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voj lfpo {से.नि.}

xkeh.k fodkl foHkkxA

m)' ; %& The aim of these rules is to exercise restrictions on the Govt. servants so far their conduct, character and discharge of duty is concerned.

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fu"iknu ij restrictions j[kuk gA

fu;ekoyh cuk %& 10-2-76 &

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djr g, jkT;iky }kjk ljdkjh lodk d vkpkj dk fofu;fer dju d fy, fuEufyf[kr
fu;ekoyh cuk;k x;k & ¼dy 27 fu;e½ A >kj[k.M dh vf/klpuk 10 2496 fnukd 31-07-2001
}kjk l'kk/kuk d lkFk vxhdr fd;k x;kA

fu;e 1 l f{klr uke] ikjEHk vkj i;fDr %&

i. ;g fu;ekoyh fcgkj $\frac{1}{4}$ >kj[k.M $\frac{1}{2}$ ljdkjh lod vkpkj fu;ekoyh] 1976 dgyk,xhA

ii. ;g rjr ioUk gkxh $\frac{1}{4}$ ft l fnu xtV e idkf'kr gkxk] ml fnu l ykx& xtV e
10-2-76 dk & G.SR. No.-4 $\frac{1}{2}$

iii. ;g ,l iR;d 0;fDr ij ykx gkxh tk fcgkj@>kj[k.M jkT; d dk;k l lcf/kr
fdlh flfoy lok e ;k fdlh in ij fu;Dr gk vkj tk ljdkj dh fu;e cuku dh
fo/kk;h 'kfDr;k d v;/khu gkA (Who are subjected to the rules making
powers of the Govt.)

(Notes - Applicability- (1) The conduct Rules applies to every civilian employee. (2) Also applicable to an employee whose services are placed at the disposal of company, Corp. Organisation or Local Authority by the Govt. (3) Not applicable to all India service.

fu;ekoyh &2 %& ifjHkk"kk, &

$\frac{1}{4}$ d $\frac{1}{2}$ ljdkj %&

i.ml ljdkjh lod dh n'kk e ft l dh lok, Hkkjr ljdkj dk lkih xb gk] Hkkjr ljdkjA

ii.ml ljdkjh lod dh n'kk e ft l dh lok, fdlh vU; jkT; ljdkj dk lkih xb gk] ml jkT; dh ljdkjA

iii. vU; lHkh n'kkvk e] >kj[k.M ljdkj

$\frac{1}{4}$ [k $\frac{1}{2}$ ljdkjh lod & jkT; d dk;k d liknu d fy, fu;Dr ,lk dkb 0;fDr ft l d lc/k e jkT;iky lfo/kku d vuPNn 309 d v/khu fu;e cuku e l'kDr gkA

ldkjh lod Hky mldh lok, ljdkj }kjk fdlh dEiuh] fuxe] lxBu ;k LFkkuh; ikf/kdkj dk lkih xb gk] oru Hkh jkT; dh lfpr fuf/k l fHkUu vU; Jkr l ikrk gk] og ljdkjh lod ekuk tk;A

$\frac{1}{4}x^{\frac{1}{2}}$ **ljdkjh lod d ^ikfjokfjd lnL;* %&**

1- ifr@iRuh $\frac{1}{4}Hky$ l kFk jgr gk ;k ugh $\frac{1}{2}$

2- i=@i=h] lkryk i=] lkryh i=h tk i.kr% vkfJr gkA

3- vU; 0;fDr tk ljdkjh lod dh iRuh ;k ifr l jDr&lc/k ;k ookfgd lc/k j[krk gk
vkj ml ij i.kr% vkfJr gkA

$\frac{1}{4}?k^{\frac{1}{2}}$ **fofgr ikf/kdkjh %&**

i. jk t if=r ljdkjh lod d fy, ljdkj d ol foHkkx ftud lox e ;k LFkkiuk e o
j[k x, gkA

ii. J.kh&3 ,o 4 e ljdkjh lodk d fo"k; e fu;fDr ikf/kdkj@LFkkiuk i/kkuA

fu; ekoyh & 3

$\frac{1}{4}1\frac{1}{2}$ lkekU; & ljdkjh lod lnk (Every Government servant shall at all time)&

i. dUk0;fu"Bk j[kxk (Maintain devotion to duty; and)

ii. ijh 'khyfu"Bk j[kxkA (Maintain absolute integrity)

iii. v'kkHkuh; dk; l fojrA (do nothing which is unbecoming of a Government servant)

