



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

IPS - Permission to switching over from National pension System (NPS) to the Old Pension System (OPS) - Sanctioned - Orders issued

General Administration (AIS-C) Department

G.O.(Rt)No.4295/2023/GAD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 20-09-2023

Read 1. Office Memorandum No. 57/05/2021- P& PW(B) dated 03.03.2023 of Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Department of Pension and Pensioner's Welfare, Government of India.

2. Letter No. A1-78197/2021/PHQ dated 27.04.2023 from the State Police Chief, Kerala enclosing the letter No.3540/Dir /2023 dated 27.03.2023 submitted by Shri. Shri. Anup Kuruvilla John IPS, Inspector General of Police.

3. Letter No.A1-59866/2023/PHQ dated 31.05.2023 from the State Police Chief, Kerala enclosing the letter No. 24/Camp/IGP(T&RSM) dated 27.05.2023 submitted by Shri.A Akbar IPS, Inspector General of Police.

4. Letter No.A1-85158/2023/PHQ dated 26.05.2023 from the State Police Chief, Kerala enclosing the letter No. 27/CAMP/IGP/2023/NZ dated 16.05.2023 submitted by Shri.Neeraj Kumar Gupta IPS, Inspector General of Police.

5. Letter No.A1-107043/2023/PHQ dated 26.06.2023 from the State Police Chief, Kerala enclosing the letter No. 98/Camp/2023-EC dated 20/06/2023 submitted by Shri.K Sethu Raman IPS ,Inspector General of Police.

6. Letter No.A1-98854/2023/PHQ dated 23.06.2023 from the State Police Chief, Kerala enclosing the letter No.101/Camp/IGP(INT)/SB/2023(1) dated 15.06.2023 submitted by Shri.P Prakash IPS, Inspector General of Police.

7. Letter No.25011/02/2021-AIS-II (Pension) dated 13.07.2023 of Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Department of Personnel & Training , Government of India.

8. Letter No.A1-85158/2023/PHQ dated 04.08.2023 from the State Police Chief, Kerala enclosing the letter No. 27/CAMP/IGP/2023/NZ dated 29.07.2023 submitted by Shri.Neeraj Kumar Gupta IPS, Inspector General of Police.

Letter No.A1-107043/2023/PHQ dated 24.08.2023 from the State
9. Police Chief, Kerala enclosing the letter No.27/CAMP/IGP/2023/NZ
dated 21.08.2023 submitted by Shri.K. Sethu Raman IPS, Inspector
General of Police.

ORDER

As per the Office Memorandum read as 1st paper above, the Department of Pension and Pensioner's Welfare has clarified that in all cases where the Central Government Civil employee has been appointed against a post or vacancy which was advertised/notified for recruitment/appointment, prior to the date of notification for National Pension System i.e, 22.12.2003 and is covered under the National Pension System on joining service on or after 01/01/2004, may be given a one-time option to be covered under the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 (now 2021).

2. The Director General of Police cum State Police Chief vide letters read as 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th & 6th papers above, forwarded the options submitted by the following officers for switching over from the National Pension System to the Old Pension System, who were appointed against the posts which were notified for recruitment/appointment prior to the date of notification for National Pension System i.e. 22.12.2003 and are covered under the National Pension System on joining Indian Police Service after 01/01/2004.

Name of Officer	Batch & date of appointment in IPS	Year of Civil Service Exam	Exam Notification Number and Date
1. Shri.Anup Kuruvilla John IPS	2004 27.10.2004	2003	No. 13018/5/2002-AIS(I) of DoPT dated 07.12.2002
2. Shri.P.Prakash IPS	2004 27.12.2004	2003	No. 13018/5/2002-AIS(I) of DoPT dated 07.12.2002
3. Shri.K.Sethu Raman IPS	2004 26.09.2004	2003	No. 13018/5/2002-AIS(I) of DoPT dated 07.12.2002
4. Shri.Neeraj Kumar Gupta IPS	2005	2004	No. 13018/6/2003 - AIS(I) of DopT

	22.08.2005		dated 29.11.2003
5.Shri.A.Akbar IPS	2005 22.08.2005	2004	No. 13018/6/2003 - AIS(I) of DopT dated 29.11.2003

3. Subsequently, the Department of Personnel & Training, Government of India, vide letter read as 7th paper above, has instructed that the AIS officers who have been appointed against a post/vacancy which was advertised/notified for recruitment prior to the date of notification of NPS (ie 22.12.2003) and who are covered under NPS on joining service on or after 01/01/2004 may be granted one-time option to be covered under the provisions of old pension system under All India Services (Death-Cum Retirement Benefits) Rules, 1958.

4. The Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to accord sanction to the below mentioned officers to switch over from the National Pension System (NPS) to the Old Pension System (OPS), covered under All India Services (Death -Cum Retirement Benefits) Rules, 1958 as per the Government of India instructions read as 7th paper above.

- i. Shri.Anup Kuruvilla John IPS (KL-2004), Inspector General of Police and presently on central deputation.
- ii. Shri.P Prakash IPS (KL-2004), Inspector General of Police, Investigation, Kerala State Human Rights Commission.
- iii. Shri.K Sethu Raman IPS (KL-2004), Inspector General of Police, North Zone, Kozhikode.
- iv. Shri.Neeraj Kumar Gupta IPS (KL-2005), Inspector General of Police, Headquarters.
- v. Shri.A Akbar IPS (KL-2005), Inspector General of Police & Commissioner of Police,Kochi City.

(By order of the Governor)
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ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To:-

1. Officers concerned (through Director General of Police cum State Police Chief, Kerala).
2. The Principal Accountant General (G&SSA)/ (A&E) Kerala,

Thiruvananthapuram.

3. The Director General of Police & State Police Chief, Kerala, Police Headquarters, Thiruvananthapuram.
4. The Secretary, Ministry of Home Affairs, North Block, New Delhi-110001.
5. The Secretary, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Department of Personnel & Training , North Block, New Delhi.
6. The Finance (Expenditure A) Department (Vide EXP-A2/388/2023-Fin dated 04/08/2023).
7. The General Administration (SC/ Computer Cell) Department.
8. The Web and New Media Division, I&PRD.
9. Stock File/Office Copy.

Forwarded /By order

Section Officer

Copy to:

1. The Officer on Special Duty, Office of the Chief Secretary
2. PA to Additional Secretary, General Administration (AIS) Department
3. CA to Joint Secretary, General Administration (AIS) Department