

Public Works (1899) Department.

G.O., No. 1736 W

DATED 7th July 1899.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Privilege leave to an officer drawing less than Rs 100:

Pres: Fint: Dep'tt, pointing out that the decision of the Govt of India that an officer in superior service drawing less than Rs 100 may be granted privilege leave involves payment of extra expense to the State when the leave does not exceed one month, but that when this limit is exceeded the whole of the leave, including the first month, must be without extra expense to the State, Command of officers of the P.W. Dep'tt. in continuation of G.O. 2254 W of 1st September 1898

FURTHER PAPERS.

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G.O., No. 672, 8th June 1899.

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in H. H.
En H. H.

Privilege leave to an officer drawing less than Rs. 100.

Referring the Board of Revenue to certain correspondence containing the decision of the Government of India that an officer in superior service drawing less than Rs. 100 may be granted privilege leave irrespective of extra expense to the State when the leave does not exceed one month, but that when this limit is exceeded the whole of the leave, including the first month, must be without extra expense to the State.

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Order—No. 276, Financial, dated 3rd April 1890.

Communicated to the Public Works Department and the Accountant-General in continuation of G.O., No. 138, dated 26th February last.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Public Works Department.
" Accountant-General.

READ—also the following paper:—

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), Mis. No. 1843, dated 28th April 1899.

Resolution—Mis. No. 1843, dated 28th April 1899.

The Board requests the orders of Government on the question of the correct interpretation to be placed upon the note to Article 162 (1) of the Civil Service Regulations in connection with the following case:—

A clerk of the Kuttanguli Circle on Rs. 20 was first granted privilege leave for one month and an outsider who held no substantive post was appointed as a substitute in his place at Government expense under Article 294 (i) of the Civil Service Regulations. The clerk was subsequently granted an extension of privilege leave for seven days but without allowances so that no extra cost might be imposed on the State under the note to Article 162 (1) of the Civil Service Regulations which lays down that an officer drawing less than Rs. 100 a month may be granted one month's privilege leave as an annual holiday irrespective of the expense to Government, but that if such an officer desires to take privilege leave for more than one month the grant of the leave must be subject to the condition that no extra expense is thereby imposed on the State. The point for consideration is whether the absentee should be made to pay the substitute for the whole period of one month and seven days or for seven days only. The Accountant-General is of opinion that the privilege leave granted being for more than one month the extra expenditure for the whole period should be defrayed by the absentee—*vide* copy of his telephone message attached. The Board agrees that if the officer had applied for more than one month's privilege leave in the first instance he could not have enjoyed full pay. But he asked for only a month's leave and so much was granted originally. The conditions of the note to Article 162 (1) of the Civil Service Regulations appear to the Board to have been fulfilled by making him pay the substitute for seven days only; by which course Government is put to no more expense than it is prepared to undergo.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. TODHUNTER,
Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
through the Accountant-General.

ENCLOSURE.

Copy of telephone message from the Accountant-General, dated 14th April 1899.

"Your message of yesterday. The privilege leave being for more than one month, the extra expenditure for the whole period should be defrayed by the absentee."

No. T. 21-Salt 1160.

Forwarded. The attention of Government is invited to the letter from the Government of India communicated in G.O., No. 276, Financial, dated 3rd April 1890, which directs that an officer in superior service drawing less than Rs. 100 may be granted privilege leave irrespective of extra expense to the State when the leave does not exceed one month, but that when this limit is exceeded the whole of the leave (including the first month) must be without extra expense to the State.

(Signed) W. H. DAWSON,
Offg. Accountant-General.

5th May 1899.

Endt. Mis. No. 1761, Revenue.

Transferred to the Financial Department.

OOTACAMUND,
15th May 1899.

(Signed) G. S. FORBES,
Secretary to Government.

ORDER—No. 672, Financial, dated 8th June 1899.

The Board of Revenue will be referred to the correspondence of 1890 printed in the proceedings read again above in which the Government of India decided that an officer in superior service drawing less than Rs. 100 may be granted privilege leave irrespective of extra expense to the State when the leave does not exceed one month, but that when this limit is exceeded the whole of the leave (including the first month) must be without extra expense to the State.

(True Extract.)

[Signature]
for Chief Secretary.

To the Departments of the Secretariat. (P. W. B.)
" the Board of Revenue.
" all Heads of Departments under the Chief Secretary.
" the Accountant-General.

B 2252 W ay 1-9-98.

A 1106 W ay 14-4-90.

A 672 W ay 3-3-90.

460 C ay 27-1-90.