GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract
Higher Education Department – Country-wide lock down in view of COVID-19 Pandemic- Payment of Wages to Guest Lecturers-clarification – orders issued.

HIGHER EDUCATION (D) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.506/2020/HEDN Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 31/03/2020

Read G.O.(P)No.33/2020/Fin dated 26.3.2020

ORDER

As per orders read above, Government have issued guidelines for the payment of wages to the Contractual/Casual/Daily wage/Outsourced staff during the lock down announced in the Country due to COVID-19. Requests have been received in Government from various corners to issue orders to make applicable the same to the Guest Lecturers working in various Colleges/Institutions under the Higher Education Department.

2. Government have examined the matter and are pleased to order that the Guest Lecturers working in various Colleges/Institutions under the Higher Education Department will also be treated as “on duty” on those days in March 2020, in which they are not able to attend the duty owing to the restrictions attributed to Lock down announced in view of COVID-19 spread, subject to the conditions in the Government Order read above.

(By order of the Governor)
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