി.സി. ശമ്പള പരിഷ്കരണം പ്രകാരമുള്ള കുടിശ്ശികത്തുക

ചോദ്യം		ഉത്തരം	
ശ്രീ. അനൂപ് ജേക്കബ്		ഡോ. ആർ. ബിന്ദു (ഉന്നതവിദ്യാഭ്യാസ-സാമൂഹ്യനീതി വകുപ്പ് മന്ത്രി)	
(എ)	2016 ലെ യു.ജി.സി. ശമ്പള പരിഷ്കരണ പ്രകാരമുള്ള കുടിശ്ശികത്തുക കോളേജ് അധ്യാപകർക്ക് നൽകുന്ന കാര്യത്തിൽ സർക്കാർ എന്തെല്ലാം നടപടികൾ സ്വീകരിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ട്; വിശദമാക്കാമോ;	(എ)	യു.ജി.സി യുടെ ഏഴാം ശമ്പള പരിഷ്കരണ പ്രകാരമുള്ള കുടിശ്ശിക വിതരണം ചെയ്യുന്നതിനായി കേന്ദ്ര വിഹിതം സംസ്ഥാന സർക്കാരിന് ലഭിച്ചിട്ടില്ല. കേന്ദ്ര ധനസഹായം ലഭിക്കുന്നതിനു 21/03/2022 ലെ സി3/212/2017/ഉ.വി.വ ഭാഗം (2) പ്രകാരം 750,93,36,588/- രൂപയ്ക്കുള്ള ശുപാർശ നിശ്ചിത സമയ പരിധിയ്ക്കുള്ളിൽ സമർപ്പിക്കുകയുണ്ടായി എന്നാൽ കേന്ദ്ര സർക്കാർ 27/07/2022 ലെ F 1-1/2018 -UII നമ്പർ കത്ത് പ്രകാരം 50% പ്രതിപുരണത്തിനുള്ള കേന്ദ്ര വിഹിത പദ്ധതി 01/04/2022 മുതൽനിർത്തലാക്കിയതായി മറ്റ് 22 സംസ്ഥാനങ്ങളെ അറിയിച്ചതോടൊപ്പം കേരളസർക്കാരിനെയും അറിയിച്ചു. സമ്പൂർണ്ണമായ പ്രൊപ്പോസലുകൾ സമർപ്പിക്കാത്തതോ തെറ്റായ പ്രൊപ്പോസലുകൾ സമർപ്പിച്ചതോ ആയ സംസ്ഥാനങ്ങളുടെ പ്രൊപ്പോസലുകളെ കേന്ദ്രസർക്കാർ നിരസിച്ചതായാണ് കത്തിൽ പരാമർശിച്ചിട്ടുള്ളത്. കേരള സർക്കാർ ഇതിൽപെട്ടും എന്ന പരാമർശം വാസ്തവ വിരുദ്ധമാണ്. കേരള സർക്കാർ സമയ പരിധിക്കുള്ളിൽ കൃത്യമായ പ്രപ്പോസൽ സമർപ്പിച്ചിരുന്നു.
(ബി)	പ്രസ്തുത തുക നൽകുന്നതുമായി ബന്ധപ്പെട്ട് 750 കോടി രൂപയുടെ യു.ജി.സി. ഗ്രാന്റ് സംസ്ഥാനത്തിന് ലഭിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ടോ;	(ബി)	മറുപടി 'എ' പിരിവിൽ ഉൾക്കൊള്ളിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ട്
(സി)	ഇല്ലെങ്കിൽ ഗ്രാന്റ് നഷ്ടപ്പെടുത്തിയ ഉദ്യോഗസ്ഥർക്കെതിരെ നടപടി സ്വീകരിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ടോ; വിശദമാക്കാമോ;	(സി)	മറുപടി 'എ' പിരിവിൽ ഉൾക്കൊള്ളിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ട്
(ഡി)	പ്രസ്തുത ഗ്രാന്റ് ആവശ്യപ്പെട്ടുകൊണ്ട് കേന്ദ്രസർക്കാരിന് അയച്ച കത്തിന്റെ പകർപ്പുകൾ ലഭ്യമാക്കാമോ;	(ഡി)	പകർപ്പ് അനുബന്ധമായി ചേർത്തിരിക്കുന്നു.

