



# TELANGANA STATE LEGISLATURE



**AMENITIES  
TO  
MEMBERS**

## PERSONAL NOTES

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## PREFACE

Article 195 of the Constitution of India provides that Member of Legislative Assembly and the Legislative Council of a State shall be entitled to receive such salaries and allowances as may from time to time be determined by the Legislature of the State by law.

This publication containing the information pertaining to the amenities being provided to the Members of the Telangana State Legislature has been brought out after the formation of the State of Telangana on 02.06.2014. It contains the brief account of information **at a glance** about the Salary, Allowances/Perks, Pension and other facilities which the Members / Ex-Members of Telangana Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly and their spouses are entitle to.

Albeit the information contained in this publication is not exhaustive, there is likelihood of changes / amendments as and when the State Government revises the salaries / perks / amenities of the Legislators, subsequently.

I hope the publication will be found informative and useful by the Members. Suggestions for improvement are welcome.

Hyderabad,  
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Secretary to State Legislature.



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## **I. AMENITIES TO MEMBERS :**

### **1. SALARY AND ALLOWANCES**

- a) Salary Rs. 20,000-00 p.m.
- b) Constituency Allowance Rs 2,30,000-00 p.m.  
(enhanced through the Act No.6 of 2016)
- c) Accommodation Allowance Rs.25,000-00 p.m.  
(in case, where Members are not provided  
Accommodation by the State Government)

### **2. DAILY ALLOWANCE**

Members are entitled for Daily Allowance @ Rs.1,000/- per day w.e.f. 24.08.2016 on the day of meeting. Further, the Members who are residing beyond 50 KM of radius of twin cities of Hyderabad and Secunderabad shall be entitled for such allowance for days preceding and following the meeting day (s), additionally.

### **3. TRAVELLING ALLOWANCE**

A Member is entitled to the following travelling allowances for the journey performed from his/her usual place of residence for attending the meetings of



Council/ Assembly or a sitting of the Committee and for return journey from the place of meeting to his/her usual place of residence.

- a. for the part of journey undertaken by Rail, one-and-half single railway fare of the A.C. two-tier accommodation shall be allowed.
- b. Member may opt to travel by air from airborne station located within his/her constituency or nearest to his/her usual place of residence either within the State or outside the State for attending the meeting of the Council/ Assembly/ Legislature Committees at Hyderabad or for attending the meetings of the Committees at any other place in the State/Country and return. The claim for such air travel shall be supported by the air tickets purchased for the purpose.
- c. for the part of journey undertaken by road, for attending the meetings of Council/ Assembly/ Legislature Committees at Hyderabad, by a private car, the reimbursement shall be provided @ Rs.20/- per KM upto the distance of 300 KMs, provided the Member issues the Certificate duly specifying the

Registration number of such private car engaged for his/her travel.

#### **4. ACCOMMODATION**

Members will be provided with rent-free accommodation, free water, and electricity supply in MLAs Quarters.

#### **5. TRAVEL FACILITY**

Every Member who does not hold any of the Offices of Minister, Chairman, Speaker, Deputy Chairman, Deputy Speaker, Leader of Opposition and Government Whips (Council/Assembly) at his/her option, are provided either railway coupons enabling to travel in the First Class upto a maximum distance of 70000 KMs (Seventy Thousand Kilometers) in a year or with such lumpsum amount calculated at the prevailing railway fare. Further, such Member or his/her spouse shall be entitled to travel either single or together with spouse or with any other person by way of Railway in India.

However, the lumpsum amount so calculated shall be paid to each such Member in two installments,

the first installment in the first half of the year and the second installment in the latter half of the year, subject to such rules as may be made in this behalf.

## **6. BUS TRAVEL FACILITY**

Members and their spouses are entitled to travel either single or together in all the State carriage vehicles being operated by the TSRTC on city, Intra State and Inter State routes, free of cost on the strength of the Identity Card (Member/Spouse of the Member) issued by the Secretary, Legislature Secretariat. The Member and/or spouse are entitled to take with them an attendant when travelling alone, at free of cost.

## **7. MEDICAL FACILITIES**

Subject to such conditions as may be determined by rules made by the Government, every Member of Legislature and their family members are entitled to;

- a) Free accommodation and medical treatment in any hospital maintained by the State Government.
- b) Reimbursement of charges incurred towards hospitalization in any Government hospital or in the Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, (NIMS), Hyderabad, where such hospitalization is advised.

- c) Medical treatment in any hospital outside India; and
- d) The provision of artificial limbs, hearing aids and the like, at the cost of the State Government.

