

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Endowments Department –Section 65-A of the A.P. Charitable and Hindu Religious Institutions and Endowments Act, 1987 - Contribution payable by different categories of temples and institutions with reference to their annual income towards Archakas and Other Office Holders and Servants Salaries and Other Emoluments Fund – Orders – Issued.

REVENUE (ENDOWMENTS.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.820

Dated 1-7-2008.

Read the following :-

1. From the Commissioner, Endowments Department, Hyderabad Lr.Rc.No.E2/38198/2007, Dated 10-3-2008.
2. From the Commissioner, Endowments Department, Hyderabad Lr.Rc.No.E2/38198/2007, Dated 9-5-2008.

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ORDER:-

In the references read above, the Commissioner, Endowments Department, Hyderabad has stated that Government have issued an Amendment Act 33/2007 of A.P. Charitable and Hindu Religious Institutions and Endowments Act, 1987 duly inserting a sub section (A) to the Section 65 of the said Act. With such insertion it has been necessitated to create a fund for payment of salaries and other emoluments to the Archakas, Office Holders and Servants of the A.P. Charitable and Hindu Religious Institutions and Endowments published under section 6 of the said Act. Every such institution shall pay a contribution annually to the said fund at the rate prescribed by the Government as defined under sub section 5 of Section 65 of the said Act.

2. For such contribution by various categories of Temples and Institutions, the Commissioner, Endowments Department, Hyderabad has proposed the following percentage of annual income of such Temples and Institutions:-

Sl. No.	Income Slab of Temples / Institutions (in Rupees)	Proposed percentage of contribution payable	Amount of contribution estimated per annum in Rupees.
1	50,001 - 2,00,000	30%	5,64,70,538/-
2	2,00,001 – 5,00,000		8,52,79,596/-
3	5,00,001 – 25,00,000	25%	9,21,73,740/-
4	25,00,001 – 50,00,000	20%	14,12,80,960/-
5	50,00,001 – 1,00,00,000	15%	1,70,67,009/-
6	More than 1 Crore	15%	4,71,60,000/-

3. However, there are certain temples where the employees are getting salaries, pension and other pensionary benefits on par with Government employees. Hence, the Commissioner, Endowments Department, Hyderabad has also requested to exempt the institutions which permits their employees to draw pensions and other pensionary benefits from the purview of section 65-A of A.P. Charitable and Hindu Religious Institutions and Endowments Act, 1987.

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4. Government after careful consideration of the proposal of the Commissioner, Endowments Department, Hyderabad, hereby approve the rate of contribution from various categories of Temples and Institutions as proposed by him in para (2) above towards the fund that will be created for payment of salaries and other emoluments to Archakas, Office Holders and Servants of A.P. Charitable and Hindu Religious Institutions and Endowments published under section 6 of the Act.

5. Government also exempt all such Endowments and Institutions which permits their employees to draw pensions and other pensionary benefits from the purview of section 65-A of A.P. Charitable and Hindu Religious Institutions and Endowments Act, 1987.

6. The Commissioner, Endowments Department, Hyderabad shall take further necessary action accordingly in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G. SUDHIR,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To
The Commissioner, Endowments Department, Hyderabad.

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SECTION OFFICER