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Ministry of Power

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To
All Central Ministries/ Departments/
State Govts/ IITs/ CII/ FICCI/ IIMs/DPE/ CERC/
SERCs/ SEBs/ Power Utilities

Sir,

The Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission (JERC) for Goa & UTs was set up by the Government of India under the provisions of the Electricity Act, 2003. The Commission is located at Gurgaon (Haryana). The Commission consists of a Chairperson and another Member. The post of Member in the above JERC is due to fall vacant on 10.02.2012. It is proposed to fill up the anticipated vacancy.

2. Appointment to the post of Member is governed by the relevant provision of the Electricity Act and the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for Union Territories except Delhi (Salary, Allowances and other Conditions of Service of Chairperson and Member) Rules, 2007. The pay of the Member has been revised to Rs.80,000/- fixed p.m. However, if the selected candidate is a retired Additional Secretary to Government of India or equivalent or of any rank below, he shall be eligible for the pay structure of Rs.67,000 – 79,000 (HAG) or the replacement pay scale of the pre-revised scale drawn by him, as the case may be .

3. Section 84 (1) of the Electricity Act prescribes the qualification for appointment of a Member i.e. "...the Members of the State Commission shall be persons of ability, integrity and standing who have adequate knowledge of, and have shown in, dealing with, problems relating to engineering, finance, commerce, economics, law, or management."

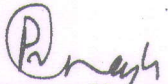
4. The Member of JERC for Goa & UTs shall hold office for a term of five years from the date on which he/ she enters upon his/ her office or till he/ she attains the age of sixty-five years, whichever is earlier. The candidate will have to give a declaration that he/she does not have any financial or other interest, which is likely to affect prejudicially his/her function as Member of the above JERC (proforma enclosed).

5. Relevant extracts of the Electricity Act, 2003 relating to the requirement of qualification, experience, etc. for Member, JERC for Goa & UTs and a copy of Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission (Salaries, Allowances and other Conditions of Service of Chairperson and Members) Rules, 2004 are available at Ministry's website www.powermin.nic.in and that of DoPT i.e. www.persmin.nic.in.

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6. It is requested that wide publicity be given to the vacancy in the organizations under the control of your Ministry/ Department/ organisation and applications/ nominations are invited from suitable persons having qualification and experience as prescribed in the Act for appointment as Member, JERC for Goa & UTs so as to reach the Ministry within four weeks from the date of publication of this circular in the Employment News, addressed to the Director (R&R), Ministry of Power, 2nd Floor (Room No.220A), Shram Shakti Bhavan, Rafi Marg, New Delhi – 110001.

Encl: as above


(Pranay Kumar)
Director
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Declaration

I hereby declare that I do not have any financial or other interest, which is likely to affect prejudicially my function as Chairperson/Member, Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission (JERC) for Union Territories except Delhi, in the event of my selection.

(Signature of Applicant)

(2) पट्टे पर आवास की दशा में, हकदारी केन्द्रीय सरकार द्वारा अनुसूची 'क' के पब्लिक सेक्टर उद्यमों के अध्यक्ष और प्रबंध निदेशक की हकदारियों को ध्यान में रखते हुए सार्वजनिक उद्यम विभाग द्वारा समय-समय पर विनिर्दिष्ट कुर्सी क्षेत्र और किराए की अधिकतम सीमा के अनुसार तथा टाइप-6 के आवासों के लिए शहरी विकास मंत्रालय द्वारा विनिर्दिष्ट बाजार किराये और कुर्सी क्षेत्र को भी ध्यान में रखते हुए की जाएगी :

परन्तु ऐसे पट्टे पर आवास के लिए जो अध्यक्ष या सदस्य की हकदारी के अनुसार और उसके भीतर है, मानक अनुज्ञप्ति फीस वही होगी जो समतुल्य वेतन प्राप्त करने वाले केन्द्रीय सरकार के समूह "क" के अधिकारी की दशा में है :

परन्तु यह और कि ऐसे पट्टे पर आवास के लिए जो हकदारी से उच्चतर है, यथास्थिति, अध्यक्ष या सदस्य के वेतन से मूल वेतन के अर्थात् पेंशन घटाए बिना दस प्रतिशत की दर पर वसूल की जाएगी ।

