

PROCEEDINGS OF THE STATE POLICE CHIEF, KERALA,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM

PRESENT : LOKNATH BEHERA IPS

**Sub: Provisional Seniority list of Armed Police Inspectors as on
31.12. 2016 -Finalized-Orders issued-reg**

**Ref : (1) Order dated 16/09/2014 of the Hon'ble Kerala
Administrative Tribunal in OA 1752/2012 and connected
cases.**

(2) This Office Order No A3/99387/2015 dated 17/11/2016

(3) Notification No. T4/57880/2017 dated 18.04.2017

(4) This Office Order of even No dated 15/07/2017

ORDER NO A7/114184 /2017 DATED 04/11/2017

In the light of the Government direction vide GO(Rt) No 188/12/Home dtd 21.01.2012, the seniority lists in the category of Havildar, APASI, APSI and API were revised and published. The regularization process of the personnel appointed in the Police Department under Sports Quota was carried out as per the Special Rules and as per the suggestions of the High Level Committee constituted for the purpose of regularization of the sports personnel. But, so many Original Applications were filed before the Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal against the said seniority lists by the Sports personnel who were appointed under sports quota in supernumerary posts and the Hon'ble KAT quashed the Government order GO(Rt) 188/2012/Home dated 21.01.2012, which lead to the revision of seniority lists, and dependent proceedings thereto, vide judgments in OA No.797/2012 along with OA-248/2013,OA 342/13, OA 1752/2012, OA-2209/2013,

OA2879/2013, OA-2957/13, TA 5977/2012. In addition to the above, Orders of Hon.ble KAT in OA-3001/2013, OA-949/14, TA-3994/2012 and TA-6407/2012 have also been issued, which are also closely related to seniority disputes.

The point that considered by the Hon'ble Tribunal for decision for the disposal of the Original Applications was " the date with effect from which the sports personnel appointed under sports quota in supernumerary posts will get seniority. whether it is from the date of appointment or from the date the incumbent is subsequently accommodated in a regular vacancy. The Original applications were finally disposed by the Hon. Kerala Administrative Tribunal arriving at a conclusion that such appointees are entitled to get seniority with effect from the date they were appointed in supernumerary posts. The same point was delivered by the Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal in another Order dated 17/09/2014 while disposing the Transfer Applications 6407/2012 filed by Sri. M. Rajan Assistant Commandant and Sri. Roy P Joseph Assistant Commandant and 3994/2012 filed by Sri. P. V. Raju, Assistant Commandant. As such, the entire regularization that had been made before needs to be revised and hence the Department has decided to revise the Seniority lists from the category of Havildar onwards in view of the observations of the Hon'ble Kerala Administrative Tribunal.

Accordingly, revised finalized seniority lists of Havildars and Armed Police Assistant Sub Inspectors and Armed Police Sub Inspectors had been published. In continuation to this a revised