



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA Finance [ITSF] Department

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Thiruvananthapuram

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Sub :- SPARK-Employees continuing in old pay revision scales-Instructions for timely switching over to new revisions -Time limit fixed - Reg.

Ref: 1. GO(P)No.145/2006/Fin dated 25/3/2006.

- 2. GO(P)No.397/2006/(9)/Fin dated 5/10/2006.
- 3. GO(P)No.85/2011/Fin dated 26/2/2011.
- 4. GO(P)No.354/2011/(8)/Fin dated 18/8/2011.
- 5. GO(P)No.7/2016/Fin dated 20/1/2016.
- 6. GO(P)No.27/2021/Fin dated 10/2/2021.

All Heads of Department (HoD) and Drawing & Disbursing Officers (DDO) are informed that specific directions have been issued to switch over to various pay revision scales as detailed below.

- PR-2004 (1) Rule 17 of Annexure 2 to the G.O referred first and vide G.O referred second above.
- PR-2009 (2) Rule 17 of Annexure II to the G.O referred third and vide G.O referred fourth above.
- PR-2014 (3) Rule 19 of Annexure II to the G.O referred fifth above.
- PR-2019 (4) Para 44 and 45 of the G.O referred sixth above.

But now it has come to the notice that many employees are still continuing in old pay revision scales without observing these directions. Such employees (especially continuing in PR-2004 and 2009) are being placed under pre pre scale in SPARK and drawing salary based on the rates manually updated by SPARK PMU after verifying the documents and SB copy, furnished by the DDOs. But processing of arrears etc will be technically affected due to non availability of such very old data and corresponding rates in SPARK.

Hence all HoDs and DDOs are strictly directed to ensure that such employees should be switched over to new revision scales within 3 months from the date of issuance of these instructions, except in the case of those continuing in such old scales / rates based on specific court directions. If not done, salary processing of such employees

in SPARK would be affected from 12/2021 and hence revisions should be effected on a war footing manner.

The details of such employees, who are to be continued in old scales based on specific court directions, should be intimated to SPARK PMU via e-mail info@spark.gov.in with copies of court orders, details of employees such as PEN, salary rates etc. for immediate further action.

Non observance of these instructions would be viewed very seriously and stringent action would be initiated against the responsible officer, if the pay revisions are not executed within the specified time limit, the salary processing of the officers responsible to do this also would be affected in SPARK by 12/2021.

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The Director of Treasuries, Thiruvananthapuram

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All Head of Department (through Administrative Departments via e-office notice board)

All Administrative Departments of Secretariat (through e-office notice board)

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