$\frac{1}{4}2\frac{1}{2}$ fu;=.kk/khu lHkh ljdkjh lodk dh 'khyfu"Bk vkj dUk0;fu"Bk cuk, j[kxkA

$\frac{1}{4}3\frac{1}{2}$ inh; dUk0;k d lEiknu] inUk 'kfDr;k d i;kx e mUke food l dke yxkA

mPprj inkf/kdkfj;k d fun'k d vuikyu d Øe e mudh fyf[kr lEif"V
iklr dj yxkA

vf/k l puk l0&2496 fnukd 31-07-2001 }kjk fu;e&3 d i'pkr 3 ¼, ¼i½ ,o ¼ii½ dk leko'k
fd;k x;k&

fu;ekoyh &3 , ¼i½ ;ku mRihMu ij fu"k/k

¼d½ dkb Hkh ljdkjh lod dk;LFkyk ij fdlh efgyk ljdkjh lod dk ;ku mRihMu ugh djxk
¼ii½ iR;d ljdkjh lod tk fdlh dk;LFky dk iHkkjh gk] el dk;LFky ij fdlh Hkh efgyk
ljdkjh lod d ;ku mRihMu l cpko d fy, lefpr mik; djxkA ;ku mRihMu e ,l l Hkh
okNuh; ;ku fu/kkfjr 0;ogkj ¼pkg lh/k :i l ;k vU;Fkk 'kkfey ugh gkxk½A

¼d½ 'kkjhfd lEid ,o bld fy, vx c<uk

¼[k½ ;ku vuefr d fy, vujk/k ;k ekx]

¼x½ ;ku jft r fVIif.k;kA

¼?k½ v'yhy lkfgR; fn[kkuk

¼M½ ;kuidfr dk dkb vU; vokNuh; 'kkjhfd] ekf[kd ;k xj&ekf[kd 0;ogkjA

fu;ekoyh &4 % dkb ljdkjh lod eknd i; vkj vk"kf/k dk lou %&

- dÜk0; d nkjku] fdlh eknd i; ;k vk"k/k d u'k l bl gn rd iHkkfor u jgxxk] ftll fd og viu dÜk0;k dk Bhd&Bkd vkj n{krkiod fuHkku e vleFk gk tk,A
- eknd i; ;k vk"k/k d i;kx dk vl;fer :i e vH;k lh u gxxkA
- lkotfud LFkku e u'k dh voLFkk e mifLFkr u gxxkA
- lkotfud LFkku e u'k dk lou ugh djxkA
- ftl {k= e gk ml {k= e ioÜk eknd i; ;k vk"k/k lc/kh fof/k dk dMkb d lkFk ikyu djxkA

fu;e & 5 % ikboV miØek e ljdkjh lodk d fudV lcf/k;k dk fu;ktu%&

- ,lh ikboV dEiuh] ftll inh; dkjckj gk ;k ljdkj d lkFk dkjckj pyrk gkA viu ikfjokfjd lnL; d fu;ktu d fy, inh; iHkko dk iR;{k ;k viR;{k i;kx ugh djxkA
- ljdkj d io vuefr d fcuk viu ikfjokfjd lnL; dk mDr J.kh dh ikboV dEiuh e fu;ktu dh vuKk ugh nxkA
- fdUr ;fn fu;ktu dh Lohdfr ljdkj dh vuefr dh irh{kk e jkdh ugh tk ldrh rk vLFkk;h rkj ij Lohdkj dju dh vuKk nxkA

