

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

ABSTRACT

ELECTION – 1962- Bendobust duties-Payment of T.A, D.A, etc. to personnel engaged for bandobust duties- Travel of advances- orders issued.

HOME (A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT NO. 280/Home/62.

Trivandrum, Dated, 14-2-1962.

Read:- From the Inspector General of Police, letter No. EL.4889/68 dated 12-2-1962 and El.7996/62 dated 6-2-1962.

ORDER

In G.O.MS. No.462/Elections dated 16-1-1962 sanction has been accorded inter-alia for the payment of special D.A. to the personnel engaged for election duty for the day of poll and for the days of counting irrespective of whether they are posted for duty within a radius of five miles from their headquarters or not. Government consider that the same concession has to be granted to Police officers and men Forest Guards, Preventive Officers and Excise Guards engaged for law and order duties on the day of poll and the days of counting at the Counting Centres and they order accordingly.

2. Section is also accorded to the drawing officers of the Police Department as specified in the Appendix to this order to draw amounts noted against them under T.A and Contingencies in advance. The following procedure will be observed by the drawing officers of the Excise and Forest Departments for the drawal and adjustment of the advances required by the personnel of those Departments who are detailed, for law and order duty.

The Bill for advance T.A and D.A for election duty will be drawn by the Departmental Officers concerned in T.A Bill forms prepared and presented in duplicate and forwarded to the respective controlling officers, who will scrutinize and pass the bills for payment and forward the same to the Superintendent of Police for countersignature and for noting the Budget allotment. In all cases, care should be taken to see that the advances do not exceed the actual amount admissible under the rules. Both the copies of the advance bill will be sent to the Superintendent of Police for counter-signature and for noting the allotment particulars. The original copy of the bills will be returned by the Superintendent of Police to the concerned officers duly countersigned and the duplicate copy will be retained by the Superintendent of Police. The officers who draw the advances should promptly intimate the date of encashment and the name of the Treasury to the Superintendent of Police as soon as the bills are cashed. The Superintendent of Police will maintain a register for the advances paid towards T.A and D.A and enter the details of the bills in the register for watching the recovery or adjustment of the advances.

3. For the deployment of personnel for law and order duties the departmental may have to engage vehicles on hire. In the circumstances sanction is also accorded to the payment of hire charges for the vehicles engaged by the Police Department at the rates detailed below:-

(1) Buses: Hire Charges (1) Rs. 1.50 (Rupees one and fifty naye paise) per running mile for buses with a seating capacity of 30 persons and below (excluding the Driver and Conductor) and an additional charge of 3 np. (three naye paise) per set in excess of 30 per running mile for buses with a seating capacity of more than 30 persons.

(II) Waiting charges. Rs. 2/- (Rupees two only) per hour or part thereof.

(III) Minimum compensation: The minimum compensation payable for a bus engaged for election work will be Rs. 80/0 (Rupees eighty only) per day irrespective of the distance run.

(2) Lorries Light Lorries (3 tonners). Light lorries will be paid hire charges at Rs. 0.75 nP, (Seventy five naye paise per mile in plains and at Rs. 1/- (Rupees one only) per mile in ghats.

Heavy Lorries (5 tonners and above): Heavy lorries will be paid hire charges of Rs. 1.50 nP. (Rupees one and fifty naye paise) per mile in plains and Rs. 2/- (Rupees two only) per mile in ghats.

Waiting charges:- Rs. 2/- (Rupees two only) per hour or part thereof in excess of one hour free waiting allowance at each end of a trip.

(3) Cars, Vans, Jeeps, etc. Cars, Vans, Jeeps, etc. engaged for election work will be paid hire charge at a flat rate of Rs. 0.37 nP. (Thirty seven naye paise only) per running mile and waiting charges at s. 2/- (Rupees two only) per hour or part thereof where there is sufficient justification for the payment of waiting charges.

(4) Motor Boats, Canoes, Valloms, etc. Hire charges certified as reasonable by the Canal authorities will be paid for motor boats, canoes, valloms, etc. if any, engaged for election work.

(5) Cyclest: Cyles hired for election work will be paid hire charges at twelve naye paise (12 nP.) per hour thereof subject to a maximum hire charge of Rs. 1.25 (Rupees One and twenty five naye paise) per cycle per day.

(6) The rates sanctioned above will be inclusive of all charges like cost of petrol, oil, etc. and pay and batta to crew which will have to be met by the owners of the vehicles themselves. Advances, if any paid and the cost of petrol, oil, etc., if any supplied, for the vehicles at Government expenses will be adjusted and recovered from the compensation due for the vehicles at the rates sanctioned above.

4. Sanction is also accorded to incur the expenditure to the extent specified in the appendix from the respective heads of accounts, under para 77 (f) of the Budget Manual, subject to the condition that the expenditure should be regularized by obtaining a supplementary grant before the end of the current financial year.