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G.O. NO. 3760 Edn.,

Dated 8-12-1949.

[Despatch Abstract.]

National Cadet Corps-Senior Division-1st Madras Infantry Battalion-
Fixation of wages for the sweeper-Orders passed.

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From: The Officer Commanding,
First Madras Battalion,
National Cadet Corps,
Fort St. George, Madras.

To : The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health,
Government of Madras,
Madras.

Subject: ALLOWANCES : SWEEPER

No. 85/95
H.Q., 1st. Madras Bn. N.C.C.,
Fort St. George, Madras.
7 Nov '49.

Sir,

The Accountant General, Madras, has pointed out that the
sweeper employed in this office is not eligible to draw
House Rent Allowance, hence this allowance was not drawn for
September and October '49.

I am to state that the sweeper has been drawing this allowance
from the date of formation of this unit viz. 15.7.48 and
request that sanction may kindly be accorded since the sweeper
is employed on whole time basis.

Yours faithfully,

C. Joshi
Major.



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NATIONAL CADET CORPS - Senior Division - 1st Madras Infantry Battalion - Payment of house rent allowance to sweeper.

From the Officer Commanding, 1st Madras Infantry Battalion N.C.C., No. 85/95 dated the 7th November 1949.

MEMO NO. 86514-BI/49-1 E.S. 9/11/49

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The attention of the Officer Commanding the 1st Madras Infantry Battalion of the National Cadet Corps, is invited to Government Memo No.1886-BI/49-2 Education, dated the 20th January 1949 and Memo No. 10167-BI/49-1 Education, dated the 12th February 1949 and he is informed that the sweeper employed in his office should have been paid wages ^(from 3.12.48) at the market rates, namely, ^{wages,} Rs.15/- ~~and~~ plus a dearness allowance of Rs.18/- per mensem. The Officer

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Commanding is requested to ^{say} explain why the sweeper was paid house rent allowance ^(in addition to the wages referred to above) and to report the total amount paid in excess to her upto and inclusive of the month of August 1949.

To ^{repld BRH 12.11}
The OC, 1st Madras
Infantry Battalion,
N.C.C., ~~E.S.G.~~
Fort St. George.

From: The Officer Commanding,
First Madras Battalion,
National Cadet Corps,
Fort St. George, Madras.

To : The Secretary,
Education and Public Health,
Government of Madras,
Madras.



Subject:- PAYMENT OF HOUSE RENT ALLOWANCE TO SWEEPER
Ref :- Your letter No. 86514-B1/48-1 Pdn. dated 9.11.49.

No. 85/98
H.Q., 1st. Madras Bn. N.C.C.,
Fort St. George, Madras.
24 Nov '49.

Sir,

The sweeper was paid House Rent Allowance at Rs 5/- p.m. ever since the inception of the unit in addition to Pay and Dearness Allowance. The total amount of House Rent Allowance paid so far is as follows :-

15 to 31/7/48	Rs 2 - 12 - 0	Excess paid Rs 3-12-14 (to 1.1.49 Rs. 4 1/2) Rs 1-1-14 to 31.8.49 } - 140 44 1/2
8/48 to 12/48 (5 months)	Rs 25 - 0 - 0	
1/49 to 8/49 (8 months)	Rs 40 - 0 - 0	
Total	Rs 67 - 12 - 0	

She is employed as a whole time servant as she is doing scavenging in addition to sweeping the office, stores and Armoury.

Yours faithfully,

C. D. Rajeswaran

Capt. N.C.C.
for Comd., 1st. Madras Bn. N.C.C.
(C.D. RAJESWARAN)

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$\frac{5}{31} \times 28 = \frac{140}{31}$
 $\frac{140}{31} = 4 \frac{1}{2}$

$5 \times 8 = 40$
 $40 \times \frac{1}{2} = 20$



EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT (BI)
NATIONAL CADET CORPS - Senior Division - 1st Madras
Infantry Battalion - Fixation of wages for the sweeper -
Orders passed.

From the Officer Commanding the 1st Madras Infantry Battalion,
N.C.C., No. 85/95 dated the 7th November 1949.

From the Officer Commanding, 1st Madras Infantry Battalion,
N.C.C., No. 85/98 dated the 22nd November 1949.

ORDER MS. NO. 3760 EDUCATION, dated 8.12.1949.

