

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**  
**ABSTRACT**

ANDHRA PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION - Sri K. Sudhakara Rao, appointed as State Information Commissioner – Salary and Allowances payable and other terms and conditions during his term of Office as State Information Commissioner – Orders - Issued.

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**GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (I&PR.II) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Ms.No.166**

**Dated 29.03.2006.**

**Read the following:**

1. G.O.Ms.No. 504, G.A.(I&PR-II) Department, dated: 12.11.2005.
2. G.O.Ms.No. 505, G.A.I&PR-II) Department, dated: 12.11.2005.

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**ORDER:**

In the G.O. 2<sup>rd</sup> read above under Section 15 of the RTI Act 2005, Sri K. Sudhakara Rao, was appointed as State Information Commissioner (SIC) in Andhra Pradesh Information Commission constituted in the G.O. 1<sup>st</sup> read above and His Excellency the Governor of Andhra Pradesh has administered oath of office on 15.11.2005 and started functioning from that date.

2. In view of the above, keeping in view the provision under Section 16(5) of the RTI Act 2005, Government hereby order that the terms and conditions of service of Sri K. Sudhakara Rao, during his tenure as State Information Commissioner shall be as follows:-

**Term:** His term of office as State Information Commissioner shall be 5 years from the said date on which he entered upon his office or till he attains the age of 65 years, which ever is earlier.

**Status:** His status shall be the same as that of Chief Secretary to the State Government.

**Pay and Allowances:**

1. He shall be paid an amount of Rs.26,000/- per month.
2. Dearness Allowances & Dearness Pay as admissible to AIS officers on monthly remuneration.
3. He shall be eligible for CCA as applicable to the Chief Secretary to the State Government.

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**Leave:**

1. He shall be eligible for leave on par with AIS officers and such leave will be sanctioned by the State Chief Information Commissioner.
2. He shall be eligible for surrender of earned leave on par with the AIS officers for the purpose of encashment.
3. He shall be eligible for encashment of EL at the time of demitting office standing at his credit.

**Accommodation:** He shall be eligible for Government accommodation on par with the Chief Secretary of the State Government. In case he is staying in his own house/rented house, he will be paid Rs.16,000/- p.m.

**Medical Facilities:** He and his family members shall be governed by the All India Medical Attendant Rules 1954 and instructions issued thereon from time to time.

**Vehicle:** He shall be paid Rs.18,000/- p.m. towards vehicle in lieu of Government vehicle for official purpose.

**Telephones:** He shall be provided with telephones one at office and another at his residence with STD facility and a cell phone with a National Roaming facility (Rs.5,000/-package) from the date of assumption.

**LTC :** He shall be eligible for LTC as applicable to IAS Officers.

**Administration and other residuary matters:** Other administrative matters relating to terms and conditions of his service with respect to which no express provision has been made shall be as applicable to the Chief Secretary of the State Government.

3. This order is issued with the concurrence of Finance (Expr.GAD.I) Department vide their U.O. No.1090/72/A2/Expr.GAD.I/2006, dated 22.03.2006.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**K.V. RAMANACHARY,  
EX.OFFICIO SECY. TO GOVT.(I&PR)**