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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

LSGD - Engineering Wing - Vatakara Municipality – Vigilance Investigation - Sri.R.Sreekumar, Assistant Executive Engineer, under suspension - Reinstated- Orders issued.

LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (EW) DEPARTMENT

GO (Rt) No. 1123/ 2017/LSGD. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 10-04-2017.

- .Read:-
1. Letter No.VC.8/16/KKD. dated, 25-07-2016 from the V&ACB
 - 2 GO(Rt) No.2404/2014/LSGD dated 08-08-2016.
 - 3 Application dated 01-11-2016 from Sri.R.Sreekumar.
 - 4 Order dated 10-11-2016 in OA-2531/2016 of the Hon.Kerala Administrative Tribunal .
 - 5 Letter No.13085/D1/2016/Vig, dated 25-03-2017.

ORDER

Sri. R.Sreekumar, Assistant Executive Engineer, Vatakara Municipality was suspended from service as per the order read as 2nd paper above in connection with the Vigilance Case in VC.08/16/KKD, u/s 7 of PC Act 1988 filed against him.

The incumbent submitted an application read as 3rd paper above requesting to reinstate him into service. The Hon.Kerala Administrative Tribunal, as per the order read as 4th paper above directed to consider Annexure A4 representation, read as 3rd above, after affording an opportunity for hearing to the applicant and pass orders thereon within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a certified copy of the order.

In pursuance to the Orders of Hon.Kerala Administrative Tribunal, the suspended officer was heard by the Additional Secretary of the Department on 03-01-2017. During the hearing, the petitioner has requested to revoke his suspension as per the dictum laid down by Hon' ble Supreme Court of India in the case Ajay Kumar Choudhary Vs Union of India. However, a decision in the matter could not be taken, since the Suspension Review Committee is the competent authority to take decision on suspensions ordered as part of a Vigilance case, as mandated in Manual For Disciplinary Proceedings. Now as per letter read as 5th above, the Vigilance in

Government has recommended to reinstate Sri. R.Sreekumar in service and to post him in any district other than Kozhikkode and Ernakulam, till the finalization of the investigation, subject to ratification by the Suspension Review Committee.

Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to revoke the suspension of Sri. R.Sreekumar, Assistant Executive Engineer and he is reinstated in service with immediate effect. On reinstating, the officer will be posted in Kuttippuram Block Panchayat in the existing vacancy. The Annexure A4 representation put in by Sri. R.Sreekumar is disposed of accordingly and the orders of the Hon.KAT read as 4th paper above is complied with.

(By order of the Governor)

MINIMOL ABRAHAM
Additional Secretary to Government

To

1. Sri.R.Sreekumar, Assistant Executive Engineer (Through Chief Engineer, LSGD)
2. The Chief Engineer, LSGD, Thiruvananthapuram.
3. The Accountant General (A&E/Audit) of Kerala, Thrissur.
4. The Vigilance (D) Dept.
5. The Director, V&ACB, Thiruvananthapuram.
6. The Secretary, Vatakara Municipality
7. The Secretary, Kuttippuram Block Panchayath.
8. The Web & New Media, I & PRD.
9. The LSG (EW3) Department.
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