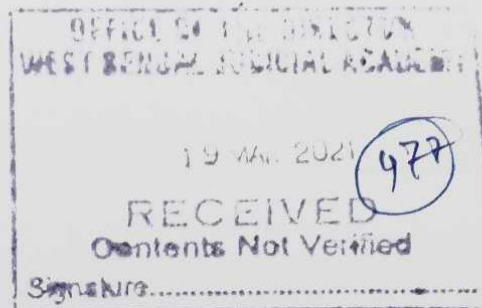


2021
IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA
APPELLATE SIDE

No. 1774 - A

Dated, Calcutta, the 16th March, 2021

**From : Md. Shabbar Rashidi,
Registrar (Judicial Service),
High Court, Appellate Side,
Calcutta.**



- To :**
- 1) **The District Judge of all Districts including Andaman & Nicobar Islands,**
 - 2) **The Chief Judge, City Civil Court, Calcutta,**
 - 3) **The Chief Judge, City Sessions Court, Calcutta,**
 - 4) **The Chief Judge, Presidency Small Cause Court, Calcutta,**
 - 5) **The Principal Secretary, Judicial Department, Govt. of West Bengal,**
 - 6) **Director, West Bengal Judicial Academy,**
 - 7) **Member Secretary, State Legal Service Authority,**

Sub : Clarification regarding claim for reimbursement for Nurse and Medical Attendant of Judicial Officers (Serving/Retired).

Sir,

With reference to the subject captioned above, I am directed to forward herewith the clarification in terms of the Memo bearing no. 375-J/JD/L/16M-21/19 dated 12.02.2021, issued by the Principal Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal, Judicial Department, which is self explicit, for your information and wide circulation amongst all the Judicial Officers (Serving/Retired) including those posted on deputation basis.

Enclosure : As stated.

Yours faithfully,

Registrar (Judicial Service)

Government of West Bengal
Judicial Department
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From: The Principal Secretary,
to the Govt. of W.B., Judicial department.

To: The Registrar General
High Court(Appellate Side)
Calcutta.

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Memo No.375-J/JD/L/16M-21/19

Dated Kolkata the 12th February, 2021.

Sir,

In terms of this Department's Order no. 1313-J/JD/L/2S-23/04(Pt.-I) dated 17.03.2006 in the matter of "Admissibility of medical facilities to the serving and retired Judicial Officers of the West Bengal Judicial Service", request was made by the Registrar General, Hon'ble High Court, Calcutta vide his letter being Memo no. 910-RG dated 14.02.2019, to move the Government to provide necessary instruction/clarification whether claim for reimbursement for Nurse and Medical Attendant at the residence of a Judicial officers(Serving/Retired) on monthly basis, on the strength of Medical Certificate of the physician and money receipts of the nurse can be reimbursed by the office.

The matter was referred to the Finance Department, Government of West Bengal and the following observations were made vide U.O. NO : Group P1/2020-2021/0286 UO Date 23.12.2020:

"In terms of para II of order No. 1313-J dt 17.03.2006, the serving and retired Judicial officers and Members of their family are entitled to medical benefits as are provided to the MLAs.

In terms of sub-rule 1(b)(vi) of Rule 11 of the West Bengal Legislative Assembly (Medical Facilities to Members) Rules, MLAs are entitled to reimbursement of the cost of Special Nurse, if any.

In view of the position, the serving and retired Judicial officers and members of their family are entitled to re-imbusement of the cost of Special Nurse but not Special Attendant or Aya provided that engagement of such Special Nurse should be made as per recommendation of attending physician."

You are requested to circulate the clarification among all the Judicial officers.

Your sincerely

Principal Secretary to the Govt. of W.B.

Ld. Registrar (J.S.) / Ld. Registrar (O.S.)

D.R. (A/CS) / A.R. VIII / S.O. Conv. Exp. Secy