



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF GOA

**The Goa Salaries and Allowances
of Ministers (Amendment)
Bill, 2004**

(Bill No. 27 of 2004)

~~It~~ **is** introduced in the Legislative Assembly of the State of Goa)

GOA LEGISLATURE SECRETARIAT
ASSEMBLY HALL, PORVORIM, GOA
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*further to amend the Goa Salaries and Allowances
of Ministers Act, 1964 (Act 3 of 1965).*

10 Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of
Goa in the Fifty-fifth Year of the Republic of India
as follows:—

1. *Short title and commencement.*— (1) This
Act may be called the Goa Salaries and
Allowances of Ministers (Amendment) Act, 2004.

15 (2) It shall be deemed to have come into
force on the 1st day of July, 2004.

20 2. *Amendment of section 3.*— In section 3
of the Goa Salaries and Allowances of Ministers
Act, 1964 (Act 3 of 1965) (hereinafter referred
to as the “principal Act”), in sub-section (2), in
item 1, for the figures “10,000/-”, the figures
“15,000/-” shall be substituted.

25 3. *Amendment of section 4.*— In section 4 of
the principal Act,—

(i) the words “except the Chief Minister”
shall be omitted;

(ii) before the Explanation, the following proviso shall be inserted, namely:—

“provided that the Chief Minister shall not be entitled to the compensatory allowance as aforesaid.

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4. *Omission of section 4A.*— Section 4A of the principal Act shall be omitted.

5. *Amendment of section 5.*— In section 5 of the principal Act, sub-section (2), shall be omitted.

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6. *Omission of sections 6 and 8.*— Sections 6 and 8 of the principal Act shall be omitted.

7. *Substitution of section 9.*— For section 9 of the principal Act, the following section shall be substituted, namely:—

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“9. *Minister not to draw salary or allowances as Member of the Legislative Assembly.*— A Minister shall not be entitled to receive salary and allowances under the Goa Salary, Allowances and Pension of Members of Legislative Assembly Act, 2004, except the allowances, advances and other benefits admissible to the Minister as a Member of Legislative Assembly under the aforesaid Act, 2004.

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Statement of Objects and Reasons

The Bill seeks to amend the sub-section (2), of Section 3 of The Goa Salaries and Allowances of Minister Act, 1964, so as to increase the monthly sumptuary allowance of the Chief Minister from Rs. 10,000/- to Rs. 15,000/-. Further it seeks to amend section 4 of the principal Act, as regards to residence compensatory allowance wherein the words “except the Chief Minister” shall be omitted and to insert the following proviso before the explanation, “provided that the Chief Minister shall not be entitled to the compensatory allowance as aforesaid. It is also proposed to seek to omit Section 4A as regards to Constituency office allowance, wherein each Minister except the Chief Minister was entitled for an allowance of Rs. 3,000/- per month for use of an office in their Constituency.

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Similarly the Bill seeks to omit sub-section (2) of section 5, regarding entitlement of 60 litres of petrol per month to the Minister, at the cost of the Government. It is also sought for omission of sections 6 and 8 of the principal Act as regards to Motor Car Advance and Medical Treatment, etc. to Ministers. Finally, it is seek to substitute section 9 of the principal Act, wherein a Minister shall not be entitled to receive salary and allowances under the Goa Salary, Allowances and Pension of Members of Legislative Assembly

Act, 2004, except the allowances, advances and other benefits admissible to the Ministers as a member of Legislative Assembly under the aforesaid Act, 2004.

This Bill seeks to achieve the above objects.

Financial Memorandum

The additional financial liability on account of the proposed increase in sumptuary allowance to the Chief Minister would be to the extent of Rs. 60,000/- per annum.

Memorandum Regarding Delegated Legislation

No delegated Legislation is envisaged in this Bill.

Panaji, Goa.
2nd August, 2004.

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Chief Minister
Panaji-Goa.

Assembly Hall,
Porvorim, Goa
2nd August, 2004.

SUDHIR NARVEKAR
Secretary (Legislature).

Governor's Recommendation under Article 207 of the Constitution

In pursuance of article 207 of the Constitution of India, I, S. C. Jamir, Governor of Goa, hereby recommend the introduction of the Goa Salaries and Allowances of Ministers (Amendment) Bill, 2004, by the Legislative Assembly of Goa.

ANNEXURE

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**Extract of the Goa Salaries and Allowances of
Ministers Act, 1964 (Act No. 3 of 1965)**
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Section 3:

3. Salary and Sumptuary Allowance.— (1) There shall be paid to each Minister a monthly salary as laid down below, namely:—

1. Chief Minister	Rs. 8,000/-
2. Dy. Chief Minister... ..	Rs. 7,000/-
3. Minister	Rs. 6,000/-
4. Minister for State/Dy. Minister	Rs. 5,000/-

(2) Every Minister shall also be entitled to a monthly sumptuary allowance as laid down below, namely:—

1. Chief Minister	Rs. 10,000/-
2. Dy. Chief Minister... ..	Rs. 9,500/-
3. Minister	Rs. 9,000/-
4. Minister for State/Dy. Minister	Rs. 5,000/-

Section 4:

4. Residence of Minister.— Each Minister except the Chief Minister shall be entitled, without any payment, to the use and maintenance of furnished residence throughout his term of office and for a period of 15 days immediately thereafter, and so long as such residence is not provided, to a compensatory allowance of Rs. 10,000/- per month.

Explanation.— For the purpose of this Section,—

(i) 'residence' includes the staff quarters and other buildings appurtenant thereto and the garden thereof

but does not include such portion of the residence or buildings appurtenant thereto as is exclusively set apart of use as office at the residence and is used as such;

“(ii) “maintenance” in relation to a residence includes as payment of local rates and taxes and provision of electricity and water, which shall be paid by the Government”.

Section “4A.

“4A. Constituency office allowance.— Each Minister, except the Chief Minister, using a premise in his Constituency for the purpose of his office, shall be entitled for an allowance of rupees three thousand per month”.

Section 5:

5. Motor car amenities:— (1) Each Minister shall be entitled to the free use of a motor car which shall be provided and maintained by the Government and the services of a chauffeur.

(2) Each Minister shall be entitled for a maximum of two hundred litres of petrol/diesel per month, for the use of his personal vehicle, the cost of which shall be borne by the Government in the prescribed manner.

“Explanation:— The words “by the Government” shall be deemed to have been substituted by the words “the Legislative Assembly Secretariat” in case of application of this provision to the Speaker and the Deputy Speaker”.