

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

Estt – APAS –Sri K.T. Srinivasa Reddy, Agricultural Officer working under the control of ADA (SC), Markapur, Prakasam District – Not passed the Departmental Test of Accounts Test for Subordinate Officers Part- I during the period of probation – Change in the date of commencement of probation under Rule 16(h) of A.P. State and Subordinate Service Rules, 1996 and declaration of probation – Orders – Issued.  
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AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION (AGRI. I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 735

Dated: 12-10-2018  
Read:-

From the Special Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur Letter  
No. AII(2)843/2018, Dt.29.08.2018.

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O R D E R:-

In the letter read above, the Special Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur has submitted a proposal for revision of original date of placing on probation in respect of Sri K.T. Srinivasa Reddy, Agricultural Officer working under the control of ADA (SC), Markapur, Prakasam District, who has passed the tests belatedly i.e. not during the probation period as the Government are alone competent for extension and declaration of probation under Rule 16(h).

2. He has also submitted that in G.O.Ms.No.436, G.A. (Ser.D) Department, Dt.15.10.1996, the Government have requested to send the proposals for extension of probation and declaration of probation under rule 24© and 16(h) in respect of A.Os., who have belatedly passed the prescribed tests. The above rules say that "a probationer who does not pass the prescribed tests or acquire the prescribed special qualifications within the period of probation or within the extended period of probation under rule 17 and whose probation is further extended by the Government by an order under Rule -31, till the date of his passing such tests or acquiring such qualifications, shall be deemed to have commenced the probation with effect from the date to be fixed by the Government, which would be anterior to a date to his /her passing such tests or acquiring such special qualifications, however, that the interval between the two dates shall be equivalent to the prescribed period of probation, whether on duty or otherwise and seniority of such probationer shall be determined with reference to the date so fixed'. The Director of Agriculture has, therefore, requested to issue orders for extension and declaration of probation of the individual.

3. Government have examined the matter and observed that in the instant case, Sri K.T. Srinivasa Reddy has joined in the Department as Agricultural Officer and reported on 13.10.1993 F.N., and placed on probation with effect from 15.11.1993 F.N., in the category of Agricultural Officer. But, the individual has not passed the Departmental Tests within the period of probation. Hence, the date of commencement of probation of the individual has to be changed as per the penal provision contained in Rule 16(h) of A.P. State & Subordinate Service Rules, 1996 and the date of commencement of probation is to be re-fixed taking into consideration the date of passing Departmental Test.

4. Accordingly, under Rule 16(h) of A.P. State & Subordinate Service Rules, 1996, Government hereby change and re-fix the date of commencement of probation in respect of Sri K.T. Srinivasa Reddy, Agricultural Officer working under the control of ADA (SC), Markapur, Prakasam District as 18.04.2013 instead of 15.11.1993 since, he failed to pass the required Departmental Tests within the period of probation and passed the same on 17.04.2015 F.N and accordingly, the probation of the individual is declared with effect from 17.04.2015 F.N.

5. The Special Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur is requested to take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

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

B. RAJSEKHAR  
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To  
The individual through the Special Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur.  
The Special Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur.  
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//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER