## Government Memorandum No.32480/M1/66/ PD. dated15-7-1966 of Public (Misc) Department, Trivandrum, Trivandrum to all Heads of Departments and offices etc. etc

Sub;- Payment of telegraph charges in cash- additional facility intimation regarding.

Ref;- Government endorsement on No.61636/ m1/665/ pd dt 14.3.66

A copy of letter No. TFC/8-1/65 DT./20-4.1966 received from the Post master General, Kerala Circle, Trivandrum regarding the opening of credit account system is forwarded to all Heads of Departments and Offices for adoption if found convenient details of the credit account system are also appended.

T V VIJAYAKUMAR Assistant Secretary

Copy of letter No. TFC/ 8-1 65 XDdt.20-4-1966 from the Postmaster General, Indian Posts and Telegraphs Department, Kerala Circle, Trivandrum-1

Sub;- Realization of telegraph charges in cash instead of in service postage stamps.

A copy of Director General, P& T New Delhi letter No.30/5.64/ CI DT.1-4-1966 addressed to this office on the above subject is enclosed.

Necessary instructions may kindly be issued to the Government Departments to agree to the suggestion mentioned in DG's letter.

## Copy of letter referred to above

Reference this office endorsement No.305/5/64-CI dt. 2-2-66 in which the question of realization of telegraph charges in cash instead of service postage stamps was suggested for adoption by the various State Governments/ Ministries of the Govt of India. It is requested there in that Governments and others who are at present, repaying the telegraph charges by service postage stamps should be persuaded to pay the charges in cash by adopting necessary the system of the deposit account system is laid down rule 149 of T. T R 1951. In addition to this facility of the deposit account system, there is also the other facility of opening credit accounts under rule 164 of P&T Volume XI (Parts1 and II ) according to which inland state telegrams from the States or General Government, Government Department can be transmitted without prepayment, the telegraph Charges being recovered later. The State and Central Government Departments may be appraised of this facility also and may be persuaded to adopt this system if required. Simultaneously, the Heads of Circles should also consider the extension of this facility to such combined offices where this is not, at present, available and where the demand might arise in consequence of the abolition of the system of repayment by service postage stamps.

## Details regarding the system of opening 'Credit Accounts'

- 1. A letter of guarantee that payment of the bill in respect of telegraph charges for telegrams booked under credit account system together with the upkeep fee has to be furnished by the Officer-local Head of State Government to the Head of Telegraph Office where this system is desired.
- 2. Telegrams under this system will be accepted in all combined sub offices and Departmental Telegraph Offices on application.
- 3. The charges due on the telegrams booked during the month together with the upkeep fee due, will be billed by the telegraph office on the first week of the following month.
- 4. The upkeep fees is Rs.5/- per account per month irrespective of the number of telegrams booked. The upkeep fee will also be charged even if there is no telegram during the month.
- 5. Payment of the bill will have to be arranged within two weeks of the date of the bill either by cash or cheque in to the same office where the account is operated.

Endt. On E6-25301/66 (F.dis) dt.23-2-1967.

Chief Conservator's Office, Trivandrum.

Endt on HA.4934/67 dt. 26-4-1967.

Copy to E1 section and stock file.

Conservators office, Chalakudy.

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