GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

No. Pen-104/2014_19401/F, Bhubaneswar, dated the 28th June 2014

RESOLUTION

SUBJECT: Enhancement of retirement age on superannuation of Allopathic Medical Officers and Allopathic Insurance Medical Officers.

As per rule 71 (a) of the Odisha Service Code, a Government servant shall retire in the afternoon of the last day of the month in which he completes the age of 58 years. It has been provided thereunder that, in the case of Allopathy Medical Officers belonging to both periphery and teaching cadre under the Health and Family Welfare Department shall be retained in the service upto the age of 60 years. It has further been provided thereunder that, in the case of Allopathy Medical Officers belonging to Orissa Employees State Insurance Medical Service cadre under the Labour and ESI Department shall be retained in the service upto the age of 60 years.

Shortage of Doctors is a major constraint affecting delivery of the desired level of health care to the citizens of the state. Hence, matter of enhancement of retirement age on superannuation of Doctors has been attracting the attention of Government time and again. After superannuation at the age of 60 years, many of the Allopathy Doctors are being immediately recruited by private hospitals while Government hospitals are deprived of utilizing their expertise and experience.

Government after careful consideration have decided to enhance the retirement age on superannuation of Allopathic Medical Officers belonging to Odisha Medical and Health Services cadre under Health and F.W. Department and Allopathic Insurance Medical Officers under Labour and E.S.I Department from 60 (sixty) years to 62 (sixty-two) years. This will take immediate effect.

The relevant provisions under rule 71 of the Odisha Service Code and the earlier Finance Department Notification No. 55407/F dated 31.12.2003 and Finance Department Notification No. 33754/F dated 11.7.2008 in this connection, shall be deemed to have been modified to the above extent. Necessary amendments to the above rules shall be issued in due course.

BY ORDER OF GOVERNOR

(U.N. Behera)
Addl. Chief Secretary (Finance)
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