

The 23rd January 1974

No. FEM 30/73/12—In exercise of the powers conferred by Sections 3 and 10 of the Meghalaya (Ministers' Salaries and Allowances) Act, 1972 (Act 4 of 1972) (hereinafter referred to as 'the Act') the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to make the following amendments to the Meghalaya Ministers' (Allowances and Privileges) Rules, 1973 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Rules), namely:—

THE MEGHALAYA MINISTERS' (ALLOWANCES AND PRIVILEGES) (AMENDMENT) RULES, 1974.

1. *Short title and commencement.*—(1) (These rules may be called the Meghalaya Ministers' (Allowances and Privileges) (Amendment) Rules, 1974.

(2) They shall be deemed to have had effect and come in to force on the 3rd day of November 1973.

2. *Amendment of Rule 15 of the principal Rules.*—For Rule 15 of the principal Rules, except the Explanations 2, 3, 4 and 5 thereunder, the following rule shall be substituted as Rule 15, namely:—

"15. For journeys by road, a Minister shall be entitled to mileage allowances at the rates given below:—

(i) If a Minister travels in his own car, mileage allowance shall be as follows:—

Standard	...	...	...	40 p. per k.m.
Fiat	...	...	...	45 p. per k.m.
Ambassador	...	...	...	54 p. per k.m.

(ii) If a Minister travels in a car allotted to him by the Government under the Act, mileage allowance shall be admissible at the following rates, irrespective of whether a night is spent outside the headquarters or not, provided the cost of propulsion is borne by the Minister himself.

	1	2	3	4	5	6
	...	Standard 10	Fiat	Ambassador	Car with an engine of 28 H. P. and above	All other Vehicles like Jeeps, etc., Wagon, and other big Vehicles like Plymouth and Desoto.
(a) For the first two years after purchase of the Vehicles (New)		29 p. per k. m.	33 p. per k. m.	41 p. per k. m.	67 p. per k. m.	53 p. per k. m.
(b) For the next two years		32 p. per k. m.	36 p. per k. m.	45 p. per k. m.	76 p. per k. m.	61 p. per k. m.
(c) After four years of purchase.		33 p. per k. m.	39 p. per k. m.	48 p. per k. m.	90 p. per k. m.	66 p. per k. m.

3. *Amendment of Rule 19 of the principal Rules.*—For Rule 19, except the proviso and sub-rules and Explanation thereunder, the following rule shall be substituted as rule 19, namely:—

“19. (1) A Minister may draw daily allowance at the rate of rupees twenty two and fifty paise per day for each day of travel or halt inside Meghalaya or Assam, and at the rate of rupees fortyfive per day for each day of travel or halt outside Meghalaya or Assam. The daily allowance is admissible only when a Minister spends a night away from headquarters on duty”.

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