

R.O.C. No.5146-A/2009/B1

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM

Sub: Courts and Judges – Tamil Nadu State Judicial Service – Hon'ble Thiru. Justice E. Padmanabhan (Rtd.) Committee report submitted before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India – Hon'ble Supreme Court in its order dated 04.05.2010 in I.A.No.244 in W.P.(C).No.1022/1989 directed all the States to implement the Hon'ble Thiru. Justice E. Padmanabhan (Rtd.) Committee recommendations of One Man Committee – in pursuance to the above order revision of scale of pay w.e.f. 01.01.2006 – orders of the Government of Tamil Nadu – communicated – Supreme Court order dated 19.07.2010 – Government issued orders with regard to implementation of various allowances to Judicial Officers – orders communicated – certain instructions – issued – reg.

- Ref: 1. G.O.Ms.No.10 Finance (Pay Cell) Department dated 13.01.2009.  
2. Orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in I.A. No.244 in W.P.(C)No.1022/1989 dated 04.05.2010.  
3. G.O.Ms.No.647 Home (Cts.I) Department dated 19.07.2010.  
4. G.O.Ms.No.648 Home (Cts.I) Department dated 19.07.2010.  
5. High Court's communication in R.O.C.No.5146-A/2009/B1, dated 26.07.2010.  
6. G.O.Ms.No.864 Home (Cts.I) Department dated 05.10.2010.

The attention of the Principal District Judges/District Judges/Chief Metropolitan Magistrate/Chief Judicial Magistrates, is drawn to the High Court's communication issued in the reference 5<sup>th</sup> cited.

It has been brought to the notice of the Hon'ble High Court that consequent of Transfers of Civil Judges (Junior Division) and promotion to the cadre of Civil Judge (Senior Division) during the period from 01.01.2006 to till date, certain practical difficulties are being experienced by the Unit Heads viz., Principal District Judges / District Judges / Chief Judicial Magistrates / Chief Metropolitan Magistrates as the case may be, in re-fixing the pay of the Judicial Officers functioning / functioned in their respective unit as per the revision of scale of pay enunciated in the G.Os. cited and causing inordinate delay in implementing the directions of the Hon'ble High Court in this regard.

To avoid such practical difficulties causing inordinate delay in implementing the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India and the Hon'ble High Court and to expedite the effective implementation of revision of pay to the Judicial Officers, the following instructions are issued for strict compliance.

All the concerned Principal District Judges/District Judges/Chief Metropolitan Magistrate/Chief Judicial Magistrates are hereby directed.

- (1) All the Principal District Judges/District Judges/Chief Judicial Magistrates / Chief Metropolitan Magistrate as the case may be, are also directed to obtain the pay drawn particulars and non-drawal certificates in respect of all Civil Judge (Junior Division) presently functioning in their respective unit(s) from



the concerned previous stations wherein the concerned Civil Judges (Junior Division) had served during the relevant period(s) and take necessary immediate steps to re-fix their pay in accordance with the revised scale of pay and to draw the arrears of pay and allowances, if any, and disburse to them early. They are also directed to make necessary entries in the Service Registers of the Civil Judges (Junior Division) concerned, without fail.

- (II) to take necessary steps to re-fix the pay and to sanction subsequent increments till their next promotion, if any, in respect of the Judicial Officers in the cadre of Civil Judge (Junior Division) who functioned in the District/Unit before their promotion as Sub Judge, in the revised scales of pay as per the revised G.O., in the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> cited and to draw the consequential arrears of pay and allowances, if any, in that cadre viz., Civil Judge (Junior Division) and disburse to the concerned Judicial Officers early. The updated Service Register of the concerned Judicial Officers including a copy of proceedings re-fixing their scale of pay and the revised Last Pay Certificate(s) may be forwarded to the Accountant-General (A&E), Chennai / the Pay and Accounts Officer, Pay and Accounts Office, High Court Buildings, Chennai-600 104/ Madurai-625 001, as the case may be, for consequential fixation of pay in cadre of Civil Judge (Senior Division) at their end, under intimation to the individual officer(s) and to the Registry, without fail.

