In respect of officers in HAG  $\pm$  and the apex scale, the basic pay as defined in CCS(RP) Rules will be considered for determination of entitlement of Daily Allowance.

- b) The classification of cities/towns, as per orders prevalent with the old rates as precluded vide OM dated 17.04.1998 will continue to apply.
- 4. TA claims already settled as on the date of issue of these orders may not be re-opened.

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