

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA'S ORDERS

*D.A. allowances rate for official tour*  
 (1) Rates of Daily Allowance.— The rates of daily allowance (SR 51) are revised as follows with effect from the 1st September, 2008:—

Grade Pay	Daily Allowance
Officers drawing grade pay of ₹ 10,000 and above and those in pay scales of HAG+ and above.	Reimbursement for Hotel accommodation / guest house of up to ₹ 5,000 per day; reimbursement of AC taxi charges of up to 50 kms. for travel within the city and reimbursement of food bills not exceeding ₹ 500 per day.
Officers drawing grade pay of ₹ 7,600 to ₹ 8,900.	Reimbursement for Hotel accommodation of up to ₹ 3,000 per day; reimbursement of non-AC taxi charges of up to 50 kms. per diem for travel within the city and reimbursement of food bills not exceeding ₹ 300 per day.
Officers drawing grade pay of ₹ 5,400 to ₹ 6,600.	Reimbursement for Hotel accommodation of up to ₹ 1,500 per day; reimbursement of taxi charges of up to ₹ 150 per diem for travel within the city and reimbursement of food bills not exceeding ₹ 200 per day.
Officers drawing grade pay of ₹ 4,200 to ₹ 4,800.	Reimbursement for Hotel accommodation of up to ₹ 500 per day; reimbursement of travel charges of up to ₹ 100 per diem for travel within the city and reimbursement of food bills not exceeding ₹ 150 per day.
Officers drawing grade pay of below ₹ 4,200.	Reimbursement for Hotel accommodation of up to ₹ 300 per day; reimbursement of travel charges of up to ₹ 50 per diem for travel within the city and reimbursement of food bills not exceeding ₹ 100 per day.

In case of stay / journey on Government ships, boats, etc., or journey to remote places on foot / mules, etc., for scientific / data collection purposes in organization like FSI, Survey of India, GSI, etc., daily allowance will be paid at rate equivalent to that provided for reimbursement of food bill. However, in this case, the amount will be sanctioned irrespective of the actual expenditure incurred on this account with the approval of the Head of Department / Controlling Officer. For journeys on foot, an allowance of ₹ 5 per kilometre travelled on foot shall be payable additionally.

These rates shall automatically increase by 25% whenever the Dearness Allowance payable on the revised pay structure goes up by 50%.

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