(III) to take necessary further steps to re-fix the pay and to sanction subsequent increments till their retirement, if any, in respect of Judicial Officers in the cadre of Civil Judges (Junior Division) who have functioned lastly as Civil Judge (Junior Division) in their respective District/Units and since retired as Civil Judge (Junior Division), in the revised scales of pay as per the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> cited and to draw the consequential arrears of pay and allowances, if any, and disburse to them early. They are also directed to take all further action to notify the revision of scales of pay of such officers to the Accountant-General (A&E), Chennai, for effecting revision of pensionary benefits, under intimation to the concerned officer(s) and to this Registry.

(IV) All the Principal District Judges/District Judges/Chief Judicial Magistrates / Chief Metropolitan Magistrate as the case may be, are directed to deduct the interim arrears already paid as per the reference 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> cited.

The concerned Principal District Judges / District Judges / Chief Metropolitan Magistrate / Chief Judicial Magistrates are also directed to inform all the Self Drawing Officers viz., District Judges and Civil Judges (Senior Division); functioning in their respective units that steps are being taken by the O/o the Accountant-General (A&E), Chennai, O/o the Pay and Accounts Officer, Pay and Accounts Office, High Court Buildings, Chennai and O/o Pay and Accounts Officer, Pay and Accounts Office, Madurai as the case may be, to re-fix their pay in the revised scale(s) of pay.



The aforesaid instructions are to be followed scrupulously and expeditiously without fail.

The receipt of this Official Memorandum is to be acknowledged at once and action taken report in this regard may be sent to the High Court, Madras, on weekly basis (i.e., last working day of the week).

HIGH COURT, MADRAS.  
DATED : 08.11.2010

Sd/- S. VIMALA  
REGISTRAR GENERAL

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Assistant Registrar (Admn.II) i/c

To

1. All the Principal District Judges/District Judges.
2. The Principal Judge, City Civil Court, Chennai-600 104.
3. The Chief Judge, Court of Small Causes, Chennai-600 104.
4. The Chief Judge, Union Territory of Puducherry.
5. The Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Egmore, Chennai - 600 008.
6. All the Chief Judicial Magistrates.
7. The Chief Judicial Magistrate, Union Territory of Puducherry.

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1. The Accountant-General (A & E), Tamil Nadu, Chennai - 600 018.
2. The Pay & Accounts Officer, Pay and Accounts Office, High Court Buildings, Chennai-600 104.
3. The Pay & Accounts Officer, Madurai - 625 021.
4. The Registrar (Judicial), Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.
5. The Registrar (Administration), Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai
6. The Secretary, Tamil Nadu State Judicial Officers Association, Chennai.
7. The Secretary, Tamil Nadu Retired Judges Welfare Association, Plot No. D-39, B.R. Rajiv Nagar, Pudur, Ambattur, Chennai - 600 053.
8. The Section Officer, 'J' Section, High Court, Madras.

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Tiruchirappalli District.


District Court,  
Tiruchirappalli.

Sd/- M. Chinnapandi,  
Principal District Judge,  
Tiruchirappalli.

Dated: 16.11.2010.

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To

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CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER,
1. The I Addl. District Judge (PCR),  
The Presiding Officer, Labour Court,  
Additional District Judges, Mahila Court,  
Fast Track Court No. I & II, Tiruchirappalli.
  2. All the Judicial Officers in Civil Unit of  
Tiruchirappalli District.
  3. The Chief Judicial Magistrate, Tiruchirappalli with  
request to communicate this to all the Judicial  
Magistrates in Tiruchirappalli District.
  4. The Secretary, District Legal Services Authority,  
Tiruchirappalli.
  5. 'B' Section, District Court, Tiruchirappalli.

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