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GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU
(Abstract)

PUBLIC SERVICES - State and Subordinate Services - Recruitment .
Concessions to destitute widows - ordered.

PERSONNEL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS (PERSONNEL-M) DEPARTMENT.

G.O.Ms.No. 225

Dated the 8th March, 1984.
Ruthrothkari, Nasi 25
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Read:

- i) G.O.Ms.No.2637, Public (Services-M) Department, dated 3.9.1976.
- ii) Government Memorandum No.64489A/76-1 Public (Services-M) Department, dated 29.10.1976.
- iii) From the Secretary, Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission, letter No.247-B2/84-1 dated 3.2.1984.

ORDER:

In the Government order first read above, orders were issued that destitute widows as defined in Rule 3 of old age pension rules may also apply for the posts advertised by the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission and other appointing authorities and the question of relaxing any technical restrictions including age limit prescribed in the Service Rules will be considered if they are otherwise suitable for the posts. In the Memorandum read above, these orders were kept in abeyance, pending issue of certain clarifications as to how and to what extent relaxation is to be given to the destitute widows.

2. The Government have carefully considered the matter and issue the following revised instructions in the matter of giving preference to the destitute widows in the matter of appointment to Public Services in modification of the orders issued in the G.O. first read above.

- (a) Special consideration shall be given to the destitute widows for appointment to all posts in Government service, local bodies and Government service, local bodies and Government aided institutions, provided the candidates fully satisfy the qualification rule and are otherwise eligible on merits; the word "Special consideration" denotes that when other things are equal, destitute widows should be preferred over others who are also competitors for a particular post;
- (b) Same age limit as prescribed for Scheduled Caste candidates shall be made applicable for destitute widows of all castes;

- (c) Special consideration shall also be given to the destitute widows for admission to the training institutions provided they satisfy the educational requirements prescribed under the rules and are otherwise eligible on merits;
- (d) The expression "destitute widows" is defined as one who has neither any means by herself to live on nor any dependant to protect her from starvation.

3. Orders amending the General Rules for the Tamil Nadu State and Subordinate Services with reference to para 2(b) above will be issued separately.

(By order of the Governor)

K. CHOCKALINGAM
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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