

Government of West Bengal
Deptt. of Women & Child Development and Social Welfare
Writers' Buildings, Kolkata 700 001.

No. : 5126-SW
3S-225/05(Pt.II)

Dated : 10.12.2009

MEMORANDUM

For sometime past this Department has been receiving communications from the DPOs/CDPOs seeking clarifications in respect of Anganwadi Workers/Anganwadi Helpers going on leave without honorarium.

Now, in partial modification of this Deptt. G.O. No. 20852(79)-SW dated 15.09.1984 the undersigned is directed by order of the Governor to say that the Governor has been pleased to make the following provisions :

- a) The period of absence beyond 6 months at a time without honorarium may be extended upto 1 year in case of serious ailments warranting the necessity for hospitalization or confinement to bed.
- b) The above provision will apply to both the Anganwadi Workers and the Anganwadi Helpers.
- c) Anganwadi Workers/Anganwadi Helpers praying for leave will have to submit medical certificates to this effect.
- d) During the period of absence an empanelled candidate may be appointed temporarily up to a maximum period of 1 year in case of both the Anganwadi Workers and the Anganwadi Helpers going on leave without honorarium.

This order will come into effect forthwith.

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to the Govt. of West Bengal