GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU

Finance (Allowances) Department G.O. No.2, dated 3rd January 1994

(Margazhi 19, Sreemuga, Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2024)

Allowances - Leave Travel Concession - Availing of Leave Travel Concession to other States - Orders - Issued.

Read - the following papers:-

- 1. G.O. Ms. No.407, Finance, dated 15.6.1981.
- G.O. Ms. No.561, Finance, dated 10.6.1985.
- G.O. Ms. No.862, Finance, dated 11.9.1986.
- G.O. Ms. No.1113, Finance, dated 7.10.1989.

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In the Government order first read above orders were issued, among other things, that the Leave Travel Concession scheme will be applicable to all State Government employees who are either permanent or approved probationers for the journey performed by the employee and his family to any place in the State of Tamil Nadu. According to the orders in force, the employees are eligible to avail Leave Travel Concession once in a block of two years with provision for reimbursing the cost of journey either for onward journey or for return journey. The employees may also opt for Leave Travel Concession in a block of four years with reimbursement of the fare for both directions of the journey.

- Employees Associations have represented that Leave Travel Concession scheme may be liberalised by extending reimbursement of cost of journeys to places outside the State also.
- 3. The Government after careful consideration have decided to permit State Government employees to avail Leave Travel Concession for journeys to any place outside State also. Accordingly, Government direct that Government employees be permitted to avail Leave Travel Concession, to visit places outside the State of Tamil Nadu also, subject to the condition that the reimbursement of travel cost should be limited to the maximum distance of 400 Kms., from the place of their work.

- 4. Employees may avail Leave Travel Concession once in two years to places outside the State upto a maximum distance of 400 Kms., with provision for reimbursing the cost of journey either for onward journey or for return journey and employees may avail Leave Travel Concession once in four years to places outside the State upto a maximum distance of 400 Kms., with provision for reimbursing the cost of journey both ways.
- 5. Government also direct that employees may choose Leave Travel Concession either to any place in Tamil Nadu under the existing scheme or to places outside the State upto a maximum distance of 400 Kms., from the place of work under the new scheme.
- Other conditions stipulated in the Government Orders shall continue.
 - 7. This order shall take effect from 1st January, 1994.

(By order of the Governor)

N. NARAYANAN, Secretary to Government