

**TELANGANA STATE CIVIL
SERVICES (CONDUCT)
RULES, 1964**

- “Welcome to this new chapter of your lives. Each of you has earned your place here through dedication and determination. But today, **your journey transforms — from personal ambition to public responsibility.**
- “Will you merely occupy a post /seat, or will you create impact?”
- “Today, you are not just entering government service. **You are entering public trust.”**

RULE 1**Short title and application****Apply to:**

- Every person who is member of a civil service of the State
- Holds any civil post under the State
- In connection with the affairs of the state

Not Apply to:

- Judges
- Members of the All India Services..etc

RULE 2

Definitions

- **District - Means** a revenue district
- **Government - Means** the Government of TELANGANA STATE
- **Government Employee - holds** any civil post under the State

RULE 3

General

➤ **G.O.Ms.No. 1009, GA
(Ser C) Dept., Dt.18-6-65**

➤ **G.O.Ms.No. 72, G.A.
(Ser.C) Dept., Dt. 3-3-
98.**

➤ **G.O.Ms.No. 322,
G.A.(Ser.C) Dept., dt: 19-
7-1999**

➤ **G.O.Ms.No. 556, G.A.
(Ser.C) Dept., Dt. 14-12-
2005**

➤ **G.O.Ms.No. 381, G.A.
(Ser.C) Dept., dt: 18-12-
2003**

➤ **G.O.Ms.No. 555, G.A.
(Ser.C) Dept., Dt. 14-12-
2005**

➤ Maintain integrity, discipline,
impartiality

➤ Avoid unbecoming behavior

➤ No embarrassment to official
position

➤ Supervisors responsible for
subordinates' integrity

RULE 4

Strikes

- No Government employee shall participate in any strike

RULE 5

Demonstrations

▪ **G.O.Ms.No. 1009,
G.A.(Ser.C) Dept., Dt.18-
6-65**

▪ No Government employee shall participate in any demonstration which is against the interests of the sovereignty and integrity of India or Public order

RULE 6	Gifts, Service entertainment addresses and other forms of felicitation (Foreign Currency)
<p>▪G.O.Ms.No.1093, G.A.(Ser.C) Dept., Dt.30-9-64</p> <p>▪G.O.Ms.No.354, G.A.(Ser.C) Dept., Dt.8-8-1996</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ No Gifts▪6-A: Every Government Employee shall intimate to the Competent Authority within fifteen days from the date of receipt of any foreign currency or foreign goods of value of more than Rs.10,000/-

RULE 7**Subscriptions**

- No Government employee shall, except with the previous sanction of Government, ask for, or accept or in any way participate in the raising of, any subscriptions or other pecuniary assistance in pursuance of any object whatsoever.

RULE 8

Lending borrowing and insolvency

•G.O.Ms.No. 224, G.A.
(Ser.C) Dept Dt.23-3-
74

▪No Government employee shall, save in the ordinary course of business with a bank or a public limited company, himself or through any member of his family or any person acting on his behalf

RULE 9

Acquiring or disposing of immovable property

- G.O.Ms.No.807 G.A. (Ser.C) Dept., Dt.2-12-77.
- G.O.Ms.No.602, G.A. (Ser.C) Dept., Dt.30-11-82,
- G.O.Ms.No.105, G.A. (Ser.C) Dept., Dt.20-2-84
- G.O.Ms.No.705, G.A.D Dt.28-11-84
- G.O.Ms.No. 471 G.A.D., Dt.17-9-94
- G.O.Ms.No. 681, G.A.D., dt. 11-9-07
- G.O.Ms.No. 528, G.A.Dept., dt. 19-8-08
- G.O.Ms.No.52, G.A. (Ser.C) Dept., Dt.4-2-1988
- G.O.Ms.No.881, G.A. (Ser.C) Dept., Dt.11-11-70
- G.O.Ms.No. 7, G.A. (Ser.C) Dept., Dt.16-1-2004
- G.O.Ms.No. 381 G.A. (Ser.C) Dept., Dt. 18-12-2003

▪No Government employee shall, except after previous intimation to Government, acquire or dispose of or permit any member of his family to acquire or dispose of, any immovable property by exchange, purchase, sale, gift or otherwise either by himself or through others.

RULE 10

Private Trade Business and as Investment

•G.O.Ms.No. 1025, G.A.
(Ser.C) Department, Dt.
5-12-67

- No Government employee shall engage directly or indirectly in any trade or business save in the course of his official duties

RULE 11**Promotions and Management of companies in Private capacity**

- No Government employee shall in his private capacity, except with the previous sanction of Government, take part in the promotion, registration or management of any bank or other company registered under the relevant law for the time being in force.

RULE 12

Private Employment

- G.O.Ms.No.73, GA (Ser-C) Dept. Dt. 12-2-1968.
- G.O.Ms.No.542, GA (Ser-C) Dept. Dt. 24-8-68.
- Proviso G.O. Ms. No.911, GA (Ser-C) Dept. Dt.8-10-1971.
- G.O.Ms.No.1074, GA (Ser-C) Dept. Dt. 16-11-1971.
- G.O.Ms.No.1219, GA (Ser-C) Dept. Dt. 18-12-71.

