



भारतीय लेखा तथा लेखापरीक्षा विभाग
प्रधान महालेखाकर (लेखा एवं हकदारी) का कार्यालय
केरल, एम.जी. रोड, तिरुवनन्तपुरम-695 001.

INDIAN AUDIT AND ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTANT GENERAL (A&E)
KERALA, M.G. ROAD, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695 001.

P19/II/DRSSA-157/KER/ 2018-19

16/11/2018

To

All District/ Sub Treasury Officers

Sir,

Sub: Enhancement of Annual Pension of Kerala Lok Ayukta and Upa Lok Ayukta –reg .

Ref: 1.G.O.(Rt)No.159/2018/VIG dated: 28/09/2018 from Vigilance(C) Department,
Government of Kerala.

I am to enclose herewith the copy of Government Order cited under reference regarding the enhancement of Annual Pension of Kerala Lok Ayukta and Upa Lok Ayukta. The same is being placed in the official website of the office (www.agker.cag.gov.in) under the link "**DR and related orders of Kerala State**". A copy of this letter may be exhibited on the notice board of the treasury.

Yours faithfully

16/11/18
Accounts Officer

Copy to:-

The Director of Treasuries
Thiruvananthapuram

Accounts Officer

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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Vigilance Department- Kerala Lok Ayukta -Enhancement of Annual Pension of Kerala Lok Ayukta and Upa Lok Ayukta - Orders issued.

VIGILANCE(C)DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.159/2018/VIG Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 28/09/2018

- Read 1 G.O(P) No.4/2013/Vig dated 31.01.2013.
- 2 The Central Act 10 of 2018, dated 25.01.2018 of the High Court and Supreme Court Judges (Salaries and Conditions of Service) Amendment Act,2018
- 3 Letter No.299/LA/A1/2017 dated 31.01.2018 from the Registrar,
Kerala Lok Ayukta.

ORDER

As per Government order read as 1st paper above, Government of Kerala passed Kerala Lok Ayukta and Upa Lok Ayuktas (Conditions of Service) (Amendment) Rules,2013 by adding a proviso to Rule 9 of Kerala Lok Ayukta and Upa Lok Ayuktas (Conditions of Service) Rules, 1999. Accordingly the annual pension of those Lok Ayukta and Upa Lok Ayuktas who retired on or after 1st January, 2006 shall be revised as ₹43,890/- and to ₹34,350/- respectively for one completed year of service as Lok Ayukta or Upa Lok Ayukta as the case may be. It further provides that there shall be a ceiling to the effect that pension payable to the Lok Ayukta and Upa Lok Ayuktas shall not be higher than fifty percent of the pay of the highest post held by them during their entire period. This ceiling shall be applicable only to persons appointed on or after the 6th day of February, 2013.

2. As per Rule 9B of the Lok Ayukta and Upa Lok Ayuktas (Conditions of Service) Rules 1999 the pension which is being paid to the former Lok Ayuktas and Upa Lok Ayuktas shall be revised from time to time at the rate equivalent to the

revision of the pension of Supreme Court Judges/Chief Justice of High Court/ Judge of High Court as the case may be.

3. As per the Central Act read as 2nd paper above, the pension for former High Court Judges has been enhanced from ₹40,000/- to ₹1,12,500/- and the pension for former Chief Justices of High Court has been enhanced from ₹. 45,000/- to ₹.1,25,000/-. Thus in view of Rule 9B, the proviso to Rule 9 has to be amended enhancing the pension payable to the Lok Ayuktas and Upa Lok Ayuktas.

4. The Registrar, Kerala Lok Ayukta as per letter read as 3rd paper above has requested Government to take steps to enhance the pension payable to Lok Ayukta and Upa Lok Ayuktas by amending Rule 9 of Kerala Lok Ayukta and Upa Lok Ayuktas (Conditions of Service) Rules, 1999.

5. Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to enhance the annual pension payable to Lok Ayuktas from ₹ 45,000/- to ₹1,25,000 and Upa Lok Ayuktas from ₹ 40,000/- to ₹ 1,12,500/- with effect from 1.1.2016.

6. Necessary notification amending Rule 9 of the Kerala Lok Ayukta and Upa Lok Ayuktas (Conditions of Service) Rules, 1999 will be issued separately.

(By order of the Governor)

SUBRATA BISWAS

ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY

To:

The Registrar, Kerala Lok Ayukta.

The Registrar, Subordinate Judiciary (High Court of Kerala),
Ernakulam (with covering letter)

The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala, TVPM.

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

The GA(SC) Department (vide item No. 2493 dated 27/09/18)

The Law department (vide remarks no. 5642/LegE2/2018/Law dated 10.04.2018)

The Finance department(vide U.O
No.848901/ExpA3(PenB3)/291/2018-Fin dated 23.07.2018.

The Information Officer, Web & New Media.

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Section Officer