- fdUr ;fn ljdkj dh vuKk dh vLohdfr d i'pkr Hkh mldk ikfjokfjd lnL; fu;ktu Lohdkj dj y rk og ljdkj dk rRlc/kh lpuk nxk ,o ;g Hkh fooj.k iLrr djxk fd ml dEiuh d lkFk D;k&D;k inh; dkjckj gA
- dkb ljdkjh lod ml dEiuh d ekey e dkb dkjokb ugh djxk] u Bdk nxk ft le mld ikfjokfjd lnL; dk fu;ktu gA

fu;e 6 jktuhfr ,o fuokpu e Hkkx yuk& dkb ljdkjh lod fdlh Hkh jktuhfrd ny vFkok lxBu dk

- u lnL;rk xg.k djxk
- u vkUnkyu e Hkkx yuk
- u pUnk nxk
- lod viuh ifjokj d lnL; dk u fdlh jktuhfrd vkUnkyu e Hkkx yu
- u lnL;rk xg.k dju
- u pUnk nu ;k vU; rjhd l enn igpku l jkdu dh p"Vk djxkA
- viuh p"Vk e foQy gk rk bl dh fyf[kr lpuk ljdkj dk nxk fdlh Hkh fuokpu e duokflx ugh djxkA
- ljdkjh lod }kjk viuh 'kjhj] lokjh ;k fuokl ij fdlh fuokpu fpUg d in'ku dk fuokpu e viuk iHkko Mkyuk ekuk tk,xkA

fu;e 7 % l?k ¼, lkf'k; 'ku½ e 'kkfey gkuk

- jk"V dh ,drk] v[kMrk] ykd 0;oLFkk] ufrd eY;k d ifrdy m)' ; oky fdlh l?k dk lnL; ugh gkxkA

fu;e 8 % in'ku vkj gMrky

dkb! ljdkjh lod %

- jk"V dh ,drk] v[kMrk] lj{kk fon'kk l e=hi.k lc/k] ykd 0;oLFkk] ufrdrk d fo:) fdlh gMrky& in'ku e Hkkx ugh yxkA
- viuh ;k vU; ljdkjh lod dh lok d lEc) fo"k; d lc/k e Hkh budk lgjk ugh yxkA

fu;e 9 % lepkj&i= ;k jfM;k l lc/k

- ljdkj dh io vuefr d fcuk fdlh lepkj i= ;k vU; vkof/kd idk'kuk dk Lokeh ugh gkxk vFkok lEiknu ugh djxkA
- ljdkj dh io vuefr d fcuk u iLrd idkf'kr djxk u fdlh ldYu e jpuk u nxkA
- u jfM;k ilkj.k d fy, u v[kckj ilkj.k d fy, jpuk Hk txkA vU; uke l ;k xeuke l Hkh bl dk; l fojr jgxkA

fu;e ¼9½ % viokn

fo'k) lkfgfR;d] dykRed ;k oKkfud jpuk,@iLrd y[ku ,o idk'kuA

fu;e 10 & ljdkj dh vkykpuk %&

dkb ljdkjh lod fdlh jfM;k ilkj.k e vFkok xeuke ;k N|uke l ;k viu uke l ;k fdlh vU;
0;fDr d uke l idkf'kr y[k; e ;k lepkj i= dk if'kr i=kfn e vFkok fdlh lkotfud dFku e dkb
,lk rF; ;k fopkj 0;Dr u djxk&

- ftldk vFk Hkkjr ljdkj ;k fdlh jkT; ljdkj dh fdlh ipfyr ;k ub uhfr ;k dk; dh ifr dy
vkykpuk gk] ;k
- tk Hkkjr ljdkj vkj fdlh jkT; ljdkj d ikjLifjd lc/k e dfBukb mRiUu dj ldrk gk]
- tk Hkkjr ljdkj vkj fdlh fon'kh jkT; dh ljdkj d ikjLifjd lc/k e dfBukb mRiUu dj ldrk
gkA

fu;e 11 & lfefr ;k fdlh vU; ikf/kdkj d le{k lk{;

fuEu lfefr@ikf/kdkj d vfrfjDr dgh vU; lk{; ugh nxkA

- ljdkj] lln] fo/kkueMy }kjk fu;Dr ifk/kdkj d le{k
- U;kf;d tkp d Øe e
- foHkkxh; tkp d Øe e

