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R.O.C.No.4-A/2018-J (Spl.Cell)



DATED : 23.08.2018

From

Thiru R.Sakthivel, B.A.B.L.,  
Registrar General,  
High Court,  
Madras-104.

Respected My Lord,

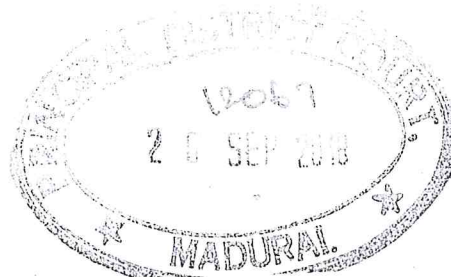
Sub : Judges, High Court of Madras – Retired Hon'ble Judges, High Court of Madras – Extension of Post retirement benefits, Medical and other services to the retired Hon'ble Judges. Formation of a separate Section to look after the welfare benefits of Retired Hon'ble Judges – Regarding

I am directed to inform your Lordship that in the High Court of Madras, a separate Section, namely, Special Cell – Retired Judges, is formed with the existing 6 Nos. of staff members in various cadres including 1 post of Assistant Registrar to attend the work in respect of welfare benefits of the retired Hon'ble Judges.

Copies of the High Court of Madras Notification and the details of the facilities to be provided for the Retired Hon'ble Chief Justices, Retired Hon'ble Judges, Their Spouses and other dependant family members are enclosed for your Lordship's information.

Further, I am directed to request your Lordship to kindly send the medical bills to the Special Cell - Retired Judges Section, periodically after obtaining the essentiality certificate from the Doctor either in Government Hospital or in Private Hospital from whom the treatment has been taken for quick processing for reimbursement of the Medical Bills.

Mr. L.Anandan, Assistant Registrar, is put incharge for the Retired Hon'ble Judges Section. His Mobile No.9940458901.



Further, I am also directed to inform that Mr. R.Kannappan, Registrar-cum-Special Officer (Liaisoning), is entrusted the overall control, supervision and monitoring of the Special Cell Retired Judges Section.

Yours faithfully,

R. Kannappan  
23/8/18  
REGISTRAR GENERAL  
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HIGH COURT MADRAS

NOTIFICATION

ROC No. 4-A/2018

J-Special Cell

Chennai : 01.08.2018

In exercise of the powers conferred by Article 229 read with Article 231 of the constitution of India, the Hon'ble The Chief Justice has been pleased to frame the following rules:-

1. Title and commencement:

These rules may be called as the Retired Judges' Domestic Help(s) and other Benefits including Medical Reimbursement, Telephone Rules, 2018.

2. These Rules shall come into force w.e.f. 01.08.2018.

3. DEFINITION:-

(i) 'High Court' means the Madras High court at Chennai and Bench at Madurai.

(ii)'Retired Chief Justice/Judge' means a Chief Justice / Judge who held the office of Chief Justice or a Judge in the High Court.

(iii)'Spouse' means the Husband or wife of a Chief Justice or Judge, who has passed away while in office or after retirement.

(iv)'Domestic help(s)' (2 NMRs) means assistance of personal to be provided to a Retired Chief Justice or a Judge or to their spouse, at the expenses to be borne by the Public Works Department of Government of Tamil Nadu.

4. A retired Chief Justice or a Judge or their spouse, as the case may be, shall be entitled to avail the services of Domestic help(s) at the expenses of the Public Works Department of the Government of Tamil Nadu, subject to the following conditions:-

(i) Facility of Domestic help(s) (2 NMRs) shall be provided to the retired chief Justice / Judge or their spouse as per G.O.Ms.No.945 Public (Special-B) Department dated 14.11.2017, if he/she is not availing such or similar facility from any other High Court.

(ii) The retired Chief Justice / Judge or their spouse, as the case may be, on his/her appointment to any office, post or assignment shall not be entitled to the facility of Domestic help(s) (2 NMRs) during the tenure of such appointment/assignment, when similar facilities are available.

5. The Domestic Help(s) (2 NMRs) may be selected by the retired Chief Justice/Judge or their spouse, as the case may be, who shall then be engaged and paid wages by the Government through Public Works Department.
6. The Domestic help(s) (2 NMRs) engaged by a retired Chief Justice, Judge or their spouse shall not be entitled to appointment on regular basis on the establishment of the High Court irrespective of the length of the contractual engagement.
7. The retired Chief Justice / Judge or their spouse, as the case may be, may engage domestic help(s) (2 NMRs) and the wages shall be paid by Public Works Department as in the case of the Hon'ble sitting Judges.



