

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
A B S T R A C T

Higher Education Dept – Technical Education – Andhra Pradesh Technical Education Services - Communication of Final Seniority List of Heads of Sections in Engineering and Non-Engineering in Government Polytechnics as on 01-09-2015 – Orders - Issued.

G.O.Ms.No.53

HIGHER EDUCATION (TE) DEPARTMENT

Dated:27-08-2016.

Read:-

From the C-E, AP, Letter No.C2/1608/2016, Dt.9.8.2016.

ORDER:-

In the reference read above, as per Note 4 under Rule 3 of the Special Rules for APTES issued in the G.O.Ms.No.178, Higher Education (TE.I-2) Department, Dated: 09-12-2005, the Commissioner of Technical Education, A.P., Hyderabad, has furnished a Provisional Inter-Se-Seniority List of Heads of Sections in Engineering and Non-Engineering in Government Polytechnics who have completed 03/05 years of service in the feeder category as on 01-09-2015 based on their service reckoned from the date of regular appointment to the initial Gazetted post of Senior Lecturer which was communicated to the individuals concerned along with the Commissioner of Technical Education Memo Dated: 14-03-2016. The Commissioner of Technical Education has examined the objections received from the incumbents and forwarded the same together with her recommendations to Government for issue of final seniority list of Head of Sections in Engineering and Non-Engineering in Government Polytechnics as on 01-09-2015.

2. The Government, after careful examination of the objections raised by certain individuals on the provisional seniority list, duly taking into consideration the remarks offered by the Commissioner of Technical Education on each of the objections, have come to the conclusion as indicated below:-

1) **SRI P.V.SRINIVASA RAO (S.NO. 4 – Engg.), G.P, VIZIANAGARAM:** The individual requested to change his date of promotion for Head of Section as 22.09.2003 instead of 24.09.2003. Further, he represented that he has passed MS Degree in Civil Engineering and stated that Registrar of JNTUH clarified that MS Degree (By Research) is a Masters degree in Engg and is equivalent to M.Tech in Engineering for all purposes, and submitted the equivalency certificate issued by JNTUH. He requested to make correction as 'Qualified' in place of 'not Qualified' and to consider him for promotion.

On verification of records, the said correction i.e. date of joining 22.09.2003 as Head of Section is made in the Final Seniority list of Heads of Sections in Government Polytechnics.

As per rule 5 of G.O.Ms.No.178, Higher Education (TE-1-2) Department Dated:09.12.2005 of the Government "No person shall be eligible for appointment to the Class-B, Category-1 the Principals of Polytechnics by promotion unless he / she possesses 'Master's degree in appropriate branch of Engineering / Technology with First Class at Master's or Bachelor's level' for engineering heads of sections, Whereas the individual possesses MS Degree in Civil Engineering, which is not prescribed qualification in accordance with the above G.O.. Hence, his request cannot be considered and therefore his plea is rejected.

2) **SRI D.RAMASUBBA REDDY (S.No.14 – Engg.) GPM, GUNTUR:** He requested to include his name in seniority list and represented that his Qualification are AMIE (Chemical Engg), M.Tech (Chemical Engg) 1st Class with Distinction and Ph.D in Engineering and also represented that he passed Account Test for Executive Officers held on 18-07-2011 and requested to include the same.

Necessary corrections are made in qualifications and passing of Departmental Tests and the same is included in the proposed final seniority list.

- 3). **G. USHA DEVI (S.No.28 – Engg.), GP, PILLARIPATTU:** The Indiv dual represented that she has passed M.Tech Degree in Electronic Instrumentation and Communication Systems (EICs) which is specialization in Electronic and Communication Engineering from S.V. University under the Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering and also stated that, at the time of her acquiring qualification, Dept. of Electrical & Electronics Engg was combined Department offering both ECE & EEE Programmes in UG & PG Level till 2011. Hence, she requested to consider her qualification as appropriate for ECE Branch.

As per rule 5 of G.O.Ms.No. 178, Higher Education (TE-1-2) Department Dated: 09.12.2005 of the Government “No person shall be eligible for appointment to the Class-B, category-1 the Principals of Polytechnics by promotion unless he / she possesses ‘Master’s degree in appropriate branch of Engineering / Technology with First Class at Master’s or Bachelor’s level’ for engineering heads of sections, Whereas the individual possesses M.Tech degree in EEE, which is not appropriate to the branch of ECE in which she is working as head of section. Hence, her plea cannot be considered and therefore rejected.

