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PART III-A

**Regulations, Orders, Notifications, Rules, etc. issued by the
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GENERAL ADMINISTRATION & PUBLIC GRIEVANCE DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 30th October 2021

No. 28983—GAD-SER1-MISC-0010/2016-AIS.I.—Shri Chanchal Rana, I.A.S. (RR-2014), Collector & DM, Balangir is hereby nominated as Director in the Board of Directors of Utkal Grameen Bank under Section 9 & 10 of the Regional Rural Banks Act, 1976 until further orders.

By order of the Governor

MANOJ KUMAR MOHANTY

Special Secretary to Government

[No. 36614—HOME-DA1-ASSN-0001/2017-D&A.]

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA

HOME DEPARTMENT

RESOLUTION

The 16th October 2021

SUBJECT—Withdrawal of Executive Ranks conferred on Police Ministerial Officers.

Ref.—Home Department Resolution No. 34227/P, dated the 7th September 1974 (Copy enclosed)

While examining the demand of pay parity of Police Ministerial Officers equivalent with Police executive from ASI to DSP rank conferred on them by Government Resolution No. 34227, dated the 7th September 1974 and in subsequent orders, it came to notice that the aforesaid Resolution brought Police Ministerial Officers under Police Act, 1861 and Police Disciplinary Mechanism under Odisha Police Manual. In lieu thereof, financial benefits of special pay and rent-free accommodation/house rent were allowed in their favor. State Police Headquarters has confirmed that the Police Ministerial Officers continue to receive special pay and rent free accommodation/house rent benefits were allowed in their favour. The said Resolution explicitly mentioned that the ministerial officers cannot claim any additional benefit other than those mentioned above.

Meanwhile, the ministerial officers of DGPO cadre were already excluded from the ambit of 1974 Resolution vide Home Department Order No. 10373, dated the 29th February 2020, pending review of the said Resolution.

The instant demand of Police Ministerial Officers (excluding those of DGPO Cadre) for pay parity is on the basis of ranks conferred on them in said 1974 Resolution and subsequent Government Letter No. 29483/SPS, dated the 2nd August 2017 and Order No. 637/Min., dated the 13th June 2018 of D.G. & I.G. of Police thereto.

2. After careful consideration of all these aspects, Government has been pleased to review the 1974 Resolution of this Department and taken the following decisions : —

- a. Home Department Resolution No. 34227, date the 7th September 1974 is hereby withdrawn.
- b. Ministerial Officers working in different Police Orgnaizations are brought under Odisha Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1962.
- c. Arrear financial benefits already accrued to the police ministerial officers including retired ministerial officers on the strength of Government Letter No. 29483/SPS, dated the 2nd August 2017 read with Letter No. 8058/SPS, dated the 22nd February 2018 may be given to them as personal pay, with concurrence of FD after examining the cases on case to case basis as per their entitlement, after realigning the ministerial officers with executive ranks.

3. This shall come into effect from the date of publication of this Resolution in *Odisha Gazette*.

Encl : As above

By order of the Governor

SANJEEV CHOPRA

Additional Chief Secretary to Government

[No. 34227-P.]

RESOLUTION

The 7th September 1974

The Police Ministerial Officers have been representing for some time for treating them on a footing different from their counterparts employed in other Departments of Government on the ground that Government have imposed certain restrictions on them in regard to their affiliation with any other association in the interest of Police Administration and discipline and that they have been isolated from other associations. Government, while according recognition have stipulated that the association of Police Ministerial Officers and their branches will not federate with any other association because of the very peculiar nature of their work. In emergencies relating to law and order situations and other emergencies like election, flood, natural calamities etc. executive Police Officers have to work over time and undertake arduous nature of work to fulfill their responsibilities. The functioning of executive Police Officers very much depends on the functioning of the Police Ministerial Officers who have to discharge their responsibilities under the same conditions. The nature of discipline with which these Ministerial Officers of the Police Department have to abide is different from that of other Ministerial Officers in the State.

2. After careful consideration of all these aspects Government have been pleased to decide that hence forward, the Police Ministerial Officers will be recruited under Section 7 of the Police

Act-V-of 1861 like the staff of the Police Radio Grid, P.M.T. work shop, State Police Band etc. and the staff thus recruited alongwith the existing Police Ministerial Officers will form a separate cadre within the General cadre of the Orissa Police and will be designated as Police Officers (Ministerial). They will be issued the certificate under Section 8 of the said Act. The existing Police Ministerial Officers will have to give option for their recruitment under Section 7 of the Police Act-V-of 1861 within a time to be stipulated by Inspector-General of Police.

