



Finance (PC) Department,
Fort St. George,
Chennai – 600 009.

Letter No.46373/Pay Cell / 13--1, dated: 26--8—2013.

From
Thiru **K. SHANMUGAM**, I.A.S.,
Principal Secretary to Government.

To
All Principal Secretaries / Secretaries to Government, Chennai-9
All Heads of Department,
All Departments of Secretariat, Chennai-9.
The Commissioner, Agriculture Department, Chennai-5.
The Director, Horticulture Department, Chennai-5.
The Director, Agricultural Marketing and Seed Certificate, Guindy, Chennai-32.
The Director, Fisheries Department, Chennai-6.
The Director, Animal Husbandry Department, Chennai-6.
The Director, State Health Transport Department, Chennai-32.
The Director, Sericulture Department, Salem-1.
The Commissioner, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department, Chennai-15
The Commissioner, Transport Department, Chennai-5.
Commissioner and Director of Industries and Commerce, Chennai-25.
The Director, Motor Vehicle Maintenance Department, Chennai-42.
State Transport Authority, Chennai-5.
The Commissioner for the Differently Abled, Chennai—78.
The Commissioner of Town Panchayat, Chennai-104.
The Commissioner, Corporation of Chennai, Chennai-3.
The Commissioner of Revenue Administration, Chennai-5.
The Director General of Police, Chennai-4.
The Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai-15.
The Chief Inspector of Factories, Chennai—6.
The Commissioner, Social Welfare Department, Chennai-5.
The Commissioner, Rehabilitation Department, Chennai-5.
The Commissioner, Treasuries and Accounts, Chennai-15.
The Engineer in Chief, Agricultural Engineering Department, Chennai-35.
The Engineer in Chief, Highways Department, Chennai-5.
The Engineer in Chief and Chief Engineer (General), Public Works Department, Chennai-5.
The Chief Electrical Inspector, Electrical Inspectorate, Chennai-32.
The Pension Pay Officer, Chennai-6.
The Accountant General (Accounts & Entitlements), Chennai- 18.
The Principal Accountant General (Audit.I), Chennai-18.
The Accountant General (Audit.II), Chennai-18.
The Accountant General (CAB), Chennai-600 009 / Madurai.
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Secretariat, Chennai-9.
The Pay and Accounts Officer,(North / South / East) Chennai- 1/35/ 8 .
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Madurai - 625 001.
All Treasury Officers / Sub-Treasury Officers.

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Sir,

Sub: Writ Petition Nos.21525, 22423 of 2013 and batch cases – Filed challenging the orders issued in G.O.Ms.No.242, Finance (Pay Cell) department, dated: 22—7--2013 based on the recommendations of the Pay Grievance Redressal Cell -- Instructions issued – Regarding.

Ref: 1. G.O.Ms.No.242, Finance (Pay Cell) department, dated: 22—7--2013.
2. From the Government Pleader, High Court of Madras, letter No. -Nil- dated: 23—08—2013.

I am to invite your attention to the references cited.

2) The Government Pleader, High Court of Chennai, in his letter cited has pointed out that the W.P.Nos.21525, 22423 of 2013 and batch cases filed challenging the orders issued in G.O.Ms.No.242, Finance (Pay Cell) department, dated: 22—7—2013 based on the recommendations of the Pay Grievance Redressal Cell came up for hearing to-day 23—8—2013. Upon hearing the arguments and submissions of both sides the Hon'ble High Court was pleased to pass interim order that there should not be any reduction in pay pursuant to the above said Government Order.

3) In view of the orders passed by the Hon'ble High Court dated: 23—8—2013 in W.P.Nos.21525, 22423 of 2013 and batch cases, I am to inform that there shall be no reduction in the pay of the employees for the month of August, 2013 pursuant to G.O.Ms.No.242, Finance (Pay Cell) department, dated: 22—7—2013. The Pay & Accounts Officers, Treasury Officers and Sub-Treasury Officers are directed to admit the pay bills of the employees for the month of August, 2013 without any reduction in pay as per the directions of the Hon'ble High Court as instructed above.

Yours faithfully,



for Principal Secretary to Government.

Copy to:--

The Commissioner of Treasuries and Accounts, Chennai – 15.

(With a request to issue necessary instructions to all the Pay & Accounts Officers, Treasury Officers and Sub-Treasury Officers concerned immediately)

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