

GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY

Abstract

Finance Department – Re-delegation of Financial Powers to Secretaries to Government, Special/Additional/Joint/Deputy/Under Secretaries, Heads of Department and Heads of Offices for incurring Contingent Expenditure and Miscellaneous Expenditure under Delegation of Financial Powers Rules, 1978 – Orders – Issued.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

G.O. Ms. No.: 47/F3/2014

Puducherry, dt.09-12-2014

- Read:**
- (1) G.O. Ms.No.59/2003/F3 dt. 11-02-2003
 - (2) G.O. Ms.No.69/2003/F3 dt. 23-04-2003
 - (3) G.O. Ms.No.82/2003/F3 dt. 19.09.2003
 - (4) G.O. Ms.No.98/2004/F3 dt. 12.01.2004
 - (5) G.O. Ms.No.74/2008/F3 dt. 15.12.2008
 - (6) G.O. Ms.No.54/2011/F3 dt. 13.10.2011
 - (7) G.O. Ms. No.39/2012/F3 dt.12.11.2012
 - (8) G.O. Ms. No.48/2012/F3 dt.31.12.2012
 - (9) G.O. Ms. No.58/2013/F3 dt.28.02.2014
 - (10)G.O. Ms. No.06/2014/F3 dt.30.04.2014

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Puducherry.

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ORDER:

The Government has issued Orders re-delegating Financial Powers to Secretaries to Government, Heads of Departments and Heads of Offices in the G.Os read above. These financial powers were delegated in the year 2003 and subsequently amended/modified in the year 2004, 2008, 2011 and 2012 respectively taking into account of the circumstances prevailing then. The Budget allocations to the Departments have increased to a considerable extent over the years. With a view to minimize the procedural delays and to speed up the process of disposing of routine matters, a review of the existing financial powers was undertaken for granting appropriate financial powers to the officers of various levels.

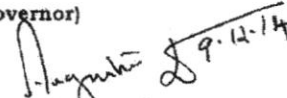
2. The Lieutenant Governor, Puducherry, after the review and in exercise of the powers conferred under sub-rule (3) of Rule 13 of the Delegation of Financial Powers Rules, 1978, has been pleased to re-delegate his financial powers for incurring Contingent Expenditure under Schedule-V and Miscellaneous Expenditure under Schedule-VI of Delegation of Financial Powers Rules, 1978 to Secretaries to Government, Special/Additional/Joint/Deputy/ Under Secretaries, Head of Departments and Heads of Offices to the extent indicated in the Annexure-I, II & III to this Order, in supersession of the G.Os read above.

3. The re-delegation of Financial Powers made under para 2 above, is without prejudice to the special powers delegated/re-delegated to some of the Heads of Departments and Heads of Offices by the Government of India and this Union Territory Government from time to time in respect of matters not included in the Annexure-I, II & III to this Order or above the limits indicated in the said Annexure.

4. The Collectors, Puducherry & Karaikal shall exercise powers, similar to that of the Heads of Departments and to the extent given in Col. No. 4 of the Annexure I in respect of Branch Offices/Institutions situated in the respective regions to which separate funds to the region are allocated in the Budget. However, they shall not exercise the special powers delegated to certain Heads of Departments.

(By Order of the Lieutenant Governor)

To
All Secretaries to Government.
All Secretariat Departments.
All Heads of Department/Offices.


(P. AUGUSTIN LUCIEN DIAGOU)
Under Secretary to Government (Finance)

Copy to:

1. The Director of Accounts & Treasuries, Puducherry.
2. The Dy. Director of Accounts & Treasuries, Karaikal/Mahe/Yanam.
3. The Dy. Accountant General, O/o the AG(Audit)-I, Tamil Nadu & Puducherry.
4. The Central Record Branch, Puducherry.

ANNEXURE - I

(G.O. Ms. No.47/F3/2014 dt. 09/12/2014

RE-DELEGATION OF POWERS OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR TO SECRETARIES TO GOVERNMENT, SPECIAL/ADDITIONAL/JOINT/DEPUTY/UNDER SECRETARIES, HEADS OF DEPARTMENT AND HEADS OF OFFICES FOR INCURRING CONTINGENT EXPENDITURE AND MISCELLANEOUS EXPENDITURE UNDER RULE 13 OF THE DELEGATION OF FINANCIAL POWERS RULES, 1978.

| Sl. No. | Items of Expenditure | Monetary Limit up to which expenditure can be incurred | | | |
|------------|---|---|--|---|---|
| | | Secretary | Special Secretary/ Addl. Secretary/ Joint Secretary/ Deputy Secretary/ Heads of Departments in the GP of Rs. 6,600 & above. | Head of Offices/ Under Secretary in GP of Rs. 4,800 & Rs. 5,400 | Rules, Orders, Restrictions or Scales subject to which the expenditure shall be incurred. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| I. | Powers of incurring contingent expenditure | | | | |
| | (a) Recurring | Rs.3,00,000/- per annum in each case | Rs.30,000/- per annum in each case | Rs. 30,000/- per annum in each case | Subject to the conditions laid down in D.F.P. Rules |
| | (b) Non-recurring | Rs.5,00,000/- in each case | Rs.1,00,000/- in each case | Rs. 50,000/- in each case | Subject to the conditions laid down in D.F.P. Rules |
| II. | Bicycle | | | | --- |
| 1. | (a) Purchase | Full Powers | Full Powers | Full Powers | --- |
| | (b) Repairs | Full Powers | Full Powers | Full Powers | --- |
| 2. | Charges for remittance of Treasure | Nil | Nil | Nil | --- |
| 3. | Conveyance hire | Powers to the extent laid down in Sl. No. 3 of Annexure Schedule-V of D.F.P Rules, 1978 | Powers to the extent laid down in Sl. No. 3 in respect of Non-Gazetted Officers in D.F.P Rules, 1978 | Nil | --- |
| 4. | (i) Electricity, Water Charges, Gas other than LPG | Full Powers | Full Powers | Full Powers | --- |
| | (ii) LPG | Full Powers | Rs. 10,000/- per annum | Rs. 10,000/- per annum | --- |
| 5. | Fixtures and Furniture Purchase and Repairs. | Full Powers | Rs. 60,000/- per annum per office | Rs. 18,000/- per annum per office | --- |
| 6. | Freight and demurrage/wharfage charges. | Full Powers | Full powers | Rs. 1,500/- in each case | --- |
| | (i) Freight charges | | | | |
| | (ii) Demurrage/Wharfage charges | Full Powers | Rs.600/- in each case | Rs. 300/- in each case | --- |
| 7. | Hire of Office furniture, electric fans, heaters coolers, clocks and call bells. | Full Powers | Rs. 15,000/- per annum per office | Rs. 15,000/- per annum per office | Subject to the conditions laid down in Col. 3 against Sl. No. 7 of Annexure to Schedule V of D.F.P. Rule, 1978. |
| 8. | Land | Nil | Nil | Nil | --- |