ABSTRACT

Law Officers - Tamil Nadu Administrative Tribunal - Sanctioning of Fees - Powers delegated to Head of Departments - Enhancement of the monetary limit - Orders - Issued.

PERSONNEL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS (SAT) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.208

Dated: 3.11.2000

Read:

- 1. G.O.Ms.No.354, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (SAT) Department, dated 29.9.93
 - 2. G.O.Ms.No.234, Public(LO) Department, dated 6.3.96

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ORDER:

In the Government Order first read above orders were issued delegating the powers to All Head of Departments to sanction fees to Law Officers in Tamil Nadu Administrative Tribunal, Chennai upto a monetary limit of Rs.500/- (Rupees Five hundred only) at a time for the preparation of draft reply affidavits/draft application and other Miscellaneous items of work done by them in Tamil Nadu Administrative Tribunal.

- 2. In the Government Order second read above, orders have been issued revising the monetary limit fixed to the Head Of Departments and District Collectors to sanction fees to the Law Officers in the High Court on the following cases:-
- (i) without monetary limit in cases in which there are no complications in payment of fees and where the costs are recoverable from the other parties, and
- (ii) upto a monetary limit of Rs.1500/- in cases where the costs are not recoverable from other parties.
- 3. The Government have considered the question of enhancing the monetary limit for sanction of fees to the Law officer in Tamil Nadu Administrative Tribunal on the analogy of the orders issued in the Government Order 2nc read above and have decided to revise the monetary limit fixed to the Head of Departments and Collectors for the sanction of fees to the Law Officers of the Tamil Nadu Administrative Tribunal, as detailed below:-

- 1(a) Without financial limit in cases in which there are no complications in payment of fees to the Law Officers and which are recoverable from the other parties and
- (b) upto a monetary limit of Rs.1500/- (Rupees One thousand five hundred only) in cases where the costs are not recoverable from the other parties.
- 4. The above delegation of powers will cover preparation of draft reply application and other Miscellaneous items of work done by the Law Officers in the Tamil Nadu Administrative Tribunal. The sanction of fees for defence will continue to be sanctioned at Government level whether the Government is impleaded or not. The sanctioning authorities should quote the relevant rules/orders under which fees are sanctioned.
- 5. Necessary amendment proposal may be sent to Finance(Sal.) Department for issue of amendment to Tamil Nadu Financial Code, Volume I.
- 6. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide its U.O. No.80766/Public/2000-1 dated 30.10.2000.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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All Heads of Departments

All District Collectors

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All Law Officers of Tamil Nadu Administrative Tribunal through the Senior

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The Pay & Accounts Officer, Chennai-9/79/35/5

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