4. **CH.MURALI KRISHNA (S.No.33 – Engg.), GPW, BHEDAMUNIPATNAM:** The individual has represented that his date of regular appointment as senior Lecturer is shown as 10.10.1998 or 13-11-1998 and it should be corrected as 10-10-1993 / 13-11-1998 on par with M.A.V Rama Krishna. He represented that he was awarded Ph.D Degree by GITAM University on 21.03.2016 and requested to include the Qualification. Further, he stated that he was appointed as Associate Lecturer in P.H. quota and so his name is to be considered against PH roaster point in promotions.

On verification of records necessary corrections is made in the date of regular appointment as senior lecturer as 10-10-1998 / 13-11-1998 also his qualification Ph.D. is included in the proposed seniority list of Heads of Sections in Government Polytechnics. Since, the individual furnished the certificate from District Medical Board in support of his claim to consider him for PH quota, his claim is considered and accordingly the corrections in final inter-se-seniority of Heads of Sections is made.

5. **Dr M.A.V. RAMAKRISHNA (S.No. 34 – Engg.), Dr. BRA GMRP, RAJAHMUNDY:** The incumbent represented that he was appointed through APPSC, 1995 and he was allotted to his native zone – I as per his merit. The individual is claiming that he was the 1st ranker in the zone and so got allotted to his zone. But, Sri Ch. Muralikrishna who belongs to his batch was allotted to zone – III and not allotted to his native zone – I due to less merit than him in the APPSC selection. He further requested that both belongs to the same batch of APPSC and the individual is meritorious than the other in APPSC 1995, he requested to place him above Ch. Muralikrishna ignoring the date of joining.

The date of joining with respect to the candidates repatriated through G.O. Ms. No. 610, GA [SPF] Department, Dated. 13.12.1985 end G.O Ms. No 674, GA [MC-I] Department, Dated. 07.09.2007 read with the instructions issued in Government Memo No. 9543/MC/2007-13 GA [MC] Department, Dated. 02.07.2007 cannot be altered and no parity can be drawn though the candidate native zone happens to be the same. Hence, the objection raised by the individual cannot be considered and therefore rejected.

6. **A.SIVA PRASAD (S.No.39 – Engg.), MBTS, GUNTUR:** The individual represented that the eligibility for the admission for M.Tech Programme under QIP of AICTE is to have appropriate branch in the Bachelors Degree. Accordingly, he got admission and passed in Computer Science and Engineering, also stated that Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education recommended that “a Candidate with 3.Tech. (ECE) and M.Tech,(CSE) may be considered for promotion to the post of the Principal”. Hence he requested to consider him for promotion.

As per rule 5 of G.O.Ms.No. 178, Higher Education (TE-1-2) Department Dated:09.12.2005 of the Government "No person shall be eligible for appointment to the Class-B, category-1 the Sections, whereas the individual possesses M.Tech. Degree in CSE which is not appropriate to the branch of ECE in which he is working as head of section. Hence, his plea cannot be considered and therefore it is rejected.

7. **B. KALYAN (S.No. 43 – Engg.) G.P., GUDUR:** The individual has objected for mentioning "Not Qualified" against his name in the provisional seniority list of the Heads of Sections and requested to write "Qualified" against his name. The individual has also represented that he possesses M.Tech in computer science and stated that Registrar of JNTUH clarified that M.Tech in Computer Science is "appropriate branch of Engineering". Further, he represented that the AICTE and National Institute of Technology Karnataka considered his M.Tech (CSE) 'appropriate branch of engineering' and he got selected for pursuing Ph.D. (QIP-Poly.) and he has also submitted his Ph.D. thesis. In the above circumstances, he requested to consider his M.Tech (CSE) is appropriate and requested to correct accordingly as 'Qualified' in place of 'not Qualified' in the seniority list of heads of section in Engineering and requested to consider him for promotion to the post of Principal.

As per rule 5 of G.O.Ms.No. 178, Higher Education (TE-1-2) Department Dated:09.12.2005 of the Government "No person shall be eligible for appointment to the Class-B, category-1 the Principals of Polytechnics by promotion unless he possesses 'Master's degree in appropriate branch of Engineering / Technology with First Class at Master's or Bachelor's level' for engineering Heads of Sections, whereas the individual possesses M. Tech. Degree in CSE, which is not appropriate to the branch of Mining in which he is working as Head of Section. Hence, his plea cannot be considered and therefore it is rejected.

