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Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department –PTMGR Nutritious Meal Programme Scheme - Extending the New Comprehensive Health Insurance Scheme to Cooks / Cook Assistants and their family members and Exempting them from subscribing ₹150 per month from pay under New Health Insurance Scheme 2012 - Orders – Issued.

Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme (SW 4 -2) Department

G.O.(Ms) No.45

Dated: 19.05.2015
திருவள்ளூர்வராண்டு 2046
மன்மத, வைகாசி 5

Read:-

1. G.O(Ms)No.169 Health and Family Welfare (EAP-II(2)) Department, Dated 11.07.2011.
2. G.O(Ms)No.243, Finance (Salaries) Department, Dated 29.06.2012.
Read above :-
3. From the Commissioner of Social Welfare, letter Roc No.2276/ NMP-2/2014, dated 21.04.2015.

ORDER:-

In the Government Order first read above, orders have been issued launching the "New Comprehensive Health Insurance Scheme" to achieve the objective of universal health care to the people of Tamil Nadu. For implementation of the above scheme among others, it has been stated that the eligibility income ceiling limit will be ₹72,000 per annum per family which is to be certified by the Village Administrative Officer.

2. In Government Order second read above, among others, the Government have issued orders for providing Health care assistance upto the limit of ₹4 lakh in a block of 4 years commencing from 01.07.2012 to 30.06.2016 to the employees of Government Departments and their eligible family members drawing pay in the special time scales of pay with the monthly subscription of ₹150 under New Health Insurance Scheme, 2012.

3. During the meeting held on 06.04.2015 and 08.04.2015 under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Chief Minister and meeting held on 13.04.2015 by the Hon'ble Ministers for Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme, Higher Education and School Education with Nutritious Meal Workers Associations, the Government have interalia deliberated and decided to extend the New Comprehensive Health Insurance Scheme for the eligible Cook and Cook Assistant working under Puratchi Thalaivar M.G.R. Nutritious Meal Programme Scheme based on their willingness subject to the income ceiling of ₹72,000.

4. The Commissioner of Social Welfare in the letter third read above has sent a proposal to Government to extend the New Comprehensive Health Insurance Scheme to the Cooks / Cook Assistant and their eligible family members and exempt them from subscribing ₹150 per month from their pay, since they are coming within the annual income ceiling of ₹72,000 as stipulated under the Scheme and the New Comprehensive Health Insurance Scheme benefits will be cancelled to Cook / Cook Assistant as and when they get promoted a sum of ₹150 will be recovered from their pay for the subscription.

5. After careful examination, the Government have decided to issue orders extending the New Comprehensive Health Insurance Scheme to the eligible Cook / Cook Assistants working under Puratchi Thalaivar M.G.R. Nutritious Meal Programme Scheme, whoever exercising option to be covered under the Scheme and exempt them from subscribing ₹150 per month under New Health Insurance Scheme, 2012.

6. The above benefits shall automatically stand cancelled as and when they are promoted / elevated to the higher post or as and when their gross salary per month exceeds ₹6,000 whichever is earlier and will be covered under the existing Health Insurance Scheme with prescribed subscription.

7. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance (Salaries) Department vide its U.O.No.25101/Sal/2015, Dated.18.05.2015.

(By Order of the Governor)

Md. Nasimuddin,
Principal Secretary to Government.

To
The Commissioner of Social Welfare, Chennai-32.
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Tharamani, Chennai - 600113.
The Health and Family Welfare Department,
Chennai -9.