The Officer Commanding the 1st Madras Infantry
Battalion of the National Cadet Corps is informed that the
sweeper employed in his office should not be paid the house
rent allowance of Rs.5/- per mensem, as she is a menial paid
from contingencies according to the market rates ^{fixed by the} ~~which~~
^{Revenue authorities} ~~are all told~~ and ~~no~~ ^{such} compensatory allowance is admissible
to ~~the~~ ^(the sweeper) menials. The O.C. is requested to employ a sweeper

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or continue to same employee
 sum scavenger at the market rate in consultation with the
 local Revenue authorities. ~~to attend to his sweeping work~~

2. The Government sanction, as a special case,
 the waiver of the excess amount of Rs.44--8--0 (Rupees forty
 four and annas eight) paid to the sweeper at the rate of
 Rs.5/- per mensem ~~pro~~ for the period from 3rd December 1948
 to 31st August 1949.

To
 The OC, Ist Madras
 Inf. Bn, N.C. F.S.G.
 The AG through in.
 The D.P.I.
 Two S.Cs.

E+PH (B1) Dept.

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N.C.C. Senior Division - Ist Madras Infantry
 Battalion - Payment of house rent allowance to the
 sweeper.

From the G.C. Ist Madras Infantry Battalion, N.C.,
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(A) 17-18/49
 That the sweeper employed in the C.P. on pages
 1-4 may be provided with a house rent allowance. In the
 G.O. of 12.2.49, the Officer Commanding the Ist Madras
 Infantry Battalion gave a national cadet corps letter
 informing that the sweeper employed in this office
 should be paid wages at the market rate from
 3.12.1948 to the date he was paid for the period from 15.7.48

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 G.O. no. 1942 G.O. of 5.8.48. The market rate
 for the female sweeper was Rs. 15 plus

(A) 12-14/49
 The Officer Commanding has claimed and paid the
 sweeper a house rent allowance of Rs. 5/- p.m.
 The excess paid from 3.12.48 to 31.8.49 works
 out to Rs. 44-8-0. The G.C. has reported that
 the sweeper in addition sweeping is doing the
 scavenging work also and she is employed as a
 whole time servant. If a separate scavenger is
 employed for the office of the G.C., he will have

the allowance of Rs.5/- also be continued.
 28/11/49
 A.
 In the circumstances, it is for consideration whether
 the amount paid as house rent allowance may be added
 to be treated as an allowance for daily scavenging work
 instead of wages through out as house rent allowance
 for sweeping.

2. The remarks of the Finance Department may be invited u.o.

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E & P.H. propose

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- (1) to ratify the action of the payment of house rent allowance ~~in the case~~ to the sweeper in the Infantry Battalion of the National Cadet Corps, and
- (2) to continue the payment of the allowance to the sweeper as allowance for the extra scavenging duties involved.

2 Normally menials paid from contingencies are employed at market rates and the payment of separate compensatory allowance to this class of employees was not recommended by the Salaries Committee of 1946. In practice, their wages which are "all-told" are ascertained by reference to the Revenue officials of the district.

3 In this case the sweeper, which post is classed as a menial paid from contingencies, was paid in addition to Rs. 33/- (pay and dearness allowance at scheduled rates) a house allowance of Rs. 5/- This is in excess and the amount overpaid from 3-12-48 to 31-8-49 is Rs. 44-8-0. As the sweeper is a low paid labourer the recovery of the amount may be a hardship, and as E & P.H. consider that it does not seem possible to recover the excess, this Department may agree to the waiver as a special case.

4 As regards the continuance of the allowance on the ground that it may be treated as an allowance for doing 'scavenging' duties, it may be observed that the change in

terminology is not desirable. This would amount to the ~~payment~~ ^{diversion} of allowance towards the payment of house rent ~~allowance~~ ^{allowance} for the ~~scavenging~~ ^{scavenging} duties. This is not permissible.

~~It is suggested that the sweeper cum scavenger may be employed on the market rates for the purpose and the employer's pay may be fixed~~
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in consultation with local Revenue authorities, and this Department may advise against the payment of a new allowance.

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The notes of the Finance Department on pp 2-3 above may be perused. They have agreed ^{to the proposal} with the ~~Finance~~ ^{Finance} Dept. that the excess amount ^{of Rs. 44-8-0} paid to the sweeper in the office of the Madras Battalion for the period from 3-12-48 to 31-8-49 by way of payment of a house rent allowance of Rs. 5/- p.m. ~~may be~~ ^{may be} waived as a special case, but they do not ^{however} agree to the continuance of that allowance. They suggest that a sweeper cum scavenger may be employed at the market rate in consultation with local Rev. authorities. ~~For orders whether their suggestion may be accepted.~~ The suggestion of Finance seems acceptable for orders. Whether the OC or Madras Bn rec may be informed accordingly. Yes A draft may be put up.

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The draft order below is for approval.

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