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(Survey & Utilisation Division)

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**Dated: 22nd November, 2024**

**ORDER**

**Sub: Terms and Conditions of service of Chairperson and Expert Members of Central Empowered Committee (CEC).**

With reference to Para 6 of the Ministry's Gazette Notification No. S.O. 3946 (E) dated 5<sup>th</sup> September, 2023, the Terms and Conditions of service of Chairperson and Expert Members of Central Empowered Committee (CEC) shall be as follows:

1. Regulation of Remuneration of the Chairperson and Expert Members of the CEC will be determined as per the applicable provisions in the DOE OM No. 3-25/2020-E.III A dated 9<sup>th</sup> December 2020 in the context of retired Government Employees.
2. A fixed monthly amount shall be admissible, arrived at by deducting the basic pension from the pay drawn at the time of retirement. The amount of remuneration so fixed shall remain unchanged for the term of the contract. There will be no annual increment/percentage increase during the contract period.
3. An appropriate and fixed amount as Transport Allowance for the purpose of commuting between the residence and place of work shall be allowed not exceeding the rate applicable at the time of retirement. The amount so fixed shall remain unchanged during the term of appointment. Additionally, the Chairperson and Expert Members shall be entitled to Travel Allowance (TA) and Daily Allowance (DA) on official tour in accordance with the rates applicable at the time of their retirement.

This issue with the approval of the competent authority.

  
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**Distributions:-**

1. Chairperson and Expert Members of the Central Empowered Committee.
2. O/o Minister of EF&CC
3. O/o MoS of EF&CC

4. PPS to Secretary (EF&CC)
5. PPS to DGF&SS, MoEF&CC
6. ADGF (FC)/ADGF (WL)/ADGF (PT&E)/SS (TK)/AS (NPG)/ AS(ADG)/AS&FA, MoEF&CC
7. All IGFs/ JS (GA), MoEF&CC.
8. Member Secretary, CEC.
9. Director (GA), MoEF&CC.
10. US (IT)/Consultant (IT) for updation on website.
11. Guard File.