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No. C/HRA/647(17)-DTA

Dated, the 21st May, 1993

Subject: Admissibility of HRA for staying at Circuit House /Dak Bunglow /Inspection Bunglow.

Admissibility of House Rent Allowance for the Officers who are not provided with a quarter and who compelled to stay at Circuit House/Dak Bunglow, Inspection Bung-low was examined by the Finance Department on similar correspondence received time to time from various corners. Of late, Government has received at a decision after examining all the aspects of the issue.

Decision of the Finance Department on the matter under Gr. 'p' u/o No. 712 dated 6.8.92 is reproduced below:

If the Officer concerned is not provided with a quarter from April, '89 to December, '89, H.R.A. is admissible at the rate of 15% of his pay subject to a maximum of Rs. 275 per month the actual charges paid, whichever is less.

For the period thereafter i.e. from 1.1.90, the same principle is laid down above will apply excepting that the ceiling is raised from Rs. 275 per month to Rs. 800 per month.

The overdrawal amount may be recovered forthwith from the incumbent.

This is for your information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/. G. N. Chatterjee

Director of Treasuries & Accounts, West Bengal.