



**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

**ALLOWANCES – House Rent Allowance – Revision of Pay Scales, 2010 –
Recommendations of the Ninth Pay Revision Commission – Accepted – Orders – Issued.**

FINANCE (PC.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 64

Dated: 09/03/2010.

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.107, Finance (PC-I) Department, dated: 15.04.2008
2. G.O.Ms.No.438, General Administration (Special-A) Department, dated:07.07.2008
3. G.O.Ms.No.483, General Administration (Special-A), Department dated:12.10.2009
4. G.O.Ms.No.52, Finance(PC.I) Department dated:25.02.2010

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ORDER:

In the Government Order second read above, orders were issued constituting Ninth Pay Revision Commission, appointing Sri C.S.Rao, I.A.S. (Retd) as Pay Revision Commissioner. Subsequently, additional terms of references were included vide G.O third read above. The Pay Revision Commission submitted its report to the Government on 05.12.2009.

2. The Ninth Pay Revision Commission interalia recommended the following on House Rent Allowance:

- (i) The existing classification of cities and towns as also the rates of allowance be retained for the purpose of admissibility of HRA.
- (ii) The existing ceiling of Rs.6000/- be enhanced to Rs.12000/- per month for Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation.
- (iii) For other places where ceiling is Rs.4000/- be enhanced to Rs.8000/- per month.
- (iv) The existing rules with regard to the payment of HRA at the rates applicable to the places located within the periphery of 8 KMs for the towns / cities concerned be continued.
- (v) Only decennial census figures should be taken into consideration for classification under different categories for purpose of drawal of HRA.

3. Government have accepted the above recommendations. Accordingly, it is hereby ordered that -

- (a) The existing classification of cities, towns and the rates of allowance ordered in G.O.(P).No.230, dated 15.09.2005, G.O.(P).No.456 dated: 08.12.2005, G.O.(P).No.181, dated 29.06.2006 and in G.O.(P).No.10 dated: 17.01.2008 of Finance (PC-I) Department, shall be retained for the purpose of admissibility of House Rent Allowance as indicated below:

City and Towns	Existing
Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation	30% of the basic pay
Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation, Rajahmundry, Kakinada, Eluru, Vijayawada, Guntur, Nellore, Kurnool, Kadapa, Tirupati, Anantapur, Warangal, Nizamabad, Karimnagar, Ramagundam,	20% of the basic pay
Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Machilipatnam, Ongole, Chittoor, Adilabad, Mahboobnagar, Khammam, Sangareddy, Nalgonda, Anakapalli, Tadepalligudem, Tanuku, Palakollu, Narsapuram, Gudivada, Tenali, Narasaraopeta, Chilakaluripeta, Bapatla, Mangalgi, Ponnur, Chirala, Kavali, Gudur, Madanapalli, Srikalahasti, Proddutur, Rayachoty, Guntakal, Hindupur, Dharmavaram, Tadipatri, Kadiri, Adoni, Nandyal, Yemmiganuru, Siddipet, Bodhan, Bellampalli, Mandamarri, Nirmal, Kaghaznagar, Mancherial, Jagityal, Sircilla, Kothagudem, Palavanha, Miryalaguda, Suryapet, Bheemavaram, Bobbili, Tuni, Samalakot, Pithapuram, Amalapuram, Nuzivid, Sattenapalle, Vinukonda, Markapur, Kandurkur, Kallur (Kurnool District), Rayadurg, Wanaparthy, Gadwal, Bhongir, Kodad, Koratla, Kamareddy, Tandur.	12.5% of the basic pay
All other places	10% of basic pay

- (b) The existing ceiling of House Rent Allowance Rs.6000/- shall be enhanced to Rs.12000/- per month in respect of employees working in the offices in the limits of Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation.
- (c) For other places, the ceiling of House Rent Allowance of Rs.4000/- shall be enhanced to Rs.8000/- per month.

4. These orders are applicable to:

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- (a) all employees of the State Government;
- (b) employees of the Local Bodies and Aided Institutions including Aided Polytechnics, in respect of those drawing pay in a regular pay scale in the Revised Pay Scales, 2010; and

(c) the Work-charged establishment in respect of those drawing pay in regular pay scale in the Revised Pay Scales, 2010.

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5. These orders are not applicable to:-

- (a) employees those who opt to remain in the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pay Scales, 2005;
- (b) Teachers working in the Universities, Affiliated Degree Colleges both under Government and Aided managements who are drawing pay in the Andhra Pradesh Revised UGC/ICAR/AICTE Pay Scales; and

(c) Officers belonging to All India Services.

6. The existing rules with regard to the payment of House Rent Allowance at the rates applicable to the places located within the periphery of 8 KMs from the towns / cities concerned based on the Notification issued by the District Collector concerned shall continue.

7. Only decennial census figures shall be taken into consideration for classification under different categories for the purpose of drawal of House Rent Allowance.

8. Separate orders will be issued in respect of officers of the A.P. Higher Judicial Services and A.P. State Judicial Services.

9. These orders shall come into force with effect from the 01.02.2010. The arrears for the month of February, 2010 on the revised rates of House Rent Allowance along with the Revised Pay Scales, 2010 shall be credited to the General Provident Fund Accounts. Those who have not opened the General Provident Fund Accounts, the arrears shall be credited to the Compulsory Saving Fund. The revised rates of House Rent Allowance shall be paid in cash along with the salary in the Revised Pay Scales, 2010 from the month of March, 2010 payable in the month of April, 2010.

10. These orders shall not apply to the Police personnel of the rank of Inspectors and below for whom separate orders will be issued by the Home Department.

11. Necessary amendments to the A.P.Public Employment (House Rent Allowance) Rules, 1988 shall be issued separately.

12. The G.O is available on Internet and can be accessed at the address <http://www.aponline.gov.in> and <http://www.goir.ap.gov.in>

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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