<p>(ഇ)</p> <p>കേന്ദ്രസഹായം ലഭിക്കാത്ത സാഹചര്യത്തിൽ അധ്യാപകരുടെ കുടിശികത്തുക എങ്ങനെ നൽകാനാണ് സർക്കാർ ഉദ്ദേശിക്കുന്നതെന്ന് വിശദമാക്കാമോ?</p>		<p>(ഇ)</p> <p>21/01/2023 ലെ സ.ഉ (പി) നം.12/2023/ഫിൻ പ്രകാരം, 2023 ജനുവരി മാസം മുതൽ ഗഡുക്കളായി നൽകേണ്ടിയിരുന്ന ഏഴാമത് യു.ജി.സി ശമ്പളപരിഷ്കരണ കുടിശ്ശിക, സർക്കാരിന്റെ സാമ്പത്തിക സ്ഥിതി മെച്ചപ്പെടുന്നതനുസരിച്ചോ ഇനിയൊരു നിർദ്ദേശം/ഉത്തരവ് സർക്കാർ പുറപ്പെടുവിക്കുന്നതു വരെയോ തടഞ്ഞുവെച്ചിരിക്കുന്നുവെന്ന് ഉത്തരവായിട്ടുണ്ട്</p>
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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

No. HEDN-C3/212/2017-HEDN

Higher Education (C) Department
05/03/2022, Thiruvananthapuram

From

The Additional Chief Secretary to Government

To

Joint Secretary (Higher Education),
Ministry of Human Resource Development,
Department of Higher Education,
Shastri Bhavan,
New Delhi - 110115

Sir,

Sub:- Higher Education Department - Scheme of revision of pay of teachers and equivalent cadres in Universities and Colleges following Seventh Central Pay Commission (CPC) – reg.

- Ref:-
1. Government of India letter vide no.F 1-1/2018/U II dated 26/07/2018.
 2. This Government letter of even number, Dated 04/04/2019.
 3. G.O.(P)No.18/2019/HEDN, Dated 29/06/2019.
 4. Your letter No.F-1-5/2019-U II, dated 29/08/2019.
 5. G.O.(P)No.28/2019/HEDN, Dated 29/09/2019.
 6. G.O.(P)No.29/2019/HEDN, Dated 30/09/2019.
 7. G.O.(P)No.18/2020/HEDN, Dated 28/05/2020.
 8. Government letter of even no dated 16/06/2020.

I invite your attention to the references cited. Seventh UGC Pay revision was implemented in the State of Kerala from 01/01/2016 as per the reference cited as 3rd and 5th paper above. The UGC Regulations on minimum qualifications for appointment of Teachers and Academic staff in universities and colleges and measures for the maintenance of standards in Higher Education, 2018 (UGC Notification No.F,1-2/2017 (EC/PS), dated 18/07/2018), has been implemented in the State as per the Government order mentioned as 3rd and 5th paper above. The payment of Seventh UGC Pay Revision arrears was sanctioned as per the Government order referred as 7th paper above, I hereby attach the copies of the Government orders cited as 3rd, 5th, 6th & 7th paper above for your information.

As per the letter referred as 8th above the State Government had claimed an amount of Rs. 1061,52,00,000/- (Rupees One thousand and sixty one crore fifty two lakh only) being the 50% of total additionality of Rs. 2123,04,00,000 (Rupees Two thousand one hundred and twenty three crore and four lakhs only). This amount includes the arrears for the teachers and Academic staff in the Kerala Veterinary and Animal Science University (KVASU), Kerala University of Fisheries and Ocean studies (KUFOS), Kerala Agricultural University, Directorate of Medical Education, Directorate of Homeopathic Medical college.

In the reference 1st cited, Government of India have mentioned that the scheme applies to teachers in all universities (including Agricultural Universities) and colleges (excluding agricultural, Medical and Veterinary Science Colleges) admitted to privileges of the universities. Therefore the amount recalculated by including the teachers coming under UGC scheme in Government and Aided colleges under Higher Education Department, Kerala Veterinary and Animal Science University (KVASU), Kerala University of Fisheries and Ocean Studies (KUFOS), Kerala Agricultural University, Directorate of Technical Education(to the extent UGC scheme applicable). Hence the revised comes to Rs.1501,60,00,161/- (One thousand five hundred and one crore sixty lakhs one hundred and sixty one only) and 50% of the additionality is Rs.750,80,00,080/-(Rupees Seven hundred and fifty. crores and eighty lakhs and eighty only)

As per the references order 7th cited, the Government had given sanction to release the arrears amount for the period from 01/01/2016 to 31/03/2019. In addition to the Government had ordered to pay arrears only in respect of those universities which have issued amended statutes as per the UGC regulation on minimum qualifications for appointment of Teachers and other Academic staff in universities and colleges and measures for maintenance of standards in Higher Education, 2018.

