



Finance (PC) Department,  
Fort St. George,  
Chennai - 600 009.

Letter No. 41530 / Pay Cell / 2009—1, dated: 28 --7—2009.

From  
**THIRU K. GNANADESIKAN, I.A.S.,**  
Principal Secretary to Government.

To  
All Secretaries to Government.  
All Departments of Secretariat.  
All Heads of Departments.  
All Collectors/District Judges/Magistrates.  
The Accountant General, Chennai – 9 /18 /35/Madurai.  
All Pay and Accounts Officers,  
All Treasury Officers / All Sub-Treasury Officers,  
The Chairman, Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission, Chennai-2.  
The Registrar, High Court, Chennai–104.  
The Commissioner of all Corporations.

Sir,

Sub : Revised scales of Pay, 2009 – Re-option to come over to the revised scales subsequent to clarification / revision of scales of pay, etc. – Regarding.

Ref : 1. Government Letter No.62264 / PC-I / 98-1, Finance (PC) Department, dated: 07—9—1998.  
2. G.O.Ms.No.234, Finance (Pay Cell) Department, dated: 01—6—2009.  
3. Government Letter No.34124 / PC-I / 2009-1, Finance Department, dated: 26—6—2009.

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I am to invite your attention to the references cited.

2) Representations have been made by certain employees seeking revised option consequent on the issue of clarifications subsequent to issue of the Government Order cited. It has also been represented that employees whose services are regularized with retrospective effect and thereby happen to get enhanced pay in the pre-revised scale and those appointed to Selection Grade / Special Grade with retrospective effect, wish to revise their original option, if they derive benefit consequent on such orders may be permitted to exercise revised option.

3) I am to state that necessary provision has been made in Tamil Nadu Revised Scales of Pay Rules, 2009 under rule -8 regarding exercising of option to come over to the revised scales of pay. However, I am to state that revised option

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exercised by an employee who wish to revise his original option to come over to the revised pay scale on a different date consequent on issue of clarifications by the Government or on revision of scales of pay ordered subsequent to issue of orders regularizing the services with retrospective effect or grant of Selection Grade / Special Grade with retrospective effect may be admitted and the pay revised accordingly.

4) I am also to state that such re-option should be exercised within three months from the date of issue of clarification or orders revising the scales of pay or grant of retrospective regularization of services or grant of Selection Grade / Special Grade with retrospective effect, as the case may be.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jaidhar", with a horizontal line underneath it.

for Principal Secretary to Government.