



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract



Higher Education- KEAM 2011 - Admission to Professional Degree Courses in Self Financing Engineering Colleges - filling the vacant seats by conducting Entrance Examination by the Kerala Self Financing Engineering College Management's Association - Modification of Clause 6 in the agreement and G.O(Ms) 142/11/H.Edn - Orders Issued.

HIGHER EDUCATION (G) DEPARTMENT

G.O (Ms) No.289/11/H.Edn. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 20.10.2011.

- Read:-
- 1) G.O(Ms) 403/10/H.Edn 28.12.2010.
 - 2) Agreement executed on 21.07.2011 between Principal Secretary, Higher Education Department and the Kerala Self Financing Engineering College Management Association.
 - 3) G.O(Ms) No. 115/11/H.Edn dated 03.08.2011.
 - 4) G.O(Ms) 142/11/H.Edn 19.08.2011.
 - 5) Letters No.KSPECEMA/11/108 dated 04.10.2011 from the Secretary, Kerala Self Financing Engineering College Managements' Association.
 - 6) G.O(Rt) 1675/11/H.Edn dated 19.10.2011.

ORDER

As per the agreement executed between the Government and the Kerala Self Financing Engineering College Management's Association vide paper read 2nd above, 50% of the seats in the member colleges will be filled up by the Commissioner of Entrance Examinations from the list prepared by him in accordance with merit/merit cum means basis and by observing reservation principles followed by the Government from time to time. The educational agency under the Management Association shall have freedom to fill those seats which are remaining unfilled after 22.09.2011 5.00 p.m. It is also stipulated that unfilled seats from Government side are reverted back to the educational agency and the educational agency might fill up those seats by taking recourse to any of the method mentioned in clause 6 of the agreement.

As per clause 6, it is mandatory on the part of the educational agency to fill up 50 % seats of their respective colleges from the list published by the Commissioner for Entrance Examination and thereafter if the list of Commissioner for Entrance Examination is exhausted the agency may resort to any of the following methods to fill up the remaining vacant seats,

- I. on the basis of qualifying marks of eligibility examinations as fixed by the concerned universities.
- II. from the rank list published by the Association after conducting an examination from among applications received by the Association.

The Secretary, Kerala Self Financing Engineering College Managements' Association in his letter read as fifth paper above informed that the Government allotment to B. Tech. admission by the Commissioner for Entrance Examination is over by 04.10.2011. The Commissioner for Entrance Examination could not allot students in full to the 50% seat surrendered to Government. The Management Association made an advertisement inviting students included in the entrance test to join in the vacant seats but no students from the list turned up. They further contended that the Universities in Kerala restricts the admission only to students whose names are included in the entrance examination conducted by the Commissioner for Entrance Examination and the AICTE regulation only insist that a candidate has to qualify in an entrance examination. Because of this, the admission based on the qualifying marks will not sustain under the law. The Kerala Self Financing Engineering College Managements' Association now requested Government to issue an order authorizing them to conduct a test under the supervision of the Admission Supervisory Committee by modifying the clause 6 of the agreement.

Government having examined the request of the Association in detail are pleased to modify the condition in clause 6 of both the agreement and the Government Order read as 2nd and 4th paper above respectively to the effect that the educational agency may fill up the vacant seats in B.Tech courses in their institutions that exist after 04.10.2011 from the rank list published by the Association after conducting an examination from among the applications received by the Association under the supervision of Admission Supervisory Committee.

The condition in clause 6 of the agreement and the Government Order read as 2nd and 4th paper above respectively is modified to the above extent.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)
TOM JOSE
Principal Secretary to Government

To

The Commissioner for Entrance Examination, Thiruvananthapuram
The Manager, Admission Supervisory Committee, Old High Court
Building, Ernakulam
The Director of Technical Education, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Secretary, Kerala Self Financing Engineering College
Managements' Association, SNG College of Engineering, Kadayiruppu,
Kolenchery.
The Accountant General (Audit)/A&E), Kerala Thiruvananthapuram.
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