Provided that the cost to be borne or the amount to be reimbursed by the State Government in respect of medical treatment:-

- i) In any hospital within or outside India, shall not exceed such sum as may be specified in rules made by the State Government in this behalf, inclusive of the air travel and expenditure incurred towards personal attendant, in case where facility for such treatment is available in any hospital in India; or
- ii) in any hospital outside India, where the sum shall not exceed the actual expenditure incurred for such treatment and the air travel expenses of person treated and his/her personal attendant in case where facility for such treatment is not available in any hospital in India.
- iii) in respect of hospitalization in any Government hospital or in the Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences (NIMS), Hyderabad the amount to be reimbursed shall not exceed Rs.1 lakh on each occasion, subject to maximum of Rs. 4.00 Lakhs for

major ailments such as Bypass Surgery, CABGS, Double Valve replacement, Open Heart procedure, Aortic Valve replacement, Kidney Transplantation, Cancer and Neuro-Surgery or actual cost, whichever is less.

## **8. VEHICLE ADVANCE**

Members are eligible for Motor Car advance of Rs.30 Lakhs or the actual cost of the vehicle whichever is less, in each term. This amount shall be repayable together with interest @ 4% per annum.

## **9. FURNITURE**

Every Member shall be entitled for a sum of Rs.10,000/- as the lumpsum amount towards furniture of his/her residential quarter provided by the Legislature Secretariat at MLAs Hostels during each term of Office.

## **10. PROVISION OF PERSONAL ASSISTANT**

Subject to certain guidelines issued by the Government from time to time, every Member shall be eligible to appoint a person to act as his/her Personal Assistant on deputation from the Government

Departments upto the cadre of Senior Assistant from the respective Constituency/ District Establishment. The incumbent will draw the salary from the parent Department with fixed Travelling Allowance of Rs.1,000/- (Rupees One Thousand only) per month.

In exceptional cases, where the MLA/MLC insists on appointment of a retired Government employee as his/her Personal Assistant, the person so appointed shall be paid a consolidated remuneration of Rs.8,000/- (Rupees Eight Thousands only) per month.

## **11. LEGISLATURE LIBRARY SERVICES:**

The Legislature Secretariat has well equipped Libraries in separate annex in the Assembly as also in Council premises which cater to the requirements of the Hon'ble Members, by providing them all available source of information/data, like books, reports, periodicals, reference material, etc. to facilitate the Members to discharge their responsibilities in a more effective manner.

## **12. RESEARCH AND REFERENCE SERVICES:**

All the news and views including editorial comments and articles of current as well as of prominent

importance from the point of view of Members are identified from daily newspapers and the clippings thereof are preserved in subject-wise folders for use of the Members. The Newspaper clippings so preserved serve as a ready reckoner to the Members so as to facilitate them to access the up-to-date information appearing in the print media covering almost all subjects.

In addition to this, the Legislature Secretariat also prepares booklets, brochures and other information material as and when required for the reference of the Hon'ble Presiding Officers and the Hon'ble Members of the Legislature.

## **II. AMENITIES TO EX-LEGISLATORS :**

### **1. PENSION**

A Member of Telangana Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly who has served for the first term or part thereof, is entitled to a pension of Rs.30,000/- (Rupees Thirty Thousands only) per mensem and a pension of Rs.1,000/- (Rupees One Thousand) per mensem for each year of his/her service in subsequent term(s) as such Member, however, in no case, the pension payable to such person shall exceed a sum of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousands only) per mensem as provided under Act No.6 of 2016, w.e.f. 23.04.2016. The fraction of a year not less than six months shall be counted as ONE year.

### **2. SPOUSE PENSION**

The spouse of deceased Ex-Legislator, who is not remarried, shall be entitled to receive the same amount of the pension, which the deceased Member would have been entitled to receive had he/she been alive.



### 3. MEDICAL FACILITIES

1. Subject to certain guidelines issued by the Government from time to time, every Ex-Legislator and his/her family members shall be entitled to free accommodation and medical treatment in any Hospital maintained by the State Government.

2. (a) Every such Ex-Legislator or the dependant family members of his/her family shall be reimbursed medical charges incurred towards hospitalization in any Government Hospital, NIMS, Hyderabad and certain recognized private hospitals within the State where such hospitalization has been advised, subject to a maximum of Rs.1,00,000/- (Rupees One Lakh only).

(b) Provided with artificial limbs, hearing aids and the like at the cost of State Government which shall not exceed overall expenditure of Rs.1,00,000/- (Rupees One Lakh only) provided for reimbursement of charges towards medical treatment, as specified in item (a) above and for major ailments like Bypass Surgery, Kidney Transplantation, Cancer and Neuro Surgery, the maximum limit for such reimbursement is Rs.4,00,000/- (Rupees Four Lakhs only).

## 4. ID CARDS

I.D. Cards are issued to the Ex-Legislators and their spouses that can be utilized for the purpose of free travel in all types of TSRTC buses.

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**NOTE:** Please download the Forms for claiming Ex-Legislator's Pension/Spouse Pension and for application for claiming refund of medical expenses by visiting our website [www.telanganalegislature.org.in](http://www.telanganalegislature.org.in)

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