

**HORTICULTURE INFORMATION AND PUBLICITY OFFICER
DIRECTORATE OF HORTICULTURE,
Gole Puli, Talab Tillo, Jammu**

Subject:- Payment of HRA & CCA in favour of Migrant Employees of Horticulture Department.

NOTICE

Whereas, the issue relating effective date of payment of HRA/CCA in favour of the migrant employees remained a subject matter of litigation right from the date of issuance Government order No.605-GAD of 1991 dated 26-06-1991; and

Whereas, vide Government order No.754-GAD of 2010 dated 28-06-2010 read with No.1063-GAD of 2011 dated 12-09-2011, it was ordered that the migrant employees shall be entitled to HRA/CCA as admissible to the State Government employees w.e.f. 26-06-2009 subject to the following condition:-

- i. that such benefit shall be permissible with reference to the last position of a migrant employee in the State for determining the quantum of allowance;
- ii. that such a migrant employee shall not be entitled to HRA who is residing in an accommodation provided by the Government in the State or outside the State; and

Whereas, consequent upon the issuance of latest order dated 13-06-2016 passed by the Hon'ble High Court on the said issue the matter considered by the Government and accordingly, Government order No.1449-GAD of 2016 dated 30-12-2016 has been issued in terms of which sanction has been accorded to the release of HRA/CCA in favour of migrant employees w.e.f. 26-06-1991 subject to the conditions inter-alia contained in Government order No.1063-GAD of 2011 dated 12-09-2011 reproduced at Para 2 above.

Now, therefore, through the medium of this notice, all the migrant employees, who have either retired while working in the Horticulture Department or are still in-service are hereby advised to project their claims before the office of Horticulture Information and Publicity Officer, Directorate of Horticulture, Jammu (Phone No.0191-2100084 & Mob. No.9796230510) within a period of 21 days from the date of publication of this notice so that the withheld dues of HRA/CCA are calculated on the basis of the information/documents available in this office and projected before the Finance Department for incorporation in the budgetary estimates of this Department. It is informed that no claim whatsoever shall be entertained after expiry of the stipulated date as mentioned above.

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