fu;e 12& tkudkjh dk vikf/kdr l lpuk

viu dr0;k l tMh lpuk, fdlh ,l ljdkjh lod ;k vU; 0;fDr dk l l fpr ugh djxk tk
mld fy, ikf/kdr ugh gA

fu;e 13& pnk

ljdkj ;k fofgr ikf/kdj.k dh io vuefr d fcuk fdlh Hkh m)' ;@fuf/k d fy, uxn@oLr
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ikf/kdkjh dh io etjh d fcuk] dkb ihfrnku Lohdkj u djxk ;k viu ifjokj d fdlh lnL;
;k mudh vkj l dke dj jg fdlh vU; 0;fDr dk dkb migkj Lohdkj dju dh vuefr u
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vU; lok vFkok vkfFkd ykHk vkr g] yfdu bld vUrxr vkdfLed Hkk tu] vkdfLed ihfrnku
;k vU; lkekftd vfrF; ugh vkr gA

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okf.kfT;d Qe] lxBu vkfn dk [kphyk ;k ckjckj vkfrF; Lohdkj dju l] vkj

$\frac{1}{4}$ iii $\frac{1}{2}$ fdlh lkotfud Hkou d f'kykU;k l ;k fdlh lekjpg d voljk ij HkV dh xb dkb djuh] p^kHkh ;k
,lh vU; oLr, Lohdkj dju ijgt djxkA

- $\frac{1}{4}$ 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ fookg] tUefrfEk] vUR;f"V vkj /kkfed io vkfn tl voljk ij ;fn ihfrnku nuk ipfyr
/kkfed ;k lkekftd iFkk d vu:i gk rk ljdkjh lod viu fudV lcf/k;k l ihfrnku Lohdkj
dj ldxk] fdUr ;fn ,l ihfrnku dk ey $\frac{1}{4}$ 500@15000 :0% l vf/kd gk rk og bldh lpuk
ljdkj dk nxkA
- $\frac{1}{4}$ 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ mifu;e $\frac{1}{4}$ 2 $\frac{1}{2}$;Fkk fofufn"V voljk ij ljdkjh lod viu lkFk inh; lc/k u j[ku oky
0;fDrxr fe=k l ihfrnku Lohdkj dj ldxk fdUr ;fn ,l ihfrnku dk eY; $\frac{1}{4}$ 200@6000 :0% l
vf/kd gk rk og bldh lpuk ljdkj dk nxkA
- $\frac{1}{4}$ 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ vU; fdlh Hkh n'kk e] ljdkjh lod ljdkj ;k fofgr ikf/kdkjh dh etjh d fcuk] ,lk dkb
ihfrnku Lohdkj u djxk] ;fn mldk eY; J.kh&1 ;k J.kh&2 dk in /kkj.k dju ljdkjh lod dh
n'kk $\frac{1}{4}$ 75@3000 :0% l vf/kd vkj J.kh&3 ;k J.kh&4 dk in /kkj.k dju oky ljdkjh lod dh
n'kk e $\frac{1}{4}$ 25@1000 :0% l vf/kd gkA

- ijUr ;fn ljdkjh lod d fy, ljdkj ;k fofgr ikf/kdkjh dh io etjh iklr djuk 0;ogk; u gk] rk og ,lk ihfrnku Lohdkj dju d ,d eghuk d Hkhrj ;FkkfLFkfr ljdkj ;k fofgr ikf/kdkjh dk bldh lpuk nxk ft le crk;xk fd fd u ifjfLFkfr;k e ,lk ihfrnku Lohdkj fd;k x;k vkj ;fn ljdkj ;k fofgr ikf/kdkjh ,l ihfrnku dk Lohdkj djuk vuekfnr u dj rk og ihfrnku mld nkrk dk ykVk nxkA

