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Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
DEPARTMENT OF EXPENDITURE

New Delhi; dated 24<sup>th</sup> July 1971.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Grant of non-practising allowance to the Medical and Public health posts created by the various Ministries and Administrations.

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It is observed that the Ministries and Administrations/Organisations participating in the Central Health Service create medical and public health posts under the powers delegated to them or in consultation with their Associate Finance on the scales of pay and non-practising allowance sanctioned for the Central Health Service. While there is no objection to these Ministries and Administrations/Organisations sanctioning medical posts on a scale prevalent in that organisation and with the same designations, posts should not be created in the Central Health Service Categories with Non-practising allowance at the Central Health Service rates. If necessary, n.p.a. may be attached to such posts at the rate of 25% of pay subject to a minimum of Rs.150/- P.M. and a maximum of Rs.400/- P.M. only provided the following conditions are satisfied:

- (1) The post is a clinical one.
- (2) The post is a whole time post.
- (3) There is ample scope for private practice.
- (4) It is necessary to prohibit private practice in public interest.

2. If, however, it is decided to include such posts in the Central Health Service later the C.H.S. officers appointed to them will get N.P.A. in accordance with the Central Health Service (Amendment) Rules, 1966. Each such case is required to be examined on merits and in accordance with rule 5 and 6 of Central Health Service (Amendment) Rules, 1966.

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To:

All Ministries and Administrations/Organisations participating in the Central Health Services.

All Accountants General, etc.

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