12. परिवहन—अध्यक्ष और सदस्य को सरकारी यान का उपयोग करने अथवा ऐसी धनराशि की प्रतिपूर्ति जो केन्द्रीय सरकार द्वारा समतुल्य वेतन प्राप्त करने वाले केन्द्रीय सरकार के समूह "क" के अधिकारी के संबंध में समय-समय पर उसके अपनी निजी कार का उपयोग करने और उसके रख-रखाव के लिए नियत किया जाए, का विकल्प अनुज्ञेय होगा ।

13. चिकित्सीय उपचार—अध्यक्ष और सदस्य ऐसे चिकित्सीय प्रतिपूर्ति और सुविधा के हकदार होंगे जो समतुल्य वेतन प्राप्त करने वाले केन्द्रीय सरकार के समूह "क" के अधिकारी को लागू हों ।

14. टेलीफोन सुविधा, सरकारी अधिवेशन और मनोरंजन व्यय—अध्यक्ष और सदस्य ऐसी टेलीफोन सुविधा, सरकारी अधिवेशनों और मनोरंजन व्ययों के लिए पात्र होंगे जो समतुल्य वेतन प्राप्त करने वाले केन्द्रीय सरकार के समूह "क" के अधिकारी का अनुज्ञेय है ।

15. सेवा की अन्य शर्तें—अध्यक्ष और सदस्य की सेवा की अन्य शर्तें जिनकी बाबत इन नियमों में कोई स्पष्ट उपबंध नहीं किया गया है, वे होंगी जो समतुल्य वेतन प्राप्त करने वाले केन्द्रीय सरकार के समूह "क" के अधिकारी पर लागू हैं ।

16. शिथिल करने की शक्ति—जहां केन्द्रीय सरकार की यह राह है कि ऐसा करना आवश्यक या समीचीन है, वहां वह उसके लिए जो कारण हैं उन्हें लेखबद्ध करके और जन हित में इन नियमों के किसी उपबंध को आदेश द्वारा शिथिल कर सकेगी ।

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गिरीश भा. प्रधान, संयुक्त सचिव

MINISTRY OF POWER

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 19th March, 2007

G.S.R. 211(E).—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (2) and (3) of Section 89 of the Electricity Act, 2003 (36 of 2003) the Central Government hereby makes the following rules, namely:

1. Short title and commencement.—(1) These rules may be called the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for Union Territories except Delhi (Salary, Allowances and other Conditions of Service of Chairperson and Member) Rules, 2007.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. Definitions.—(1) In these rules unless the context otherwise requires,—

(a) "Act" means the Electricity Act, 2003; and

(b) "Commission" means Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for Union Territories.

(2) Words and expressions used herein and not defined but defined in the act, shall have the meanings respectively assigned to them in the Act.

3. Oath of office and secrecy.—The Chairperson and Member of the Commission shall, before entering upon his office, subscribe to an oath of office and secrecy before the Minister-in-charge of the Ministry of Power. The oath of office and secrecy shall be administered in the following form :

Oath of Secrecy

I, do swear in the name of God and solemnly affirm that I shall not directly or indirectly, communicate or reveal to any person or persons any matter which shall be brought under my consideration or shall become known to me as Chairperson/Member of the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for Union Territories except Delhi, except as may be required for the due discharge of my duties as such Chairperson/Member.

Oath and affirmation of allegiance to Constitution

I, having been appointed Chairperson/Member of the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for Union Territories except Delhi, do swear in the name of God and solemnly affirm that I shall bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of India as by law established, that I shall uphold the sovereignty and integrity of India, that I shall duly and faithfully and to the best of my ability, knowledge and judgement perform the duties of my office without fear or favour, affection or ill will and that I will uphold the Constitution and the laws of the land.

4. Pay.—The Chairperson and Member of the Joint Commission shall be entitled to receive a pay of rupees twenty six thousand per month :

Provided that in case a person appointed as the Chairperson or Member is in receipt of pension from ;

(a) Union Government including Railways, Defence, Posts and Telecommunication; or

(b) State Governments and Union Territory Administrations; or

(c) Public Sector Undertakings, Local Bodies, Autonomous Bodies like Universities or Semi-Government Organizations like Port Trusts;

the pay of such person shall be reduced by the gross amount of pension drawn by him :

Provided further that the Chairperson or Member shall be entitled to receive allowances on the original basic pay before such fixation of pay.