I hereby attach the undertaking by the State Government, Checklist for reimbursement of financial burden due to implementation revised pay scales on the basis of 7th CPC, and Proforma for Additional Information and the copies of amended statutes of the universities as directed as per the reference cited as third paper above.

I request you to kindly reimburse the 50% of the additionality amount ie.Rs. 7508000080/- (Rupees Seven hundred and fifty crores and eighty lakhs and eighty only) towards arrears due to the implementation of the Seventh UGC Pay Revision urgently to this Government.

Yours faithfully,



DR VENU V IAS


Additional Chief Secretary to Government.

Copy to

- ① Additional chief secretary
Finance department, Kerala
- ② Director of collegiate Education
Thiruvananthapuram

Calculation Sheet Format 1

Name of the State- KERALA							
PRE REVISED PAY SCALE	No.of posts filled up as on 01/01/2016	Additionality for the period from 01/01/2016 — 30/06/2016 (A *col 2*6)	Additionality for the period from 01/07/2016 - 30/06/2017 (B*col 2*12)	Additionality for the period from 01/07/2017 -30/06/2018 (C*col 2*12)	Additionality for the period from 01/07/2018 - 31/03/2019 (D*col 2*9)	Total Additionality for the period from 01/07/2016- 31/03/2019 (Total of column 3-7)	Central Share (50% of Column 7)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
15600- 393100+AGP 6000	1842	156465066	370685400	430162740	368571285	1325884491	662942245.5
15600-39100+AGP 7000	2036	179249922	424393056	492265260	421623999	1517532237	758766118.5
15600-39100+AGP 8000	925	83716200	198234900	229958700	196969500	708879300	354439650
37400-67000+AGP 9000	7529	1245311700	2928583164	3379641996	2883188655	10436725515	5218362757.5
37400-67000+AGP 10000	743	116273556	275959116	320640456	275042997	987916125	493958062.5
67000 -79000	27	4508460	10841364	12720564	10992105	39062493	19531246.5
Total	13102					15016000161	7508000080.5



Dr. VENU V IAS
Additional Chief Secretary
Higher Education, Environment
Archaeology, Archives & Museum Departments

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UNDER TAKING BY THE STATE GOVERNMENT

I, Dr. Venu V IAS Additional Chief Secretary to Government in the Higher Education Department, Government of Kerala do hereby commit and undertake on behalf of the Government of Kerala, that an amount of Rs.15016000161 (Rupees) has been decided to be released to the teachers of State universities and colleges as payment of arrears accountof revision of salary on implementation of the UGC Revised Pay Scales Scheme for the period from 01/01/2016 to 31/03/2019 as per G.O(P)No.18/2020/HEDN, dated

Signature



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Dr. VENU V IAS
Additional Chief Secretary
Higher Education, Environment
Archaeology, Archives & Museum Departments

Date:

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Check list for reimbursement of financial burden due to implementation of revised pay scales on the basis of 7th CPC recommendations for Teachers and equivalent cadres in Universities and Colleges under State Governments.

Sl No	Coverage	Yes/No	Remarks
1	Whether State Government has adopted the revised scales as per this Ministry's letter No.1-7/2015-U,II dated 02.11.2017 and the UGC Regulations	Yes	G.O(P)No.18/2019/HEDN dated 29/06/2019 and G,O(P)No.29/2019/HEDN dated 30/09/2019
2	Date of implementation of revised scales	01/01/2016	
3	Pay fixation formula adopted	Yes	
4	Career Advancement Scheme adopted	Yes	
5	Incentives for Ph.D/M.Phil and other higher qualification adopted.	No	
6	Adoption of UGC Regulations, 2018 and amendments thereof	Yes	State of Kerala have decided to implement UGC Regulations, 2018 in the State.G.O(P)No.18/2019/HEDN dated 29/06/2019 and G,O(P)No.29/2019/HEDN dated 30/09/2019
7	Increments	Yes	
8	Whether State Government has disbursed the full arrears to the state univesities and colleges on account of revision of pay scales for the period 01.01.2016 to 31.03.2019 or it has been paid in installments.	State Government have decided to release the arrears of the 7 th UGC Pay revision for the period from 01/01/2016 to 31/03/2019 and to credit the amount to the individual GPF account of the teachers. This amount can be withdrawn in four installments	G.O(P)No.18/2020/HEDN dated 28/05/2020

