

**GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
FINANCE DEPARTMENT**

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Clarification on eligibility of Government officers to avail of Government vehicles for commuting from Bhubaneswar to Cuttack or vice-versa

Government officers were first allowed to avail Government vehicle for commuting from Bhubaneswar to Cuttack or vice-versa at the rate of recovery of Rs.1500/- per month over and above the rate of recovery for private use of the Government vehicle by such officers from their monthly salary bills w.e.f. 01.04.2007 vide F.D. O.M. No.9851/F dated 07.03.2007. This rate of recovery was subsequently revised from Rs.1500/- to Rs.3000/- w.e.f. 01.06.2012 vide F.D. O.M. No.24442/F dated 29.06.2012 and, then, from Rs.3000/- to Rs.6000/- w.e.f. 01.07.2016 vide F.D. O.M. No.19541/F dated 13.07.2016. This is over and above the rate of recovery of charges for use of official vehicle for private purposes as revised in para-1 of the above OM.

2. Now clarifications have been sought from different quarters on the eligibility of Government officers to avail the facility of use of Government vehicles for commuting from Bhubaneswar to Cuttack or vice-versa. After due examination it is clarified that Government officers entitled for individual earmarked Government vehicles would be eligible to avail such facility of using Government vehicles for commuting from Bhubaneswar to Cuttack or vice-versa.

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Principal Secretary to Government