



DISTRICT COURT, KASARAGOD

Ref A1-No. 9463/2022

Dated: 17.07.2025

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM

Sub: - Re fixation of strength of Kannada Clerk in the linguistic minority areas in the District Judiciary – reg.

- Ref:-
1. O.M No. D8-113418/2022/DII-4 dated 04.06.2025 of the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala
 2. Proceedings No. D8-113418/2022/DII-9 dated 05.07.2025 of the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala
 3. OM No. D8-113418/2022/DII-9(2) dated 05.07.2025 of the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala
 4. Report submitted by B1, B3, F2, CN, A6, B5, F3, B7, A3, B6, F4, F5 & B4 Sections of this Court.
 5. Letter dated 17.06.2025 of the Judge, Family Court, Kasaragod
 6. Letter dated 12.06.2025 of the Motor Accidents Claims Tribunal Kasaragod
 7. Letter dated 18.06.2025 of the Special Judge, Fast Track Special Court, Kasaragod
 8. Letter dated 11.06.2025 of the Civil Judge (Senior Division), Kasaragod
 9. Letter dated 12.06.2025 of the Civil Judge (Senior Division), Hosdurg
 10. Letter dated 18.06.2025 of the Civil Judge (Junior Division), Kasaragod.
 11. Letter dated 10.06.2025 of the Civil Judge (Junior Division), Hosdurg.
 12. O.M. No. A1-9224/2025 dated 19.06.2025 of this Court.
 13. Letter dated 25.06.2025 of the Judge, Family Court, Kasaragod
 14. Letter dated 26.06.2025 of the Addl. District & Sessions Judge -I, Kasaragod
 15. Letter dated 20.06.2025 of the Motor Accidents Claims Tribunal Kasaragod
 16. Letter dated 25.06.2025 of the Civil Judge(Senior Division), Kasaragod
 17. Letter dated 25.06.2025 of the Civil Judge(Senior Division), Hosdurg

18. Letter dated 24.06.2025 of the Civil Judge (Junior Division),
Kasaragod

19. Letter No. A1 - 9224/2025 dated 27.06.2025 of this Court.

As per the reference cited above, the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala has directed to report the current strength of Kannada Clerks in each court, provide Court-wise details of Kannada applications received from 01.01.2024 to date, and to assess the requirement for these posts in linguistic minority areas as per Paragraph 7 of G.O. (Rt) No.169/2025/GAD dated 15.01.2025.

Accordingly, this Court requested reports from all Civil Courts in the district. The reports have been received in this Office (referenced 4 to 11 above). As of 01.04.2025, no applications in Kannada have been submitted, and only 10 summonses/notices/other applications in Kannada have been recorded.

Subsequently, as per reference cited 12th above, this Court requested reports from the Presiding Officers on the work done by the LD Clerks (proficient in Kannada and Malayalam) for the period from 01.04.2025 to 19.06.2025. In response (references 13 to 18), the Presiding Officers submitted their reports. Based on these, this Court furnished the required details and remarks to the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala, as per reference 19 above.

The Hon'ble High Court of Kerala as per reference cited 2nd above has informed this Court that the strength of Kannada/Tamil Clerk (Civil Unit) in the Civil wing of following Judicial districts is re fixed as follows:

Kasaragod (Civil Unit)

District Court, Kasaragod -2

Family Court, Kasaragod -1

MACT, Kasaragod -1

Sub Court, Kasaragod -1

Munsiff's Court, Kasaragod-1

Total - 6

The Hon'ble High Court of Kerala, further as per reference cited 3rd above has informed that, 4 existing/ next arising vacancies in the post of Kannada Clerk (Civil Unit) in the Civil Wing of Kasaragod Judicial District may be reserved to Clerk (Civil Unit) and to address the Kerala Public Service Commission to advise the Clerks in those vacancies, for implementation of strength re-fixation.

Therefore, the undermentioned Judicial Officers are informed that the cadre strength of Kannada & Malayalam knowing Clerks in this Civil Judicial District is reduced from 10 to 6, and the remaining 4 posts will be converted to Clerk (Civil Unit); the conversion will be effected by a separate proceedings.

Sd/-

DISTRICT JUDGE

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