8. The retired Chief Justice / Judge or their spouse, as the case may be, is entitled for Domestic help(s) and other benefits including Medical facilities, telephone charges who were originally appointed as Judges of High Court, Chennai and were later transferred to some other High Court and retired there and have settled down at Madras on par with the sitting Judges of the High Court, Madras as per the G.O.Ms.No.1436, Public (Special B) Department dated 11.12.2006 subject to the condition that they should not avail any other medical facilities from any other sources.
  
9. The retired Chief Justice / Judges retired from the High Court, or their spouse, as the case may be shall also be paid Rs.1888/- per month towards expenses of rental and calls of landline w.e.f. the date on the Government sanctions. However, this facility shall not be available if the Hon'ble Chief Justice / Judge (retired)/spouse has accepted some assignment and has been provided the landline telephone or mobile under that assignment during the continuation of such assignment.

10.If any question arises regarding interpretation of these Rules or an issue not covered under these Rules, the Hon'ble The Chief Justice of the High Court shall be the Competent Authority to take a decision in that regard.

//BY ORDER OF THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE//

*R. J. L.*  
23/8/18  
REGISTRAR GENERAL  
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Endst. No A-7A/2018-J-Special Cell

dated: 01.08.2018

Copy forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:-

1. The Principle Secretary to Home Department, Secretariat, Chennai
2. The Principle Secretary to Finance Department, Secretariat, Chennai
3. The Accountant General (A&E), Chennai
4. The Accountant General (Audit), Chennai
5. The Pay and Accounts Office, Chennai.
6. The Registrar-cum-Private Secretary to the Hon'ble Chief Justice, High Court, Madras.
7. The Librarian, High Court, Madras.
8. All the Principle District Judges/CJMs, in the state of Tamil Nadu.
9. The Director, Judicial Academy, Chennai, Madurai, Coimbatore.

The facilities to be provided for the Retired Hon'ble Chief Justices, Retired Hon'ble Judges, Their Spouses and other dependant family members are submitted below:

1. Issuance of Identity Cards to the Hon'ble Retired Judges of this Court.
2. To provide services for Reservation of Railway and Air Tickets and also to get the same confirmed from the Railways in respect of railway tickets.
3. To extend the facility of Library.
4. To provide services for Reservation of rooms in the State of Tamil Nadu, Tamil Nadu House, New Delhi, and other places in various States as desired by retired Hon'ble Judges, subject to the availability of accommodation in other States.
5. To attend complaints regarding supply of water, electricity and telephone facilities, change of address in Aadhar card, Voter ID card, Gas connection (not supply of gas cylinders) Pan card etc.,



6. To perform any other duties like renewal of driving licenses, arms licenses, passport, depositing of road tax and registration of new vehicles purchased by

Hon'ble Retired Judge etc.

7. To receive and see off the retired Hon'ble Judges and dependants at the International and Domestic Airports. The Joint Registrar (Protocol) is incharge for the Domestic & International Airport duty, including Passport & Visa Services.

8. To get appointment with various Speciality Doctors in various Hospitals for consultation in respect of the retired Hon'ble Judges and spouses.

9. Issuance of credit letters to the Hospital authorities for taking treatment as in patient for the retired Hon'ble Judges, spouses and dependant family members as soon as any request comes from the retired Hon'ble Judges .

10. To attend any other emergency works.

It is further submitted that the fixation of norms is submitted in a separate sheet.

The above said facilities are extended to the retired Hon'ble Chief Justices/Judges/spouses and dependent family members only (dependent family members means - Parents, Sisters, widowed sisters, widowed daughters, minor brothers, children and step-children wholly dependent upon the Judge and are normally residing with such Judge including dependent brothers, dependent divorces/separated daughters and step-mother).

The retired Hon'ble Judges are requested to send the Medical bills in respect of their Lordships/Spouses along with the essentiality certificate obtained from any Doctor on or before 10th of every month so that the Registry can reimburse the medical claim within a week from the date of receipt of the medical bills.

The Hon'ble Retired Judges are requested to send the Telephone Bills along with receipts for claim.

R. [Signature]  
23/8/18  
REGISTRAR GENERAL  
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