		1/2023, and 7/2023, 01/2024 and 7/2024 with usual GPF arrears.	
9	Whether calculation sheet furnished as per MHRD letter dated 24/07/2018.	Yes	The Calculation sheet attached herewith.
10	Whether appropriate changes have been made in the Statutes, ordinances, rule, regulations to incorporate the provisions of the Central Scheme of revised pay scales for University and College Teachers.	Yes	The universities in the State had made the amendments. Some universities had finalized the process and in others the process is in progress.
11	Whether a copy of the amended statutes, ordinances, rules regulations etc have been furnished to UGC.	Yes	Copies attached.



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Proforma for Additional Information

There are certain conditions of the Scheme dated 24/07/2018 and UGC pay Regulations 2018 which need to be confirmed by the respective State Governments before release of central share can be recommended State Government may please furnish the requisite information as under.

Sl No	Condition	Status of implementation by State Government	Remarks
(i)	The scheme allows State Government to introduce Scales of Pay higher than these mentioned in the Scheme . In such cases, Central assistance shall be restricted to the scheme of pay scale as approved by the Central Government. It needs to be confirmed whether the claim made is in accordance with this principle	Yes	State of Kerala had implemented the scale of pay as recommended by UGC(G.O(P)No.18/2019/HEDN dated 29/06/2019 and G.O(P)No.29/2019/HEDN dated 30/09/2019)
(ii)	Fixation of pay in each category of posts is to be done in accordance with the guidelines given in the revised pay rules notified by this Ministry for teachers in universities and colleges and the fixation formula circulated subsequently.	Yes	Seventh UGC Pay revision was implemented in the State as per the Government orders. G.O(P)No.18/2019/HEDN dated 29/6/2019 and G.O(P)No.29/2019/HEDN dated 30/09/2019.
(iii)	No allowance or pension is admissible for reimbursement . Only revised Pay is admissible. This needs to be confirmed.	Yes	Confirmed -Yes
(iv)	The State Governments cannot offer a lower pay package than prescribed by this Ministry and make claim for Central assistance.	Yes	The pay package offered by the State Government is not lower than that in the Central Scheme.
(v)	Whether the State Governments have already disbursed the salary based on revised pay scales	Yes	G.O(P)No.18/2019/HEDN dated 29/06/2019 and G,O(P)No.29/2019/HEDN dated 30/09/2019

(vi)	Whether any changes were required to be made in their statutes, ordinances, rules etc to incorporate the provisions of the Central Scheme and if yes, whether that has been carried out.	Yes	The universities in the State had made the amendments. Some universities had finalized the process and in others the process is in progress
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Additional Chief Secretary
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**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA**

Higher Education C Department

NoHEDN-C3/212/2017-HEDN-Part(5)

21-03-2022, Thiruvananthapuram

From

Additional Chief Secretary to Government

To

✓ Joint Secretary (Higher Education),
Ministry of Education,
Department of Higher Education,
Shastri Bhavan,
New Delhi - 110115

Sir,

Sub: Higher Education Department - Scheme of revision of pay of teachers and equivalent cadres in Universities and Colleges following Seventh Central Pay Commission (CPC) – reg.

Ref: 1. Government of India letter no.F 1-1/2018/U II dated 26/07/2018.

2. G.O.(P)No.18/2019/HEDN, Dated 29/06/2019.

3. G.O.(P)No.28/2019/HEDN, Dated 29/09/2019.

4. G.O.(P)No.29/2019/HEDN, Dated 30/09/2019.

5. G.O.(P)No.18/2020/HEDN, Dated 28/05/2020.

6. Government letter of even no dated 05/03/2022 addressed to Department of Higher education.

7. Government of India letter no.F 1-1/2018/U II dated 24/02/2022 and

10/3/2022 from Ministry of Education.

