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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Co-operation (B) Department

NOTIFICATION

G. O. (P) No. 24/2013/Co-op. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 13th February, 2013.

**S. R. O. No. 116/2013.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 109 of the Kerala Co-operative Societies Act, 1969 (21 of 1969), the Government of Kerala hereby make the following rules further to amend the Kerala Co-operative Societies Rules, 1969, the same having been previously published under Notification No. 10692/B1/2012/Co-op. dated 15th October, 2012 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No. 929 dated 17th October, 2012, as required by sub-section (1) of section 109 of the said Act, namely:—

### RULES

1. *Short title and commencement.*—(1) These rules may be called the Kerala Co-operative Societies (Second Amendment) Rules, 2013.

(2) They shall come into force at once.

2. *Amendment of the rules.*—In the Kerala Co-operative Societies Rules, 1969, in rule 44, in the Explanation, the following numbers and entries against them shall be omitted, namely:—

- “14. Step-son
15. Step-daughter
16. Wife’s brother
17. Wife’s sister
18. Husband’s brother
19. Husband’s sister”.

By order of the Governor,

DR. V. M. GOPALAMENON,  
*Secretary to Government.*

#### **Explanatory Note**

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

As per clause (b) of sub-rule (1) of Rule 44 of the Kerala Co-operative Societies Rules, 1969 no member of the society shall be eligible for being elected or appointed as a member of the committee of the society under section 28 of the Kerala Co-operative Societies Act, 1969, if he is a near relative of a paid employee of the society. In the explanation to the said rule near relatives have been specified. Government have received requests from various quarters for amendment to modify the relatives mentioned in the said explanation. Government have therefore decided to amend the explanation to the said rules by omitting serial Nos. 14 to 19.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.