



GOVERNMENT OF KERALAM

Abstract

Judgement of the Hon'ble High Court dated 27.11.2024 in OP(KAT) 376/2022 and WP (C) 38975/2022 - Complied - Orders Issued.

FINANCE [PENSION-B] DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt) No. 6790/2026/FIN **Thiruvananthapuram, Dated, 31-08-2026**

Read:- 1. Order Dated 30/03/2022 in OA(EKM) No.569/2016 of the Hon'ble KAT, Thiruvananthapuram.

2. Judgement of the Hon'ble High Court dated 27.11.2024 in OP(KAT)376/2022 and WP(C)38975/2022

3. Judgement of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 21.04.2025 in SLP(C)11226-11227/2025.

4. Contempt Case(Civil).171/2025 filed in the Hon'ble High Court.

ORDER

The retired College teachers coming under UGC Scheme had filed the above mentioned cases before the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala and the Kerala Administrative Tribunal aggrieved by the non-disbursement of arrears of pension during the period from 01.01.2006 to 30.06.2009 consequent on revision of pension as per G.O.(P).211/2011/Fin dated 07.05.2011. The main grievance of petitioners/applicants is to calculate the pensionary benefits of UGC employees w.e.f 01.01.2006 which the pay and allowances of the employee coming under UGC/AICTE/Medical Education scheme were revised with effect from 01.01.2006 as per G.O(P) No.211/2011/Fin dated 07.05.2011. Government vide G.O (P) No: 16/2014/Fin dated 10.01.2014 have made it clear that since State pension revision with effect from 01.04.2005 had been extended to UGC pensioners vide GO (P) no: 81/2007/Fin dated 28.02.2007 and since the State pension revision was ordered w.e.f 01.07.2009 arrears consequent on the revision of pension vide G.O dated 07.05.2011 will be paid w.e.f 01.07.2009.

The OA was allowed vide Order read 1st setting aside the G.O(P)No. 16/2014/Fin dated 10.01.2014. It held that the applicants are entitled to the pensionary benefits

in accordance with the average emoluments calculated on the basis of the last pay drawn by them as per the KSRs Part III, directed the respondents to reckon the above benefits in accordance with the revised pay under the UGC Scheme drawn by the applicants from the date of their retirement till 01.07.2009 within a period of 3 months. Against this Government had filed OP(KAT)376/2022. The Hon'ble High Court vide judgement read 2nd, directed the respondents to disburse the revised pension and the entire arrears of pension to the petitioners within a period of four weeks from the date of judgement. Government had filed SLP(C)No.11226-11227/2025 against the above judgement of Hon'ble High Court. But the Hon'ble Supreme Court, vide judgment read 3rd, dismissed the SLP(C)s. In the meantime, the petitioners filed Contempt Case (C)No.171/2025 against the non-compliance of the judgement read 2nd in WP(C)No.38975/2022.

4) Government, having examined the matter in detail, are pleased to order the revision of pension in respect of the petitioners with reference to their revised pay. Sanction is further accorded for the disbursement of the entire arrears of pension revision to the petitioners in four equal instalments commencing from September 2026. The Accountant General (A&E), Kerala shall authorize the revised pension and arrears immediately.

5) The Judgment of Hon'ble High Court of Kerala read 2nd above thus stands complied with.

(By order of the Governor)

V AJAYAKUMAR
ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To

1. The Principal Accountant General(A&E),Keralam,Thiruvananthapuram.
2. The Accountant General(Audit II),Keralam,Thiruvananthapuram.
3. The Advocate General, Keralam, Ernakulam.
4. Petitioners/Applicants in the WP(C)/OA.
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6. The Liaison Officer(Finance), O/o the Advocate General, Ernakulam.

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