▪No Government employee shall , except with the previous sanction of Government negotiate for or undertake any employment or work other than that connected with the official duties

RULE 13

Publications of books.

•G.O.Ms.No.1591, GA
(Ser-C) Dept. Dt. 25-8-
1965.

▪without the previous permission of
Government, publish any book,

RULE 14	Communication of official documents or information
•G.O.Ms.No.114, GA (Ser-C) Dept. Dt. 16.03.2009.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪Every Government servant shall, in performance of his duties in good faith, communicate to a member of public or any organization full and accurate information which can be disclosed under the Right to Information Act,2005(Central Act 22 of 2005).

RULE 15	Connection with Press
<ul style="list-style-type: none">•No Government employee shall except with the previous sanction of Government, own wholly or in part, or conduct, or participate in the editing or the management of, any newspaper or non-government publication	

RULE 16	Participation in Radio Broadcast and contribution to News papers and Periodicals
•G.O.Ms.No. 433, G.A. (Ser.C) Dept., dt: 24-8-2006	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪No Government employee shall, except with the previous sanction of Government or any authority empowered by them in this behalf or in the course of discharge of his official duties, participate in a Radio broadcast or Drama or Tele-serial or Feature Film or contribute any article or write any letter in his own name or anonymously, pseudonymously or in the name of any other person to a newspaper or periodical

RULE 17**Criticism of the policy or action of Govt. or any other State Govt. or Central Govt.**

•No Government employee shall, by any public utterance, written or otherwise, criticise any policy or action of Government or any other State Government or the Central Government; nor shall he participate in any such criticism

RULE 18**Evidence before any committee,
commission or other authority**

- No Government employee shall give evidence in connection with any inquiry conducted by any committee, Commission or other authority

RULE 19

Participate in political movement

•Amendment to
G.O.Ms.No.77, G.A.
(Ser.C) Dept., dt.8-02-
90.

▪No Government employee shall be a member of any political party or any organisation in respect of which there is slightest reason to think that the organisation has a political aspect and takes part in politics; nor shall he participate in, subscribe in aid of, or assist in any other manner, any political movement or activity.

RULE 20

Vindication of acts and character of a Government employee

- No Government employee shall, except with the previous sanction of Government, have recourse to the press or any court for the vindication of his official act which has been the subject matter of adverse criticism or an attack of a defamatory character in public

RULE 21

Working with or under, near relatives in Govt. Service

- Every member of a State Service shall inform his immediate official superior if a member of a State or Subordinate Service, who is his near relative is to work under him
- Every member of a State or Subordinate Service shall inform his immediate official superior if he is to work under a member of an All India Service or a State Service who is his near relative.

RULE 22**Employment of a member of the family in a private firm**

- Whenever a member of the family of a Government employee who is solely dependent on him wishes to accept employment under any person, or with any firm or company, having official connection with such Government employee or Government, the Government employee shall obtain the prior sanction of Government for such employment.

RULE 23

Govt. employee not to deal in his official capacity with matters concerning himself, his relatives or dependents.

- No Government employee shall deal, in his official capacity, with any matter which directly or indirectly concerns himself or any of his relatives or dependents.

RULE 24

Influencing the authorities for furtherance of interests.

▪G.O.Ms.No.1481,
G.A. (Ser.C) Dept.,
dt.06-08-65.

▪extraneous influence to bear upon any authority for the furtherance of his interests

RULE 25

Bigamous marriage

•**G.O.Ms.No.1009 G.A.
(Ser.C) Dept., dt.10-
06-65.**

•**G.O.Ms.No. 168, G.A.
(Ser.C) Dept.,
dt.06.03.1990**

▪No Government employee who has a wife living shall contract another marriage without first obtaining the permission of the Government, notwithstanding that such subsequent marriage is permissible under the personal law for the time being applicable to him

RULE 26

Intoxicating Liquor

•(G.O.Ms.No.513, G.A.
(Ser.C) Dept.,
dt.19.12.2002)

▪Drinking: Notwithstanding anything contained in the provisions of any Law relating to intoxicating drinks or drugs for the time being in force in any area

RULE 27	Interpretation
<ul style="list-style-type: none">•If any question arises relating to the interpretation of these rules, the decision of Government thereon shall be final.	

RULE 28**Repeal**

- Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, are hereby repealed
- Provided that such repeal shall not affect the previous operation of any action taken or orders or instructions issued there under, and subject thereto, anything done or any action taken under the rules so repealed shall be deemed to have been done or taken under these rules

RULE 29**Saving of other Laws (Annexure-III)**

- The provisions of these rules shall be in addition to, and not in derogation, of any other law or order of any competent authority, for the time being in force, regulating the conduct of Government employees in the State.

“Your signature will carry weight. Your decisions will impact lives. Your conduct will define trust.”

Thank You