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fdUr ,l vk;k tuk d fy, pUnk nu d fy, ncko ugh nxkA

fu;e & 16 %& ikboV 0;kikj ;k fu;k tu

1- dkb ljdkjh lod] ljdkj dh io vuefr d fcuk] iR;{k ;k viR;{k :i l u rk dkb 0;kikj
djxk vkj u dkb fu;k tu Lohdkj djxk]

ijUr lkekftd] ijkidkjh dk; vFkok lkfgfR;d] dykRed ;k oKkfud <x dk Honorary dk;
fuEufyf[kr 'krk ij dj ldxk %&

- ,l dk; dh lpuk ljdkj dk nxk
- mld pyr mld inh; dr0;k e ck/kk u iMxh vkj
- og ,lk dk; NkM nxk] ;fn ljdkj ,lk fun'k nA

ijUr fuokfpr gku oky in dk /kkj.k dju d io ljdkj dh etjh d fcuk ,l in d fy,
fuokpu e [kMk ugh gkxkA chek , t l h d fy, Canvassing ugh djxkA

2- ifjokj dk dkb lnL; fdlh 0;kikj e yxk gk vFkok mldh viuh chek , t l h ;k deh'ku , t l h
gk rk ljdkjh lod bldh lpuk ljdkj dk nxkA

3- okf.kT;d mí'; oky fdlh diuh] lgdkjh lfefr d Registration ;k ic/ku e Hkkx ugh yxk]
ijUr fdlh lkfgfR;d] oKkfud ;k ijkidkjh lLFkk d jftLV'ku] ic/ku e 'krk d lkFk Hkkx y
ldxkA

4- viuh lifÜk dh fcØh vFkok vU; i;k tu d fy, ykVjh ugh djxkA

5- fdlh ykd fudk; ;k fdlh ikboV 0;fDr dk dkb dk; djd mld fy, Qh l ugh yxkA

fu;e & 17

/ku &fofu/kku ¼Investment½ _ .k yuk&nukA

Lvk d] 'k;j ;k vU; /ku&fofu/kku l l êck t h ugh djxkA

ifjokfjd lnL;k dk Hkh ,lk dju l jkdxk] vxj foQy jgk rk ljdkj dk lfpr djxkA

viu {k=kf/kdkj&dk;{k= d vUrxr u dt nxk] u C;k t ij :i;k yxk;xkA ijr ukdj ;k
fe= dk fcuk C;k t d m/kkj n ldxkA

viu inh; dUk0; l tM fdlh ik0 dEiuh] cd l u m/kkj djxk u mul /ku Investment
djxkA

io etjh d fcuk ikfjokfjd lnL;k dk Hkh bl idkj d 0;ogkj l jkdxk ;fn foQy jgk rk
ljdkj dk lfpr djxkA

fu;e & 18

fnokyk vkj d t[^lkkjh

,lk dkedkt pyko fd dt[^lkkjh ;k fnokfy;iu dh ukcr u vk,A ;fn _ .k dh olyh ;k
fnokfy;k d fy, fof/kd dk;okgh pykb tk; rk ,lh ifjfLFkfr gk rk lfpr djA

fu;e & 19

pyl vpy eY;oku lEifr

gjd ljdkjh lod] fdlh lok e ;k in ij viuh iFke fu;fDr d le; vkj mld ckn gjd
ckjg ekl d vUrjky ij viuh lEifr ¼Assets½ ,o nkf;Rok dh fooj.kh fofgr ii= e Hkj dj
tek djxkA

J.kh 4 d d lodk ij ykx ugh gkxkA

diMk] oru&oklu] iLrd vkfn t l h nfud miHkx dh oLrvk dk eY; 'kkfey djuk vko';d
ugh gA

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io vuefr d fcuk vpy lEifr dk vt u ;k fucVko ugh djxkA

vpy lEifr] vft r ;k fojklr] c/kd&iVV dk Hkh ijk C;kjkA

'k;j] fMopj] lp;h vkof/kd fu{ki&i=} uxnh vft r ;k fojklr e feyh gk mldk C;kjk nukA

py lEifr %&

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ekVj xkMh] ekVj lkbfdy] ?kkM ;k vU; lokjh