8. **M. VENKATESWARA RAO (S.NO. 47 – Engg.), A.P, KAKINADA:** The individual represented that his qualification is mentioned as MRUP but it should be as M.Tech (Urbar and Regional Planning), also represented that he had passed the requisite Account Test.

On verification of the certificates the said qualification M.U.R.P (Urban and Regional Planning) is corrected in the Final Seniority list of Heads of Sections in Government Polytechnics, the passing of the Accounts test for Executive Officers is also incorporated.

9. **S. SRINIVASA RAO (S.NO. 52 – Engg.), GPW, KAKINADA:** The individual represented that as per the AP Reorganization circular, the Lecturer (Earlier Associate Lecturer) posts in polytechnics comes under gazetted category which is an initial gazetted post in the Department. He objected that Sri P.V.S.S.N. Murthy (S.NO. 16) was holding a non gazetted post while the individual was holding a gazetted post. Hence, he requested to consider vertical seniority from initial gazette cadre i.e. Lecturer (Earlier Associate Lecturer)

In the order dt.06-02-2001 in O.A.No.8934/1998, filed by Sri W. Prabhakar Rao & 4 others challenging the validity of G.O.Ms.No.273, Edn (TE-2) Dept., dt.20-08-1998, the Hon'ble Tribunal held, among others, that the initial gazetted post in the Department of Technical Education is only a Lecturer (now re-designated as Senior Lecturer) post which is included in the III schedule of the Presidential Order and upheld the G.O. Therefore, the post of Associate Lecturer (now re-designated as Lecturer) cannot be taken as the initial gazetted post for the purpose of preparing the common seniority list of Heads of Sections based on vertical seniority.

The objection raised by the incumbent is not sustainable and the same is therefore rejected.

10. N. BALA SWAMY (S.No. 64 – Engg.), Andhra Poly., KAKINADA: He represented that he passed Account test for Executive officers held on 20.04.2015 and requested to include the same.

On verification of certificates, passing of Account Test for EO is included in the Final Seniority list of Heads of Section.

11. K. SRINIVAS RAO (S.No. 67 – Engg.) GPW, SRIKAKULAM: The individual represented that he completed B.E. in Mechanical engineering with 59% of marks, M.Tech in Computer Science and Technology with 59.22% II Class. He stated the para 3 of 13 of GO MS No.72, H.E. Dt. 26.09.2002 that 'Teachers already in service prior to January 1, 1996 and who at the time of their recruitment possessed only a second class in their degree at Bachelor or master level (but met all the qualification requirements prescribed by AICTE at the time of their recruitment) shall be exempted from the requirement of first class for the degree that had at the time of their recruitment.' Hence, he requested to consider him for the principal promotion exempting the First class in his M.Tech. as he cannot again appear for the same Master Degree examination to acquire 1st class at the age of 52 years.

As per rule 5 of G.O.Ms.No.178, Higher Education (TE-1-2) Department Dated: 09.12.2005 of the Government 'No person shall be eligible for appointment to the Class-B, Category-1, the Principals of Polytechnics by promotion unless he possesses 'Master's degree in appropriate branch of Engineering / Technology with First Class at Master's or Bachelor's level' for engineering Heads of Sections. Hence, his plea cannot be considered and it is rejected.

12. Dr. R. BHASKAR RAO, (S.No. 71 – Engg.) Govt. Polytechnic, VIZAG: The individual requested to modify his qualification as per the records. He also requested to include passing of Account Test for EO and SO part II

On verification of the records, it is found that he has not completed (3) years of service with PhD in Engineering in the cadre of Head of section, therefore, his name is removed from the final seniority list of Heads of sections in Government Polytechnics.

13. Ch. JAYA PRAKASH REDDY, (S.No. 75 – Engg.) GICE., VIZAG: The individual stated that along with Sri Y. Venumadhav and Sri D. Damodhar, Head of Chemical Engg. (Plastic and Polymers) his name was also included in the Departmental Committee meeting on 31.01.2005 for the post of senior lecturers. Also stated that, he was not given promotion in Senior Lecturer cadre and got promotion at a later date and requested to review his seniority on par with Y. Venumadhav and D. Damodhar.

