

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB  
DEPARTMENT OF RELIEF AND RESETTLEMENT  
R & R BRANCH

To

All Deputy Commissioners  
in the State of Punjab.

All Sub Divisional Officers(C)  
in the State of Punjab.

Memo No.12(94)92/ RR.G/ 5146  
Chandigarh, dated the 31st July, 1992

Subject: Relief to the terrorist affected /  
payment of Rental Allowance.

It has come to the notice of the Government that there are fraudulent transactions in the payment of Rental Allowance to the migrants in the State of Punjab and this is because of the fact that the instructions as issued from the State Government of Punjab have not been observed meticulously.

2. As per the Government instructions, rental allowance is paid on the receipt of application from the head of the internal migrant family alongwith an affidavit on Judicial paper duly attested that the applicant does not have any house at the place of resettlement as an owner on the date of application. The affidavit contains, besides other particulars, the details of premises taken on hire and the same could be easily verified on checking. The payment of rental allowance is made every quarter in advance. It has been brought to the notice of the Government that in many cases, payment of arrears of rental allowance has been made for more than one quarter by accepting the application at a later stage. The wrongful expenditure could have been avoided if the instructions on the subject as issued from time to time had been observed in letter and spirit. It is desired <sup>that</sup> the cases where arrears of rental allowance

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have been paid be listed in an alphabetic order and copies supplied to this Department early. It is further desired that where payments have not been made for the last six months, the cases should be thoroughly examined through inquiry before making the payment or reference to Government for approval.

3. It is to request you to impress upon all concerned that the cases relating to the disbursement of relief to the terrorist affected should not be allowed to drag on at a leisurely pace and that due promptitude and despatch should be shown in dealing with such matters at all levels.

4. Receipt of this communication may please be acknowledged.

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( SURAAJ KUMAR )  
DEPUTY DIRECTOR R & R

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District Relief and Resettlement Officers  
in the State of Punjab .