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Pensions, Gratuities, &c.

Read the following paper:—

No. 207. *From R. B. CHAPMAN, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Fort William, 14th March 1878, Circular No. 1803.*

Pensions, Gratuities, &c.

There being reason to suppose that a misapprehension exists as to the principles upon which the pension and leave contributions of officers whose services are transferred to Native States or bodies financially independent of the Government of India are calculated, I am directed to request that particular attention may be paid to the rules on the subject laid down in Chapter VII of the Civil Pension Code. I am especially to point out that the salary of any officer whose services are lent to a Native State or a body financially independent of the Government of India should be fixed at a gross amount, which will include (1) the contribution payable on account of leave and pension or gratuity, or (2) in the cases of native officers who resign, all claims to allowances from the British Government during leave, and also of inferior servants, the contribution for pension or gratuity only.

In most instances the officers transferred desire that their absentee and pensionary allowances should be calculated on the pay which they received from the British Government before transfer. The following illustrations are given as to the manner in which the gross pay under the Native State or a body financially independent of the Government of India should in such cases be fixed:—

- (1.)—An officer on being transferred to service under a Native State, &c., wishes to retain his claims to absentee and pensionary allowances from Government. His pay under the British Government is Rupees 1,000, and if it is desired that his absentee and pensionary allowances should be calculated on this pay, his gross pay receivable from the Native State, &c., should be fixed at Rupees 1,250, so that a deduction from this of the contribution of one-fifth will leave him a net pay of Rupees 1,000.
- (2.)—An officer who is a native of India, on being transferred to service under a Native State, &c., resigns all claims to allowances from the British Government during leave, and desires to contribute for pension and gratuity only. His pay under the British Government is Rs. 1,000, and if he wishes that his pension or gratuity should be calculated upon this pay, his gross pay receivable from the Native State, &c., should be fixed at Rupees 1,136-5-9, so that a deduction of twelve per cent. will leave him a net pay of Rupees 1,000.
- (3.)—An inferior servant whose pay under the British Government is Rs. 10 desires that, on transfer to a Native State, &c., his pension or gratuity should be calculated on this pay. His gross pay under the Native State, &c., should be fixed at Rupees 10-10-8, so that a deduction of one anna in the rupee, or $6\frac{1}{4}$ per cent., will leave him a net pay of Rupees 10.

I am further to point out that the Government will not ordinarily enter into any direct arrangements with any Native State or body financially independent of the Government of India to which an officer may be lent, or make any direct demands upon it. The officer himself, and not the Native State, &c., is solely responsible for the payment of the contribution.

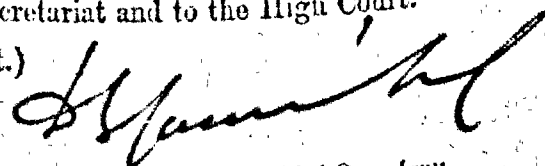
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(Signed) E. J. SINKINSON,
Offg. Under Secy. to Govt. of India.

No. 208. ORDER THEREON, 27th March 1878, No. 588.

Communicated to the departments of the Secretariat and to the High Court.

(Tr. Extract.)


Chief Secretary.

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" Military Department.
" Public Works Department.
" Honorable the Judges of the High Court.
To all Departments under the Chief Secretary.

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pension and leave contributions of officers whose
services are transferred to Native States, &c.

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