

**AMENDMENT TO THE “SPECIAL RULES FOR THE POSTS OF
DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PROSECUTION AND SENIOR ASSISTANT
PUBLIC PROSECUTOR, ASSISTANT PUBLIC PROSECUTOR GRADE I
AND ASSISTANT PUBLIC PROSECUTOR GRADE II, 1996”**

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Kerala Public Services Act, 1968 (19 of 68) the Government of Kerala hereby make the following amendment to the Special Rules for the posts of Deputy Director of Prosecution and Senior Assistant Public Prosecutor, Assistant Public Prosecutor Grade-I and Assistant Public Prosecutor Grade-II, 1996.

1. After Rule 3, the following Rule may be added as Rule 3A.

“3A. *Procedure for Direct recruitment of Assistant Public Prosecutor Grade-II.*—(1) Appointment of Assistant Public Prosecutors Grade II shall be made from a rank list prepared by a Committee consisting of the Judge of the High Court in administrative charge of the District concerned and the Sessions Judge of that District on the basis of the result of a viva voce test, conducted by the above Committee. On conclusion of the viva voce test, the Committee shall prepare a rank list of the candidates on the basis of the marks secured by them in the test.

(2) Rank list so prepared shall be forwarded to the Government.

(3) The Government may make appointment taking note of the ranking given by the Committee and applying the principle of reservation as mentioned in rule 5 of the rules.”

2. After rule 12; the following new rule may be added as Rule 12 A:—

“12 A. *In-service Training.*—Directorate of Training functioning in the High Court for imparting training to the subordinate judicial officers shall in consultation with the Chief Justice and the Judge in charge of the Directorate, conduct in-service training at least once in two years to Public Prosecutors of Grade-I & II on the following subjects, among others, found necessary.

- A. Human Rights as enumerated in the Constitution of India Part III, IV, and IV A.
- B. The essentials of Civil Justice System substantive and procedural.
- C. The anatomy of Criminal Justice administration in India.
- D. The Basic Structure of the Constitution.
- E. The jurisdiction and jurisprudence of the Indian judiciary.

F. The Executive and the Legislature—their inter-relationship—Role and powers of the judiciary—their limitations vis-a-vis the legislature.”