

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

WAYS AND MEANS POSITION OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT-ECONOMY ORDERS
PROCEDURE FOR RELAXATION-CLARIFICATION- ORDERS ISSUED

FINANCE (SS) DEPARTMENT

G O.(P) No. 1078/2001/Fin. Dated,Thiruvananthapuram,29th September,2001.

Read;- 1. G.O. (p) No 63/92/Fin. Dated 101-1992.
2. G.O (P) No.2278/99/Fin.dated 17-11-1999

ORDER

In the Government Order as first paper above,it was specified that relaxation of economy orderes can be ordered only with the approval of Minister concerned. Minister (Finance) and the Chief Minister through the Chief Secretar.In the Government Order read as second paper above it was ordered that the authority to relax the measures of economy vests with the Concil Ministers.Every proposal involving relaxation of economy orders are being placed before the Concil of Ministers for clearance even if the annual financial commitment there is very meager. Such proposals referred to Council of Ministers for relaxing the economy orders take up a substantial share of the time that the Council has for transacting normal business.

Government have therefore reviewed the position and are pleased to clarify that proposals involving relaxation of economy orders need be referred to Council of Ministers only if the annual financial involved in the proposal exceeds Rs.2 lakhs in case of non recurring items of expenditure and Rs50000 in case of recurring expenditure All other case below the above limit can be cleared with the approval of Minister concerned and Minister (Finance) through. Chief Secretary.

By order of the Governor,
VINOD RAI,
Principal Secretary (Finance)

To

The Accountant General (A& E) Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Principal Accountant General (Audit),Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
All Heads of Departments and Offices etc. etc.