

GOVERNMENT OF ARUNACHAL PRADESH
FINANCE DEPARTMENT
(EA BRANCH)

No. FIN/EA-45/2012 / 530

Dated Itanagar, the 19th June, 2012.

ORDER

SUB: PACKAGE OF AUSTERITY MEASURES.

Consequent upon the Cabinet decision vide No. CAB/M-06/2012 dated 19th June, 2012, in view of the serious financial constraints, the Govt. has enforced the following austerity measures with immediate effect:

1. **Creation and filling up of Non-Plan posts:** A general ban is imposed on creation and filling up of Non-Plan posts. This ban shall include officiating appointment, filling up of leave vacancies, appointment of substitute employees belonging to all categories in all departments borne from Non-Plan fund.
2. **Engagement of Casual Employees:** No casual/contingent employees shall be allowed to be employed by any department without prior concurrence of the Finance Department. No re-appropriation of funds from other sub head to "wages" would be allowed for the purpose of engagement of such employees.
3. **Revision of Pay Scales and Up-gradation of Posts:** Except where prior approval of the Council of Ministers is obtained, neither revision of pay scales nor up-gradation of existing posts shall be contemplated and no department shall sponsor proposals for revision of pay scales or up-gradation of existing posts unless these are matched by increased earning or savings by reduction in posts.
4. LOC system of drawal of wages as discontinued earlier will be in force and their wages are to be drawn through treasury.
5. **Purchase of Vehicles:** A general ban on the purchase of new vehicles is imposed.
6. **Recovery of Loans and Advances:** The concerned departments shall make all out efforts to recover the outstanding loans and advances. Unless the loans and advances are recovered regularly, no further loans and advances shall be allowed by Finance Department.
7. **Grant/Payment of Honorarium:** Sanction of grant of an honorarium will not be given unless the work has been undertaken with the prior consent of the Govt. and its amount settled in advance.
8. **Additional Financial Commitment:** No department is allowed to enter into any extra financial commitment beyond what is provided in the sanctioned budget without prior concurrence of Finance Department. This must be strictly adhered to, because it will not be possible for Finance Department to provide any additional fund to meet such financial liabilities created by the department without the knowledge and approval of the Finance Department.
9. **Abolition of vacant posts:** All posts, except Primary School Teachers and Health workers, which were vacant as on 01-04-2011, and were lying vacant for one year or more on that date, shall be abolished.


10. The State Government had banned foreign travel on official account by functionaries of the State Govt. vide order No. Fin-E-II/02/05 dated 28th February, 2005. This shall be strictly enforced.

Sd/- Ramesh Negi, IAS
Development Commissioner (Finance)

Dated Itanagar, the 02nd July, 2012.

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4. The Chairman/MDs of all Public Sector Undertakings.
5. PS to Chief Secretary, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar.
6. All Commissioners/Secretaries, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar.
7. All Heads of Departments, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar.
8. Accountant General, Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar.
9. Director of Accounts & Treasuries, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Naharlagun.
10. All Deputy Commissioners, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh.
11. All Addl. Deputy Commissioners (Independent), GoAP.
12. All Treasury Officers, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh.
13. All Branches of Finance Department.
14. Guard file.


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