

ABSTRACT

Rules – Tamil Nadu Statistics Service – Resolving issues on implementation of restructuring orders – Recruitment by Transfer – Relaxation of special rule norms for promotion – Statistical Officer to Assistant Director of Statistics – Amendment – orders - Issued.

PLANNING, DEVELOPMENT AND SPECIAL INITIATIVES (ST.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.1

Dated:04.01.2018. Heyvilambi – Margazhi 20, Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2048.

Read:-

- 1. G.O.Ms.No.88, Planning and Development (Statistics) Department, Dated:20.05.1989.
- 2. G.O.Ms.No.90, Planning, Development and Specia Initiatives (ST.2&E) Department, Dated:02.07.2012.
- 3. Government Letter No. 5382/, Planning, Development and Special Initiatives (ST.3) Department, Dated: 17.01.2014.
- 4. From Principal Secretary/Commissioner, Department of Economics and Statistics, Letter No.61788/A1/2013, Dated: 25.11.2014.
- 5. From the Secretary, Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission, Letter No.5208/RND-A2/2017, Dated: 06.10.2017

ORDER:

In the Government Order first read above, the Government inserted a provision for requirement of field service of one year in the cadre of Statistical Officer for promotion to the post of Assistant Director of Statistics by recruitment by transfer under rule 4 of sub rule 8 of Tamil Nadu Statistics Service as follows:

"Provided further that field experience for a period of not less than one year on duty in the post of Statistical Officer in any of the Revenue Divisions in the District Statistical Units shall be insisted" (with effect from 29.05.89 as per G.O.Ms.No.88, Planning and Development (ST) Department Dated 29.05.89).

- 2. In the letter fourth read above, the Principal Secretary/Commissioner, Department of Economics and Statistics has stated that in the Government Order second cited, while restructuring the Department, Government had issued orders upgrading the post of Divisional Statistical Officer in Revenue Division as Assistant Director of Statistics. The Statistical Officer posts were redeployed by Department of Economics and Statistics at the office of the Deputy Director of Statistics and Regional Joint Director of Statistics. In the Government letter third cited, Government had suggested Department of Economics and Statistics to reconsider the positioning of Statistical Officer at the District level and at Block Level depending on work load and it was decided to retain Statistical Officers at the District and Regional offices in view of the increased technical work load due to schemes like India Statistical Strengthening Project, 13th Finance Commission, Agriculture and Economic Censuses and other schemes. The Principal Secretary/Commissioner, Department of Economics has also stated that, the Statistical Officers promoted from the post of Statistical Inspectors have served in the Department of Economics and Statistics for more than 15 years as Assistant Statistical Investigator and Statistical Inspector have put in a minimum of 6 years field service both in the post of Assistant Statistical Investigator (3 years) and Statistical Inspector (3 years) required under service rules. The Principal Secretary/ Commissioner, Department of Economics has requested the Government to issue suitable amendment deleting the requirement of the field service for one year in the cadre of Statistical Officer for the promotion to the post of Assistant Director of Statistics by recruitment by transfer under Section 26-A (2)(a) of Tamil Nadu Statistics Service Rules.
- 3. In view of above position, after careful consideration, Government accept the proposal of the Principal Secretary/Commissioner, Department of Economics and Statistics and decided to issue suitable amendments to the Special Rules for Tamil Nadu Statistics Service.
- 4. The following Notification will be published in the <u>Tamil Nadu Government</u> Gazette:-

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following amendment to the Special Rules for the Tamil Nadu Statistics Service (Section 26-A in Volume II of the Tamil Nadu Services Manual, 2016).

AMENDMENT

In the said Rules, in rule 4, in the Table the proviso to clause (3) in third column relating to Qualifications against the entry "Recruitment by transfer from any other service" in second column and the corresponding entry "Assistant Director of Statistics" in first column thereof, shall be omitted.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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