I invite your attention to the references cited. The Seventh UGC Pay revision was implemented in the State of Kerala from 01/01/2016 as per the reference cited as 2nd and 3rd paper above. The UGC Regulations on minimum qualifications for appointment of Teachers and Academic staff in universities and colleges and measures for the maintenance of standards in Higher Education, 2018 (UGC Notification No.F,1-2/2017 (EC/PS), dated 18/07/2018), has been implemented in the State as per the Government order mentioned as 2nd and 3rd paper above. The payment towards Seventh UGC Pay Revision arrears was sanctioned as per the Government order referred as 6th paper above .

As per the letter 7th cited above a proposal has been submitted before the Ministry for reimbursement of an amount of Rs.750,80,00,080.00(Rupees Seven hundred and fifty crores, eighty lakhs and eighty only), being the 50% of total additionality of Rs.1501,60,00,161.00 (One thousand five hundred and one crore, sixty lakhs, one hundred and sixty one only) incurred by State Government towards payment of arrears of Seventh UGC Pay revision. The supporting documents required have also been forwarded along with the proposal . But certain errors have been noticed in the calculations leading to the above claimed amount .

After carrying out a detailed verification ,it is found that the total additionality comes to Rs.1501,86,61,176.00(Rupees One thousand five hundred and one crores, eighty six lakhs, sixty one thousand one hundred and seventy six only) and 50% of that figure is Rs.750,93,30,588.00(Rupees Seven hundred and fifty crores, ninety three lakhs, thirty thousand, five hundred eighty eight only) .

In the circumstances, steps may be taken to reimburse the 50% of the

additional amount ie. Rs.750,93,30,588.00(Rupees Seven hundred and fifty crores, ninety three lakhs, thirty thousand, five hundred eighty eight only) towards arrears due to the implementation of the Seventh UGC Pay Revision, to this Government. The revised calculation sheet (Format 1) and undertaking (Format 2) by the State Government are enclosed herewith. Other documents have already already been forwarded along with letter 7th cited above. The inconvenience caused in this regard is highly regretted.

Yours Faithfully,



DR VENU V I A S

ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY

Additional Chief Secretary to Government.

Copy to:- Director of Collegiate Education, Thiruvananthapuram .

Calculation Sheet Format I

Name of the State - KERALA							
PRE REVISED SCALE	No.of posts filled up as on 01/01/2016	Additionality for the period from 01/01/2016 – 30/06/2016 (A *col 2*6)	Additionality for the period from 01/07/2016 -- 30/06/2017 (B*col 2*12)	Additionality for the period from 01/07/2017 -- 30/06/2018 (C*col 2*12)	Additionality for the period from 01/07/2018 - 31/03/2019 (D*col 2*9)	Total Additionality for the period from 01/01/2016- 31/03/2019 (Total of column 3-6)	Central Share (50% of Column 7)
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67000 -79000	27	4508460	10841364	12720564	10992105	39062493	19531247
Total	13102	1785833856	4209430932	4866275508	4157120880	15018661176	7509330588

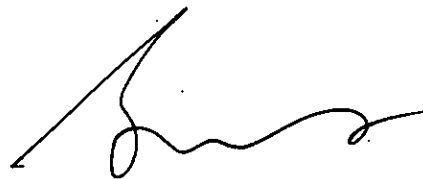
Dr. VENU V. IAS
 Additional Chief Secretary
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UNDER TAKING BY THE STATE GOVERNMENT

I, Dr. Venu V IAS Additional Chief Secretary to Government in the Higher Education Department, Government of Kerala do hereby commit and undertake on behalf of the Government of Kerala, that an amount of Rs.1501,86,61,176 (Rupees One Thousand Five Hundred One Crores, Eighty Six Lakhs, Sixty One Thousand, One Hundred Seventy Six Only) has been decided to be released to the teachers of State universities and colleges as payment of arrears account of revision of salary on implementation of the UGC Revised Pay Scales Scheme for the period from 01/01/2016 to 31/03/2019 as per G.O(P)No.18/2020/HEDN, dated 28.05.2020.

