

Block-4, Old JNU Campus  
New Mehrauli Road, New Delhi-67  
Dated: October 24, 2017

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Subject:- Ceilings in respect of Office Expenditure on hospitality – reg.

Consequent upon acceptance of the recommendations of the 7<sup>th</sup> Central Pay Commission (CPC) by the Government, Sumptuary allowance and Entertainment allowance have been abolished with effect from 30.06.2017. As per Resolution of the Government dated 06.07.2017, such expenditure on hospitality should be treated as office expenditure and the Ministry of Finance was to lay down the ceilings for various levels. Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure vide their OM No. 11-1/2016/E.II B (7<sup>th</sup> CPC)Pt.III(C) dated 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 2017 has conveyed the ceiling of office expenditure on hospitality.

2. The ceiling of office expenditure on hospitality with regard to training establishments will be in accordance with D/o Expenditure's OM dated 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 2017 (copy enclosed).
3. The prescribed ceilings will be effective from 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 2017.



(Biswajit Banerjee)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

To,

1. All Ministries/Departments of Government of India (as per DoPT's standard list and a request that this OM be given wide publicity).
2. All CTIs/ATIs
3. Director, LBSNAA, Mussoorie.
4. Director, ISTM, Old JNU Campus, New Delhi.

No.11-1/2016/E.II B(7<sup>th</sup> CPC)/Pt.III(C)  
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF FINANCE  
Department of Expenditure  
(7<sup>th</sup> CPC matters)

North Block, New Delhi  
Dated: 22.09.2017

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

**Subject: Ceilings in respect of Office Expenditure on hospitality- regarding.**

Consequent upon acceptance of the recommendations of the 7<sup>th</sup> Central Pay Commission (CPC) by the Government, Sumptuary Allowance and Entertainment Allowance have been abolished with effect from 30.06.2017. As per Resolution of the Government dated 06.07.2017, such expenditure on hospitality should be treated as office expenditure and the Ministry of Finance was to lay down the ceilings for various levels. Accordingly, the hospitality related expenditure is now to be incurred as office expenditure.

The President is pleased to decide the ceilings of office expenditure on hospitality as under:

Sl. No.	Designation	Existing Rates of Sumptuary / Entertainment Allowance	Prescribed ceilings in respect of hospitality related office expenditure
₹ Per month			
1	Chief Justice of India	20000/-	45000/-
2	Judges of the Supreme Court and Chief Justice of High Courts	15000/-	34000/-
3	Judges of High Court	12000/-	27000/-
4	Cabinet Secretary	10000/-	23000/-
5	Training Establishments		
	Director or Head	3500/-	8000/-
	Course Directors	2500/-	5700/-
	Counsellors	2000/-	4500/-
6	Judicial Officers in Supreme Court Registry	At the same rate as they were getting in the parent office	Existing rates may be multiplied by a factor of 2.25

2. The expenditure on hospitality with ceilings mentioned above shall be booked as 'Office Expenditure'.

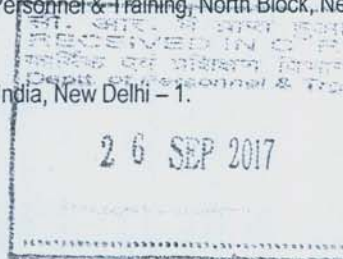
3. The prescribed ceilings will be effective from the date of issue of this OM.

*Annie George Mathew*  
(Annie George Mathew)  
Joint Secretary to the Govt. of India

To  
i. Secretary, Department of Justice, Ministry of Law & Justice, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.  
ii. Joint Secretary (Admn/Estt.), Cabinet Secretariat, Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi  
iii. Joint Secretary (Trg), Department of Personnel & Training, North Block, New Delhi

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