

Government of Orissa  
Agriculture Department

NOTIFICATION

No. NGE(S)-16/2000 15557 /AG., Dated, the 6/6/2000

The Governor of Orissa is pleased to make the following rules further to amend the Recruitment and Training of Village Agricultural Workers Rules, 1981 namely :-

1. (1) These rules may be called the Recruitment and Training of Village Agricultural Workers (Amendment) Rules, 2000.
- (2) They shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Orissa Gazette.

2. In the Recruitment and Training of Village Agricultural Workers Rules 1981 (here-in-after referred to as the said rules) for rule 18 the following rule shall be substituted, namely:-

- "18. (a) Minimum 80% attendance is required to appear in the Semester Examination independently.
- (b) Exception to a limit of 65% will be considered in case of personal illness subject to submission of medical certificate by the Medical Board.
- (c) In case a candidate does not fulfil the above criteria he/she will be debarred from appearing the concerned Semester Examination, unless one clears first semester he/she will not be allowed to join the course for second Semester. In such a case when the candidate does not fulfil the criteria and is not allowed to appear at the examination Semester/final) he/she will be liable to pay a sum of Rs. 1000/- (Rupees one thousand) per month for the duration of the course as penalty.
- (d) The candidate debarred from appearing any Semester Examination, will be given one more chance to take admission in the next academic session only."

3. In the said rules, for the rule 21 the following rule shall be substituted, namely:-

- " 21. (a) The minimum pass mark for all theory and practical examination will be 50 per cent on each.
- (b) If the candidate scores the required aggregate marks, but he/she fails to clear in any one of the subject either practical or theory, he/she will be permitted to appear in the next academic session of the same Semester for the paper only.

(c) No candidate will be given more than one chance and if he/she fails to clear the examination in the second chance, his/her service will be terminated".

4. In the said rules, the words "Third Division -Less than 50 percent but 40 percent and above" appearing under clause (a) of rule-22 shall be deleted.

By Order of the Governor

S. Nayak

Addl. Secretary to Government.

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