



**Government of Kerala**  
**Abstract**

General Education – Qualification to the post of High School Assistant (Natural Science) - modified - Orders issued.

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**General Education (J) Department**

GO(MS)No.113/14/GEdn

Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 19.6.2014.

- Read :-
- 1) GO(Ms)No. 76/80/G Edn dated 6.6.1980.
  - 2) Letter No. Program1/401/2013/SCERT dated 31.10.2013 from the Director, SCERT
  - 3) Letter No.AII(1) 1928/14/GW dated 20.3.2014 from the Secretary, Kerala Public Service Commission.

**ORDER**

As per Rule 2(2)(a) Chapter XXXI KER, the qualification prescribed for the post of High School Assistant (Subjects) is a degree in the concerned subject and B.Ed/ BT/LT conferred or recognized by the Universities in Kerala. As per G.O. read above, Government have unified the qualification for the teachers in Government and Aided Schools.

Representations have been received in Government requesting to include BSc(Biotechnology) as one of the qualification for the post of High School Assistant (Natural Science). The Secretary, Kerala Public Service Commission has requested to amend the qualification for High School Assistant (Natural Science) by incorporating BSc(Biotechnology) as one of the qualifications, if Government decide so as per the letter read as 3<sup>rd</sup> paper above. The Curriculum Committee of SCERT has also agreed to include Bsc(Biotechnology) course conducted by Universities of Kerala as one of the qualifications for the post of HSA(Natural Science).

Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to include BSc(Biotechnology) along with BEd (Natural Science) as one of the qualifications for the post of High School Assistant (Natural Science).

The GO read above stands amended accordingly. The Director of Public Instruction will forward the necessary amendment proposal for amending KER and formal amendment in KER will be issued separately.

(By Order of the Governor)

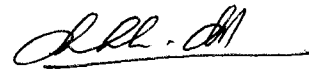
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