

## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

## Personnel & Administrative Reforms (Advice-C) Department

## **CIRCULAR**

No. 4735/Adv.C3/2008/P & ARD.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 22nd August, 2008.

Sub:—Correction of date of birth in Service Book—Reg.

Ref:-1. G.O.(P) No. 45/91/P & ARD dated 30-12-1991.

 Judgment of the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala dated 30-1-2008 in W.P. (C) 28762/2007 filed by Sri Preman, Kannambeth.

As per the Government Order first cited, guidelines were issued for correction of date of birth of employees. But the orders are not being followed by many Departments scrupulously.

The Hon'ble High Court, Kerala in the Judgment second cited, observed that in some cases, Government have considered the date of birth correction without reference to the limitation prescribed or condoning delay and hence directed that in future, applications for correction of date of birth, shall be entertained scrupulously adhering to the conditions in the Government Order relating to the date of birth correction.

In the circumstances, all Departments in the Secretariat and Heads of Departments are directed that applications for correction of date of birth would be entertained scrupulously adhering to the conditions stipulated in G.O.(P) No. 45/91/P & ARD dated 30-12-1991.

Dr. Dharam Veer, Principal Secretary.

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All Additional Chief Secretaries/Principal Secretaries/Secretaries/ Special Secretaries.

All Heads of Departments/Appointing Authorities and Offices.

All Departments (all sections) of the Secretariat including Law & Finance.