5. Dearness allowance and city compensatory allowance.—The Chairperson and Member shall be entitled to receive dearness allowance and city compensatory allowance, and other allowances at the rate admissible to a Group 'A' Officer of the Central Government drawing an equivalent pay :

6. Leave.—The Chairperson or Member shall be entitled to thirty days earned leave for every year of service. The payment of leave salary, during leave, shall be governed under the provisions of rule 40 of Central Civil Services (Leave) Rules, 1972.

7. Leave sanctioning authority.—In the case of the Chairperson, the Minister-in-charge of the Ministry of Power, and in the case of Member, the Chairperson, shall be the leave sanctioning authority.

8. Provident Fund.—The Chairperson and Member shall be governed by the provisions of the Contributory Provident Fund (India) rules, 1962 and no option to subscribe under the provisions of the General Provident Fund Rules (Central Services), 1960 shall be available. Additional pension and gratuity shall not be admissible for service rendered in the Commission.

9. Travelling allowances.—(1) The Chairperson and Member while on tour within India or for the journey undertaken by self and family to join the Commission or on the expiry of term with the Commission to proceed to his home town with family shall be entitled to the journey allowance, daily allowance and transportation of personal effects at the same scales and at the same rates as are applicable to a Group 'A' Officer of the Central Government drawing an equivalent pay.

(2) Foreign tours to be undertaken by the Chairperson or Member shall require prior approval of the Minister-in-charge of the Ministry of Power and of the Screening Committee of the Secretaries and clearance from the Ministry of External Affairs from political angle and from the Ministry of Home Affairs for acceptance of foreign hospitality, if any, under the provisions of the Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 1976 :

Provided that the daily allowance and provision for hotel accommodation during the period of tour abroad, shall be in accordance with such orders of the Central Government as are applicable to a Group "A" officer of the Central Government, drawing an equivalent pay and as per the economy instructions or other instructions issued by the Ministry of Finance from time to time.

10. Leave travel concession.—The Chairperson and Member shall be entitled to leave travel concession at the same scale and at the same rate as applicable to Group 'A' Officers of the Central Government drawing an equivalent pay.

11. Accommodation.—(1) The Chairperson and Member shall be entitled for House Rent Allowance for residence located at the headquarter of the Joint Commission at the rate as applicable in the case of a Central Government officer drawing equivalent pay.

(2) In the case of a leased accommodation, the entitlement shall be determined by the Central Government keeping in view the entitlements of the Chairman and Managing Director of a Schedule "A" public sector enterprise in terms of plinth area and rental ceiling specified by the Department of Public Enterprises from time to time and also taking into consideration the market rent and plinth area specified by the Ministry of Urban Development for Type VI accommodation :

Provided that for such leased accommodation which is according to and within the entitlement of the Chairperson or the Member, the standard license fee shall be the same as in the case of a Group "A" officer of the Central Government drawing an equivalent pay :

Provided further that for leased accommodation which is higher than the entitlement, recovery at the rate of ten per cent of the basic pay i.e., without deducting pension shall be made from the salary of the Chairperson or Member, as the case may be.

12. Transport.—The Chairperson and Members shall be allowed the option to make use of an official vehicle or reimbursement of such amount as may be fixed by the Central Government from time to time in respect of a Group "A" officer of the Central Government drawing an equivalent pay for the use and maintenance of his personal car.

13. Medical treatment.—The Chairperson and Members shall be entitled to medical reimbursement and facility as may be applicable to a Group "A" officer of the Central Government drawing an equivalent pay.

14. Telephone facility, official meetings and entertainment expenses.—The Chairperson and a Member shall be eligible for telephone facilities, official meetings and entertainment expenses as admissible to a Group "A" officer of the Central Government drawing an equivalent pay.

15. Other conditions of services.—Other conditions of service of the Chairperson and a Member, with respect to which no express provision has been made in these rules, shall be such as are admissible to a Group "A" officer of the Central Government drawing an equivalent pay.

16. Power to relax.—Where the Central Government is of the opinion that it is necessary or expedient so to do, it may, in the public interest by order and for reasons to be recorded in writing, relax any of the provisions of these rules.

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