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AN ACT TO AMEND THE ORISSA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY MEMBERS' SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES ACT, 1954

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Orissa in the Twenty-seventh Year of the Republic of India, as follows:—

Short title and commencement.

1. (1) This Act may be called the Orissa Legislative Assembly Members' Salaries and Allowances (Amendment) Act, 1976.

(2) It shall be deemed to have come into force with effect from the 1st day of April, 1976.

Amendment of section 3.

2. In section 3 of the Orissa Legislative Assembly Members' Salaries and Allowances Act, 1954 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act),—

Orissa Act 19 of 1954.

(a) for the words "three hundred rupees net a month", the words "four hundred and fifty rupees net a month" shall be substituted;

(b) in the second proviso, for the words "five hundred rupees net", the words "six hundred and sixty-five rupees net" shall be substituted;

(c) in the third proviso, for the words "three hundred rupees net and two hundred rupees net", the words "four hundred rupees net and two hundred and sixty-five rupees net" shall be substituted.

Insertion of new section 4A.

Free travelling facilities.

3. After section 4 of the principal Act, the following new section shall be inserted, namely :—

"4-A. (1) Every member shall be provided with—

(a) railway coupons which shall entitle him to travel without payment of any fare by first class by any railway in India for a distance of six thousand kilometres in the aggregate in a year; and

(b) road transport coupons which shall entitle him to travel without payment of any fare by any stage carriage within the State for a distance of ten thousand kilometres in the aggregate in a year :

Provided that where the journey is performed by a stage carriage not being a transport undertaking vehicle, the operator of such stage carriage shall be entitled to be reimbursed by the State Government in such manner and subject to such conditions as may be prescribed by rules made under this Act.

Explanation I—In computing the distance referred to in clauses (a) and (b), any journey for which the member is otherwise entitled to any travelling allowance shall not be taken into account.

Explanation II—The expression "transport undertaking vehicle" shall have the same meaning as assigned to it under the Orissa Transport Undertakings (Prevention of Ticketless Travel) Act, 1975 and the expression "stage carriage" shall have the same meaning as assigned to it under the Motor Vehicles Act, 1939.

Orissa Act 41 of 1975. 4 of 1939

(2) The coupons shall be issued by such authority and shall be subject to such conditions as may be prescribed by rules made under this Act."