

My No. DMS/Allowances/general  
Department of Management Services,  
Public Treasury,  
Colombo 01.  
08.08.2007.

TO: All Secretaries to the Ministries  
& Chairman of All Public Corporations  
Statutory Boards & Fully Government  
Owner Companies.

**Payment of Cost of Living Allowance to the Employees of the  
Public Corporations, Statutory Boards and Fully Owned  
Government Companies.**

Your attention is drawn to para 04 of the Management Service Circular No.27 of 17.01.2006 and the Management Services Circular No. 29(1) of 25.01.2007.

02. The cost of Living Allowance of Rs.1,750/- paid to the employees in Public Corporations, Statutory Boards, Fully Owner Government Companies in terms of Management Services Circular No.29(1) who are not receiving a cost of living allowance as per living index or a similar allowance' is revised as a monthly cost of living allowance of Rs. 2,125/- with effect from 01.07.2007.
03. The daily-paid-employees may pay an allowance of Rs.70.83 per day subject to maximum of Rs.2,125/- per month for the service rendered with effect from 01.07.2007.
04. If any classification is required in respect of this Circular please contact Mr. Saman Fernando, the Director, Department of Management Services (Tel No.2484644).

**Sgd./ P.B.Jayasundara  
Secretary to the Treasury  
And the Secretary to the  
Ministry of Finance & Planning.**

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3. Auditor General } for information please