

No.S.14025/2/2008-MS
Government of India
Ministry of Health & Family Welfare
Department of Health & FW

Nirman Bhavan, New Delhi.
Dated the 20th February 2008.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Removal of OM No. F.33-4/59-H.I. dated the 18th/29th July, 1960, regarding treatment in hospitals outside District/State, from CS(MA) Rules, 1944.

The undersigned is directed to refer to OM No. F.33-4/59-H.I. dated the 18th/29th July, 1960, which is Government of India decision no.4 under Rule (6) of CS(MA) Rules, 1944, wherein the following conditions for the treatment in hospitals outside District/State but within India, are mentioned:

1. Necessary and suitable facilities for treatment are not available in a Government of recognized hospital at the District/State Headquarters or within the District or State where one falls ill, and
2. The treatment outside the District/State is recommended by the Authorized Medical Attendant and countersigned by the Chief Medical Officer of the District if the treatment is to be undertaken outside the district or by the Chief Administrative Medical Officer of the State if it is to be undertaken outside the State.

2. The undersigned is also directed to state that a number of representations from various hospitals, Central Government Employees Welfare Coordination Committees and from various Ministries were received in the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare stating that the OM No. F.33-4/59-H.I. dated the 18th/29th July, 1960 is in contradiction to this Ministry's OM No. S.14025/7/2000-MS Dated 28.3.2000, which allows the Heads of the Department/offices to grant permission to the Central Government Employees and to their family to obtain medical services from any private hospital recognized by CGHS in any city of his choice without TA/DA even if the treatment is available in the same city.

3. The representations received in the Ministry have been examined carefully and the undersigned is directed to convey the approval of the competent authority to delete OM No. F.33-4/59-H.I. dated the 18th/29th July, 1960 from CS(MA) Rules, 1944.

4. This Office Memorandum issues with the concurrence of IFD vide Dy. No.C-3155 dated 18.1.2008.


(Jai Prakash)

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1. All Ministries/Departments of Government of India.
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