3. Since the duties assigned to them are different, they will have no occasion to exercise the powers and functions of the executive Police Officers. They will however be subject to the Police discipline as far as it will be applicable to their sphere of duties. They will not be entitled to appointments of promotions to the executive posts and the present procedure regarding their appointment and promotion will continue to operate.

4. Government have further decided that on the recruitment of the Police Ministerial staff under Section 7 of the Police Act 1861, they along with the existing Police Ministerial Officers who will give option to be recruited under Section 7 of the Police Act, will be conferred with the equivalent executive ranks and will get special pay as shown against each Ministerial rank in the schedule below : —

Existing Ministerial ranks	Corresponding Police executive ranks	Special pay at the rate of 20% of pay subject to the maximum as noted hereunder against each
(1)	(2)	(3)
Sr. Head Assistant, H.A. Special Branch, Junior Head Assistant.	Inspector	Rs. 120 P.M.
Grade I Assistant, Sr. Auditor Stenographer, Gr. I, Sr. Head Typist, Store Keeper.	Sr. Sub-Inspector	Rs. 95 P.M.
Grade II Assistant, Head Clerk, Junior Auditor, Gr. II Stenographer, Junior Head Typist, Store Clerk.	Sub-Inspector	Rs. 80 P.M.
Accountant, Gr. III Asstt., S.B.F.P.B. Clerk, Gr. III, Stenographer, U.D. Typist, U.D. Diarist, U.D. Clerk, Asstt. Librarian.	Sr. A.S.I.	Rs. 70 P.M.
L.D. Assistant, L.D. Typist, L.D.-cum-Typist, L.D. Diarist, Despatcher, Asstt. Accountant, L.D. Clerk.	A.S.I.	Rs. 60 P.M.

Record Supplier Daftary etc. of similar status.	Senior Constable	Rs. 50 P.M.
Peon, Literate Peon.	Constable	Rs. 45 P.M.

5. Further, the Police Ministerial Officers on conferment of the executive ranks will be entitled to rent-free accommodation or house rent allowance at the rate of 10% of their pay in lieu thereof.

6. Since the sphere of duties of the Police Ministerial Officers is different from the executive Police Officers they will have no occasion to claim the benefits excepting those mentioned in paragraph 4 and 5 above, which are available to any other executive Police Officers of the same cadre.

7. This will take effect from the 20th August 1974 when the proposal was approved by the Cabinet.

ORDER—Ordered that the resolution be published in the *Orissa Gazettee* and copies be forwarded to all Heads of Departments/all Departments of Government/The Accountant-General, Orissa, Bhubaneswar/The Deputy Accountant-General, Orissa, Puri for information.

By order of the Governor
P. MISHRA
Secretary to Government of
Home Department

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

ORDER

The 27th October 2021

No. 843—WR-CON-CASEDP-0038/2021-WR(C).—Whereas, Shri Bidhan Chandra Sahu, Superintending Engineer, Irrigation, Baitarani Division, Salapada, Keonjhar has been arrested on the 9th October 2021 and detained in judicial custody beyond 48 hours in connection with Cuttack Vigilance P.S. Case No. 16, dated the 9th October 2021 u/s 7(a)/13(2) read with 13(1)(b) of the PC amendment Act, 2018 registered against him;

Now therefore, in exercise of powers conferred by sub-rule (2) of Rule-12 of O.C.S. (C.C.&A.) Rules, 1962, Shri Bidhan Chandra Sahu, Superintending Engineer, Irrigation, Baitarani Division, Salapada, Keonjhar is deemed to have been placed under suspension with effect from the 9th October 2021 i.e. from the date of his detention in custody and shall remain under suspension until further orders.

It is further ordered that during the period of suspension, the Headquarters of Shri Sahu shall be fixed at the office of the Chief Engineer & Basin Manager, Baitarani Basin, Keonjhar and he shall not leave the Headquarters without obtaining prior permission of the Competent Authority.

He shall be entitled for subsistence allowance in accordance with Rule-90 of the Odisha Service Code.

By order of the Governor
ANU GARG
Principal Secretary to Government