



**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

AIR TRAVEL - A.P. Civil Services (Travelling Allowance) Rules – Recommendation of Ninth Pay Revision Commission - Revision of scale of pay for travel by air in Revised Pay Scales, 2010 - Orders - Issued.

FINANCE (TA) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Ms. No. 113

**Dated: 10-06-2011
Read the following:**

1. G.O.Ms.No.262, Finance and Planning (FW:TA) Department, dated: 15-10-2005.
2. G.O. (P) No.180, Finance (PC.I) Department, dt.29.6.2006.
3. G.O.Ms. No.46, Finance & Planning (FW.TA) Department, dt.2.3.2007.
4. G.O.Ms.No.54, Finance (TA) Department,dated: 12.3.2007.
5. G.O.Ms.No.52, Finance (PC.I) Department, dated:25.02.2010.

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ORDER:

In the Government Order first read above, orders were issued allowing all officers drawing a pay in the scale of pay of Rs.18355-30065 and above and all Heads of Departments and Deputy Secretaries to Government drawing a pay in the scale of pay of less than Rs.18355-30065 are allowed to travel by air on official duties with prior permission by the concerned Secretaries to Government.

2. Consequent on the revision of the Master Scale to the State Government employees vide references 2nd read above, the Government issued the following amendment order in the G.O. 3rd read above, to the Government order 1st read above.

- i. All Officers (including All India Services) drawing the scale of pay of Rs.19675-30765 and above shall be eligible to perform journey by Air on official duty.
- ii. All Heads of Departments and Deputy Secretaries to Govt. drawing pay in a scale of pay of less than Rs.19675-30765, may also travel by air on official duty provided they are given prior permission to do so by the concerned Secretaries to Government

3. Based on the Government of India Memorandum No.10/2/98-IC&F.No.19030/2/97-E.IV, dt:17.4.1998, orders were issued in the Government order forth read above, to travel by air within the country, will be permissible on tour for official duty, in the case of All India Services Officers for those who are in receipt of pay of Rs.16400/- and above, at their discretion, provided that All India Services Officers drawing pay between Rs.12300/- and Rs.16400/- may also be permitted to travel by air, at their discretion, within the country, on official duty.

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4. In the Government Order fifth read above, orders were issued for implementing the Ninth Pay Revision Commission. The Ninth Pay Revision Commission reviewed the existing entitlement of Air Travel and recommended for continuance of the existing norms with reference to the corresponding pay scales in the Revised Pay Scales, 2010.

5. Government have, accordingly, decided to revise the scale of pay of officers for eligibility to travel by air on official duty and hereby order that:

- i) All Officers drawing pay in the scale of pay of Rs.34050-54360 and above shall be eligible to perform journey by Air on official duty.
- ii) All India Service Officers and all Heads of Departments irrespective of their scale of pay shall be eligible to perform journey by Air on official duty.
- iii) Secretary to Government may permit their subordinate officers upto the level of Deputy Secretary to Government to travel by Air on official work to any place outside the State keeping in view the exigencies of work.
- iv) Heads of Departments may permit officers not below the rank of Deputy Director to travel by Air outside the State if the exigencies of work warrant such a relaxation.
- v) All India Service Officers who are in PB4 with Grade Pay of Rs.12,000/- and those in HAG+ and the State Government Officers drawing pay in the scale of pay of Rs.44740-55660 are allowed to travel by Business / Club Class while other officers are allowed to travel by Economy Class in Aeroplanes.
- vi) The existing provision of eligibility to travel in A.C. I-Class by train by such of the employees who are eligible to travel by air shall continue.

4. These orders shall come into force with effect from the date of issue of this G.O.

5. The existing Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Travelling Allowance) Rules, 1996, and orders issued from time to time thereon shall continue to apply except as provided for in this order.

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6. Necessary amendments to the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Travelling Allowance) Rules, 1996 will be issued in due course.

7. The G.O. is available on Internet and can be accessed at the address <http://www.aponline.gov.in> and <http://www.apfinance.gov.in>

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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