

UNIVERSITY OF KERALA
(ABSTRACT)

Special Financial Assistance to SC/ST Research Scholars –Norms of ranking the applicants –
modification - Approved – Orders issued.

PLANNING 'E' SECTION

No. P.L.E./653/2014

Thiruvananthapuram, dated 24.02.2015

Read: 1. U.O.No. P.L.E.2176/97 dated 15th May 1997.

2. Item No. D6 of the Minutes of the meeting of the Standing Committee of the Syndicate on Academic and Research held on 09.01.2015.

3. Item No.05.39.D6 of the Minutes of the meeting of the Syndicate held on 31.01.2015.

ORDER

As per the University order read as (1) above, the Special Financial Assistance, limited to Rs.10,000/- to a Research Scholar, was granted to 20 eligible SC/ST applicants, who are engaged in full time research in University Departments, affiliated colleges and other research institutions approved by the University, every year.

In *Clause 10* of the U.O., selection is based on merit considering the following.

- M.Phil degree recognized by the University of Kerala,
- Seniority based on the date of registration for Ph.D.
- Marks scored at the P.G Level in the relevant subject.
- Additional Academic qualifications.
- Published work in a recognized journal.
- Teaching experience at college/ school level.

The U.O doesn't specify the weightages to be assigned to for each of the criteria mentioned above for ranking the candidates, in cases where the number of eligible applicants exceeds the number of permissible slots (20).

On the basis of the recommendation of the Standing Committee of the Syndicate on Academic & Research, the Syndicate vide paper read as (3) above, has approved the following norms for ranking the applicants by assigning weightage for each of the criteria specified in the existing norms for granting the Special Financial Assistance to SC/ST research scholars.

1. Total score be fixed as 60 in which each of the six criteria be assigned a maximum score of 10 points.
2. Those having M.Phil Degree recognized by the University of Kerala be given weightage of 10 points.

3. In the case of seniority of PhD registration, for each of the completed year of seniority :
PhD registration, as on the date of notification, a weightage of 2 points be given s^{ubject} to a maximum of 10.
4. The percentage of marks in PG Degree be converted to the scale of 10.
5. Each additional qualification be given the weightage of 2 points subject to a maximum of 10 (Here, NET & JRF may be considered as single entity in ranking).
6. Each published work in recognised journal be given weightage of 2 points subject to a maximum of 10.
7. For each completed year of teaching experience in college/school level, as on the date of notification, weightage of 2 points be given subject to a maximum of 10.

The above norms will be effective from the academic year 2014 – 15 onwards.

The U.O read as (1) above stands modified to this extent.

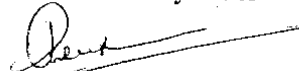
Orders are issued accordingly

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