Mere empanelment of his name in the approved list of eligible candidates does not confer any right for promotion and so his seniority shown in the provisional seniority list holds good. Hence, the request of the candidate cannot be considered and the same is therefore, rejected.

14. D. THIRUPATHI, (S.No. 76 – Engg.), DAGP, ONGOLE: He has represented that his seniority as Senior Lecturer has postponed from 23.10.2003 to 31-03-2009 and requested to restore his seniority as Senior Lecturer from 23.10.-2003 only. Also requested to protect his seniority and place his name at suitable place in seniority list of Heads of Section.

Consequent on fixation of seniority in the category of Lecturer in between PSC and Non-PSC candidates in pursuance of the order dated 17.04.2009 of Hon'ble APAT in OA No. 892/2003 and the batch which was upheld by the Hon'ble High Court in their order dated 10.06.2010 in WP Nos. 15776/2009 and 16830/2009, the promotions made earlier to the posts of Senior Lecturers in Zone -III have been reviewed and on such review the date of promotion to senior lecturer of the incumbent Sri D. Tirupati

was fixed as 31.C3.2009, and the date of promotion as Heads of Section is yet to be reviewed to the latter date. Therefore his request to show his date of promotion to the post of Senior Lecturer as 23.10.2003 instead of 31.08.2009 is not sustainable and the same is rejected.

15. B. NAGAMANI, (S.No. 5 – Non Engg.) Govt. Polytechnic for Women, GUNTUR:
The individual requested to include her name as Lecturer in DPC promoted list of 1987 and extend the benefit of DPC promotion notionally and protect her seniority.

In the panel years 2006-07, 2007-08 and 2009-10 also, when the provisional inter-se-seniority list of Heads of Sections in Engineering and Non-Engineering was communicated, she has submitted her objection raising the same points. Her objection, among others, was over ruled and her request to conduct Review DPC to consider her case for promotion to the post of Lecturer (Now called as senior lecturer) and to show her as DPC candidate in the list of DPC candidates was rejected vide G.O.Ms. No. 198, Higher Education (TE.I) Department, Dated: 21.12.2006. The same objection has already been examined by the Government and it was rejected vide G.O. Ms. No. 198, Higher Education (TE.I) Department, Dated: 21.12.2006, and G.O. Ms. No 163, Higher Education (TE.I) Department, Dated: 13.08.2008 and G.O. Ms. No 11, Higher Education (TE.I) Department, Dated: 03.02.2010 and therefore the same objection raised again now by the individual is not sustainable and the same is overruled. However, her request is being examined separately.

16. G. SATYANARAYANA (S.No. 15 – Non Engg.), Andhra Poly, KAKINADA: The individual represented that he has acquired Ph.D Qualification on 08.02.2016 from Andhra University and requested to include the same.

On verification of records, his PhD degree is incorporated accordingly in the proposed final seniority list of Heads of sections in Government Polytechnics.

17. Dr. Y. DWARA CANADHA REDDY (S.No. 16 – Non Engg.), GP, GUDUR: The individual has represented that his name is wrongly mentioned as Y.DWARKANATHA REDDY instead of Y.DWARAKANADHA REDDY. He also mentioned that he has passed Account Test for Subordinate Officers part-2 (code No.16) and Account Test for Executive Officers (code no.141) and requested to incorporate same.

On verification of certificates, his name is corrected. Passing of Account Test for EO and Account test for Subordinate Officers' part-2 are included in the proposed Final Seniority list of Heads of Sections in Government Polytechnics.

3. In view of the facts mentioned above, the Government, after careful examination of the provisional seniority list of Head of Sections in Engineering and Non-Engineering Branches, while disposing of the objections raised by certain Heads of Sections as mentioned above, hereby finalize and communicate the final seniority list of Heads of Sections in Engineering and Non-Engineering in Government Polytechnics, as appended to this order as Annexure-I & II. The Commissioner of Technical Education is directed to communicate the same to all the Heads of Sections concerned.

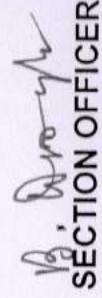
4. The Commissioner of Technical Education, Hyderabad shall take necessary action as instructed above.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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