



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
NOTIFICATION

No. F.24-18/56-A.1 dated 1st November, 1956

Read with notification No. F. 24-48/56 A-1 dated 13.2.1957 (as amended vide Ministry of Education Notification No. F.11.13/62-U.2 dated 1st October 1964).

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 25 of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956 (3 of 1956) the Central Government hereby makes the following rules to provide for the matters mentioned in clauses (a), (b) & of sub section (2) of Section 25 of the said Act, namely:-

1. Short title and Convencement

- (1) These rules may be called the University Grants Commission (Disqualification, retirement and conditions of service of members) rules, 1956.
- (2) They shall come into force on the 5th November, 1956.

2. Definitions

In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires:

- (a) "Chairman" means of the Chairman of the Commission.
- (b) "Commission" means the University Grants Commission established under Section 41.
- (c) "Section" means a section of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956; and
- (d) "Vice-Chairman" means the Vice-Chairman of the Commission.

(Inserted vide Ministry of Education & Social Welfare Notification No. F. 9-60/70-U.2 dated 15th January, 1973.)

3. Procedure for retirement of members under section

Omitted vide Ministry of Education & Social Welfare Notification No. F.9-60/70-U.2 dated 15th January, 1973.

4. Disqualifications

- (1) A person shall be disqualified for continuing as a member:
 - (a) If he becomes of unsound mind and stands so declared by a competent court; or
 - (b) If he is an undischarged insolvent.
- (2) If any member is, without permission of the Commission, absent from any four consecutive meetings of the Commission, he shall cease to be the member of the Commission.
- (3) Omitted— vide Ministry of Education and Social Welfare Notification No. 9-60/70-U.2 dated 15th January, 1973.

5. Terms and Conditions of Service of Member.

- (i) The Chairman shall be paid a salary of *Rs. 3,500 per months;

Provided that where the Chairman is a retired Government Officer, the salary payable shall be such as the Central Government may fix taking into consideration pension or pensionary value of terminal benefits, or both, received by him the Government for his past services.

(Substituted vide Ministry of Education and Social Welfare Notification No. F.9-60/70 U-2 dated 15th January, 1973)

- (ii) The Chairman shall be paid either the house rent allowance admissible to Central Government servants of the first grade drawing a pay of Rs. *Rs. 3,500 per mension or if the Central Government, having regard to the circumstances of any particular case, so directs, such house rent allowance not exceeding the rent actually paid by the Chairman for his residence subject however to a maximum of Rs. 525/- per month.
- (iii) Unless there is a contract to the contrary, the Chairman shall retire on his completing the age of sixty-five years.

Provided that the Central Government may order the retirement of the Chairman earlier if the special reasons it thinks fit to do so.

- (iv) Omitted—vide Ministry of Education and Social Welfare Notificaiton No. F. 9–60/70-U.2 dated 15th January, 1973.
- (v) “The Chairman shall be entitled to travel by the highest, class of accomodation available in the trade including air conditioned accomodation and shall also

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have the right to reserve by requisition a first class compartment when travelling by Railway on duty. He shall also be entitled to travel by air in his discretion.”

Note : A first class compartment for the purpose of this sub rule means two borted compartment or an air-conditioned coupe, where it is available, or a four berthod compartment, if a two borthed compartment or an air conditioned coupe is not available, in the train by which the Chairman travels.

- (vi) Except as otherwise provided in these rules, the Chairman shall be paid travelled allowance in accordance with the rules and orders applicable to Central Government servants of the first grade drawing a pay of Rs. 3,500 per mension;

Provided that the daily allowance payable to the chairman, while on duty outside his head quarters, shall be Rs. 30 per day.”

- (viA) The post of Vice-Chairman shall carry a scale of pay of Rs. 3000–100–3500;

Provided that where the Vice-Chairman is a retired Government officer, the salary so payable, together with the pension of the pensionary value of terminal benefits, or both, as the case may be, received by him from the Government for his past services, shall not exceed *Rs. 3,500/-

- (viB) The Vice-Chairman shall be paid the house rent allowance admissible to Central Government servants of the first grade * in the scale of Rs. 3,000-100-3500.

- (viC) The Vice-Chairman shall be allowed travelling facilities and travelling allowance in accordance with the rules and orders applicable to Central Government servants of the first* grade in the scale of Rs. 3000-100-3500;

Provided, that the daily allowance payable to the Vice-Chairman, while on duty outside his headquarters shall be Rs. 300 per day.

*Substituted vide Ministry of Education & Social Welfare Notification No. F.9-66/74-U.2 dated the 2nd November, 1974.