

**GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
HOME DEPARTMENT**

RESOLUTION

No. 25446 /FS., Bhubaneswar, dated the: 17th June, 2025
HOME-FS-COMTTE-0001-2024

Sub: Awards to Fire & Emergency Service Personnel.

Provision of cash awards to the Fire & Emergency Service personnel was made in Home Department Resolution No.165/CD, Dated 16.01.1996, keeping in view of the present scenario, the proposal for modification of certain provision therein was under consideration. After careful consideration, the Government have been pleased to modify the points of the said Resolution are as follows:

2. There shall be State Level Awards of cash prizes to each awardee as mentioned below:

(i) Best Fire Fighter in Odisha

Fire & Emergency Service Organization: Rs.1,000/-

(ii) Best Leading Fire Fighter in Odisha

Fire & Emergency Service Organization: Rs.1,500/-

(iii) Best Driver Havildar in Odisha

Fire & Emergency Service Organization: Rs.1,500/-

(iv) Best Assistant Station Officer in Odisha

Fire & Emergency Service Organization: Rs.1,500/-

(v) Best Station Officer in Odisha

Fire & Emergency Service Organization: Rs.2,500/-

(vi) Best Assistant Fire Officer in Odisha

Fire & Emergency Service Organization: Rs.3,000/-

(vii) The team adjudged best in the Annual Professional duty meet by the

State Level Selection Committee: Rs.3,000/- and a running Cup/Shield

3. ELIGIBILITY FOR CONSIDERATION:

A person to be eligible for award should have rendered the specified year of service in the respective rank as indicated below:

Sl.No.	Rank	Eligibility
(i)	Fire Fighter/ Firefighting Driver	5 years after completion of training in the rank of Fire Fighter/Firefighting Driver
(ii)	Leading Fire Fighter	3 years after joining as Leading Fire Fighter
(iii)	Driver Havildar	3 years after joining as Driver Havildar
(iv)	Asst. Station Officer	3 years after joining as Asst. Station Officer
(v)	Station Officer	5 years after completion of training in the rank of Station Officer
(vi)	Asst. Fire Officer	3 years after joining as Asst. Fire Officer

4. CRITERIA FOR SELECTION:

Selection will be made taking into consideration the following criteria, apart from outstanding work done in any other fields.

Sl. No	Rank	Criteria added for Selection
(a)	Fire Fighter/ Firefighting Driver/ Driver Havildar / Leading Fire Fighter	1. Work in disaster (preference). 2. Having major punishment in their service career or minor punishment in the last 05 years or convicted in Criminal case shall not be eligible for this award. 3. The person, who is under suspension or against whom disciplinary proceedings/ Criminal case/ Vigilance case is pending shall not be eligible for this award.
(b)	Asst. Station Officer/ Station Officer/ Asst. Fire Officer	1. Good Station/Office management quality. 2. Work in disaster (preference). 3. Having major punishment in their service career or minor punishment in the last 05 years or convicted in Criminal case shall not be eligible for this award. 4. The person, who is under suspension or against whom disciplinary proceedings / Criminal case/ Vigilance case is pending shall not be eligible for this award.

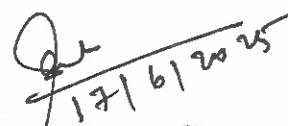
5. SELECTION COMMITTEE:

The selection committee for selection to give away awards State level will be constituted as follows:

1. D.G. of Police, Fire & Emergency Services - Chairman
2. ADG/IG/D.I.G. of Police, Fire & Emergency Services - Member
3. Director (CFO), O.F.D.R.A, Bhubaneswar - Member
4. Chief Fire Officer (SAG), F.P.W. - Member Convener

The provision of rest points in this Department Resolution No.165/CD, Dated 16.01.1996 remains unchanged.

By order of the Governor



Additional Chief Secretary to Government

Memo No. 25447 /F.S,

Dated: 17 -06-2025

Copy forwarded to the Gazette Cell of Commerce & Transport Department, Government of Odisha, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action.

They are requested to publish this Resolution in the extra Ordinary issue of the Odisha Gazette and supply 100 copies to this Department.

H. Nayak
17.06.2025

Joint Secretary to Government

Memo No. 25448 /F.S,

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H. Nayak
17.06.2025

Joint Secretary to Government

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Dated: 17 -06-2025

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H. Nayak
17.06.2025

Joint Secretary to Government

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H. Nayak
17.06.2025

Joint Secretary to Government

