

Government of India/Bharat Sarkar
Ministry of Railways/Rail Mantralaya
(Railway Board)

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New Delhi, dt. 4-5-2001.

The General Manager (P)
All Indian Railways etc.
(As per Standard Mailing List).


Sub: Regulation of TA/DA as on tour to Railway
Officials for attending Meeting of non-
governmental organizations.

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A clarification had been sought from the Ministry of Finance on the subject of regulation of TA/DA paid by Private Institutions. It is clarified that TA/DA in respect of Government officers who attend meetings of non-governmental organizations, which does not receive any financial assistance from the Central Government or in which Central Government Funds are not invested, should be regulated in terms of Ministry of Finance O.M. No.7(1)-E.II (B)/71 dated 16.4.71 and 17.4.72. A copy of these orders is sent herewith for information/guidance/necessary action.

2. Please acknowledge receipt.
3. Hindi version is enclosed.

DA/As above.


(D.D. Kapoor)
Joint Director Finance (Estt.)
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B. PRIVATE COMPANIES

A question has been raised whether a Government servant appointed in his official capacity as Director, etc., in connection with the affairs of a private company, which does not receive any financial assistance from the Central Government or in which Central Government Funds are not invested, can receive and retain fee for attending meetings, etc., of the Board of Directors of the Company. It is clarified that, even in such cases, the intention is that such a Government servant shall draw only travelling allowance under the rules applicable to him and from the source from which he draws his pay and he should credit to Government whatever fees, travelling allowance or their remuneration which may be received by him from such bodies under their rules and regulations. Such credits will be treated as the revenue of the Department concerned.

It has been decided that the amount in respect of travelling allowance received from the private company whether during the same financial year or subsequently, shall be adjusted as recovery under the minor head "Deduct-Amounts recovered from other Governments, Departments, etc.", under the same Major Head under which the travelling allowance, initially borne by the Government was adjusted.

In cases in which Government officers already on foreign service are required to work in some capacity for a third party and receive fees from that party, such fees less the amount of expenditure incurred on them by the foreign employer by way of travelling allowance (which should be reimbursed to the foreign employer) should be credited to Government.

[G.I., M.F., O.M. No. 7 (1)-E. 11 (B)/71, dated the 16th April, 1971 and the 17th April, 1972.]