



FINANCE [Procurement Cell] DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.103, Dated 05th May 2025.

(விசுவாவசு, சித்திரை-22, திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு-2056)

ABSTRACT

ADVANCE – Festival Advance to Government Employees – Enhanced - Orders - Issued.

Read:-

G.O.Ms.No.240, Finance (Salaries) Department, Dated: 02-08-2019.

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ORDER:

In the Government Order read above, orders have been issued directing that the Festival Advance payable to the Government employees, Teachers, Teaching and Non-Teaching Staff of the local bodies, aided educational institutions and the employees who are eligible to draw the Festival Advance be enhanced from Rs.5,000/- to Rs.10,000/-.

2. In the Budget Session 2025-2026, the Hon'ble Chief Minister has announced various welfare announcements to Government employees in the Legislative Assembly under Rule 110 of the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly Rules and one of the announcement is as follows:-

“அரசுப் பணியாளர்கள் மற்றும் ஆசிரியர்கள், அவர்களுடைய குடும்பத்தினருடன் பண்டிகைகளைச் சிறப்பாகக் கொண்டாட்டும் வகையில், ஏற்கனவே இதுவரை வழங்கப்பட்டு வரும் பத்தாயிரம் ரூபாய் பண்டிகை கால முன்பணம் தற்போது இருபதாயிரம் ரூபாயாக உயர்த்தி வழங்கப்படும். இதனால் ஒவ்வொரு ஆண்டும் சுமார் 8 இலட்சம் அரசு ஊழியர்கள் மற்றும் ஆசிரியர்கள் பயன்பெறுவார்கள்.”

3. The Government after careful consideration, direct that the Festival Advance payable to the Government employees, Teachers, Teaching and non-Teaching staff of the local bodies, aided educational institutions and the employees who are eligible to draw the Festival Advance be enhanced from Rs.10,000/- to Rs.20,000/- (Rupees Twenty Thousand Only). There shall be no change in the existing procedure for sanction and recovery of Festival Advance.

4. These orders shall take immediate effect and apply to festivals to be celebrated after the date of issue of this order.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

**T. UDHAYACHANDRAN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.**

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