Signature



Seal:

Dr. VENU V IAS
Additional Chief Secretary
Higher Education, Environment
Archaeology, Archives & Museum Departments

Date:



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Higher Education (C) Department
27-04-2022, Thiruvananthapuram

No HEDN-C3/212/2017-HEDN

From
Additional Chief Secretary to Government

To
Joint Secretary (Higher Education)
Ministry of Education
Department of Higher Education
Shastri Bhavan
New Delhi 110115

Sir,

Sub: Higher Education Department-Scheme of revision of pay of teachers and equivalent cadres in universities and colleges following Seventh Central Pay Commission-Reg

Ref: 1) Government of India letter no F 1-1 /2018 /U II dated 24.02.2022 and 10.03.2022
2) Government letter of even number dated 21.03.2022

Kindly refer to the letters cited above. The Government of Kerala had furnished a detailed proposal to reimburse 50% additional amount ie Rs 750,93,30,558 (Rupees Seven Fifty Crores Ninety Three Lakhs Thirty Thousand Five Hundred Fifty Eight Only) towards the arrears due to the implementation of Seventh UGC Pay Revision, with all substantiating documents.

The State is facing unpleasant financial crisis in this post pandemic situation. Therefore I am to request you to take necessary steps to release the arrears amount urgently.

Yours Faithfully,

DR. VENU VIAS
ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY

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Submitted the ltr to AEG
to Spn on 27/04/22
above received back is
taken on 29/04/22

Dr. VENU V. IAS
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D.O. Letter No. C3/212/2017/H.Edn. Dated 13.06.2022

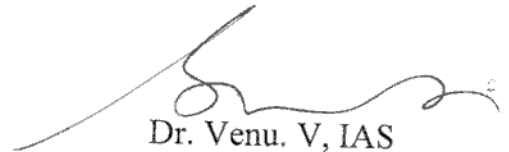
Dear *Kamini ji,*

Kind attention is invited to the Government letter of even number dated 27.04.2022 regarding detailed proposal for reimbursement of State share towards the arrears due to implementation of seventh UGC Pay Revision of amounts to Rs. 750,93,30,558/- (Rupees Seven Fifty Crores Ninety Three Lakhs Thirty Thousand Five Hundred Fifty Eight Only). But no response has been received so far regarding the payment.

Hence, I would like to request you to look into the matter personally and arrange to sanction the reimbursement of arrears at the earliest.

Yours Sincerely,

regards,


Dr. Venu. V, IAS

To

Smt. Kamini Chauhan Ratan
Joint Secretary (Higher Education)
Ministry of Education
Department of Higher Education
Shastri Bhavan
New Delhi -110115

MOST URGENT**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA**

No.C3/212/2017/HEdn-Part

Higher Education(C)Department
30-10-2022,ThiruvananthapuramFrom
Principal Secretary to GovernmentTo
Joint Secretary(Higher Education)
Ministry of Education
Department of Higher Education
Shastri Bhavan
New Delhi-110115

Sir,

Sub: Higher Education Department-Scheme of revision of pay of teachers and equivalent cadres in Universities and Colleges following 7th CPC-Request to re-consider the proposal-reg

- Ref: 1)Government of India letter no.F1-1/2018/U II dated 24/02/2022 and 10/03/2022
2)This Government letter of even no. dated 27/04/2022
3)Government of India letter no.F1-1/2018/U II dated 27/07/2022.

Kindly refer to the letters cited above. Government of Kerala had furnished a detailed proposal for claiming re-reimbursement of 50% additional amount, ie., Rs.750,93,30,558/-(Rupees Seven Fifty Crores Ninety Three Lakhs Thirty Thousand Five Hundred Fifty Eight Only) towards the arrears due to the implementation of Seventh UGC Pay Revision, with all substantiating documents(a copy of the same is enclosed herewith).

As per letter cited 3rd paper above, the Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Government of India, has informed the decision to close the scheme for reimbursement of 50% Central Share due to late submission of final proposal. It is to be noted that the

State of Kerala has submitted the proposal for reimbursement as early as on 16.06.2020 and through subsequent reminders. However, the State, vide the letter referred as 2nd above, submitted a revised proposal claiming an amount of Rs. 750.93 crores after reworking the amount from all the concerned Departments and Institutions.

In the above circumstances, it is requested to condone the delay in submitting the revised proposal and to re-consider the proposal of the State of Kerala for urgent reimbursement of UGC Pay Revision arrears sanctioned to the teachers and equivalent cadres in the State.