fjfÝt jVj] jfM;k vkfn dk C;kjk nxkA

vk; l vf/kd iek.k ekuk t k;xkA

fu;e 20 & Hkkjr l ckgj vpy lEifr d vt u vkj fucVko vFkok fonf'k;k d lkFk l0;ogkj ij ifrc/k
io etjh d fcuk Hkkjr l ckgj vpy lEifr d vt u] fucVko ;k fonf'k;k l ugh djxkA

fu;e 21 & **ljdkjh lod d dk;l vkj vkpj.k dk ifr leFku**
io etjh d fcuk viu dk; ;k vkpj.k d ifr leFku gr U;k;ky; ;k lekpkj&i= dh 'kj.k
ugh yxkA

fu;e 22 & **xj ljdkjh ;k vU; ckgjh iHkko }kjk duokflx**
viuh lok lEc) e viu fgr lk/ku d fy, viu mPPrj inkf/kdkfj;k ij jktfufrd ;k vU;
ckgjh iHkko ugh MkyxkA

fu;e 23 & **fookg d lEcU/k e ifrc/k**
1- dkb ljdkjh lod fdlh ,l 0;fDr d lkFk ftldk ifr ;k iRuh thfor gk fookg ;k fookg d fy,
djkh ugh djxk vkj
2- ,lk dkb ljdkjh lod ftldk ifr ;k iRuh thfor gk fdlh 0;fDr d fookg ;k fookg d fy, djkh
ugh djxkA

viokn

Personal Law ,o vU; dkb vk/kkj

3- Hkkjrh; ukxfjd l fHkUu fdlh vU; l fookg dh lpuk nxkA

fu;e & 24 ng t yuk] nuk dnkpkj dh J.kh e gkxkA

Note-Giving or taking or abetting the giving or taking of dowry shall be deemed to be a misconduct for which the Government servant concerned shall be liable for disciplinary action.

[Notes-'Dowry' means any property or valuable security given or agreed to be given either directly or indirectly-

(i) by one party to a marriage to the other party to the marriage; or

(ii) by the parents of either party to a marriage or by any other person to either party to the marriage or to any other person at or before or any time after the marriage as consideration for the marriage of the said parties, but does not include dower or mahr in the case of persons to whom the Muslim Personal Law (Shariat) applies.]

[Extract From "The Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961 (28 of 1961)"- Section 2. Definition of "dowry"-In this Act. "Dowry" means any property or valuable security given or agreed to be given either directly or indirectly-(a) by one party to a marriage to the other party to the marriage; or(b) by the parents of either party to a marriage or by any other person to either party to the marriage or to any other person; at or before or any time after the marriage in connection with the marriage of the said parties, but doesnot include dower or mahar in the case of persons to whom the Muslim Personal Law (Shariat) applies.

Explanation -The expression "valuable security" has the same meaning as in Section 30 of the Indian Penal Code (45 of 1860).

Note-Streedhanam, among Christians, falls within the definition of "Dowry"-Thomas Vs. Sarakutty, 1965 K.L.T. 368.

Extract From "The Indian Penal Code (45 of 1860)"-Section 30. "Valuable Security"-The words "Valuable Security" denote a document which is, or purports to be, a document whereby any legal right is created, extended, transferred, restricted, extinguished or released, or whereby any person acknowledges that he lies under legal liability, or has not a certain legal right.]

Comments and Case law

[Acceptance of dowry by Government servants- It was provided that dowry should be regarded as customary gift which a Government servant may accept without prior sanction and that subject to the provisions of the rules relating to gifts and transactions in immovable and movable property, all such gifts should be reported to the Government or other prescribed authority.]

Rule 25 Interpretation

For the purpose of this rule, the expression 'dowry' shall mean any property or valuable security, movable or immovable, given or received by or for a person in connection with the marriage of that person.

Rule 26 Delegation of Power

The Government may, by general or special order, direct that any power exercisable by it or any head of department under these rules (except the power under rule 23 and this rule) shall, subject to such conditions if any, as may be specified in the order, be exercisable also by such order or authority as may be specified in the order.

Rule 27 Cease and saving

Nothing in these rules shall be deemed to prevent the Government from making any order or taking any action which may be necessary or expedient for the purpose of giving effect to the provisions of these rules.