Yours Faithfully,



VIJAYAKUMAR.R
ADDITIONAL SECRETARY
For Principal Secretary to Government



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

No HEDN-C3/212/2017-HEDN

Higher Education (C) Department
27-04-2022, Thiruvananthapuram

From
Additional Chief Secretary to Government

To
Joint Secretary (Higher Education)
Ministry of Education
Department of Higher Education
Shastri Bhavan
New Delhi 110115

Sir,

Sub: Higher Education Department-Scheme of revision of pay of teachers and equivalent cadres in universities and colleges following Seventh Central Pay Commission-Reg

Ref: 1) Government of India letter no F 1-1 /2018 /U II dated 24.02.2022 and 10.03.2022
2) Government letter of even number dated 21.03.2022

Kindly refer to the letters cited above. The Government of Kerala had furnished a detailed proposal to reimburse 50% additional amount ie Rs 750,93,30,558 (Rupees Seven Fifty Crores Ninety Three Lakhs Thirty Thousand Five Hundred Fifty Eight Only) towards the arrears due to the implementation of Seventh UGC Pay Revision, with all substantiating documents.

The State is facing unpleasant financial crisis in this post pandemic situation. Therefore I am to request you to take necessary steps to release the arrears amount urgently.

Yours Faithfully,

DR. VENU VIAS
ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY

**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA**

Name:C.Ajayan
Designation: Additional Secretary

Higher Education (C) Department
Thiruvananthapuram,
Dated:06-02-2023

D.O .No:-C3/212/2017-HEdn -Part (2)

Dear Madam,

Kindly refer to the Government of India letters No. F.1-1/2018/U.11 dated 24/02/2022, 10/03/2022 and 27/07/2022;and this Government letter No. C3/212/2017/HEdn – Part (5) dated 21/03/2022 as per which rectified proposal for reimbursement of 7th UGC Pay Revision arrears sanctioned to teachers and equivalent cadres in the State was submitted by the State of Kerala within the deadline proposed by Government of India, Also, vide Government letters of even number dated 30/10/2022 and 14.11.2022 it was requested to reconsider the proposal of State of Kerala for reimbursement of the arrears and implementing the Pay Revision, at the earliest. However, no response from your office has been received so far. Kindly look into the matter personally and to expedite action in this matter positively as rectified proposal was submitted before 31/03/2022; and a reply may be furnished to this Government at the earliest.

Yours Sincerely,

C.AJAYAN

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D.O. Letter No. C3/212/2017/H.Edn -Part (2) Dated: 25/05/2023

Dear Madam .

As you are aware, in pursuance to the Notification issued by Government of India vide letter no. F.1-7/2015-U.II dated 02/11/2017, the 7th UGC Pay Revision was sanctioned to teachers and equivalent cadres in the State. It was implemented in Kerala vide GO (P) No. 18/2019/HEdn dated 29/06/2019 and GO (P) 28/2019/HEdn dated 29/09/2019 (Copies attached).

In this regard, please refer to the Government of India (GoI) letters No. F.1-1/2018 U.II dated 24/02/2022, 10/03/2022 and 27/07/2022. As per the instructions therein, rectified final proposal for the reimbursement of 50% of the total additionality of Pay Revision arrears, i.e. Rs.750,93,30,588/- (Rupees Seven Hundred and Fifty Crores, Ninety Three Lakhs, Thirty Thousand Five Hundred and Eighty Eight Only) was submitted vide State Government's letter No. C3/212/2017/HEdn -Part (5) dated 21/03/2022 (Copy attached), i.e., before the deadline given by Government of India. Further, vide Government letters of even no. dated 30/10/2022, 14/11/2022 and 06/02/2023, it was requested to consider the proposal of State of Kerala for reimbursement of the central share, at the earliest. However, no response from your office has been received so far.


Kindly look into the matter and expedite action positively as the rectified proposal was submitted to GoI before the deadline of 31/03/2022. We are looking forward to a favourable response at the earliest from your end in this regard.

Warm Regards,

Yours Sincerely,


ISHITA ROY IAS

Smt. Rina Sonowal Kouli
Joint Secretary (Higher Education)
Ministry of Education
Department of Higher Education
Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi - 110115


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