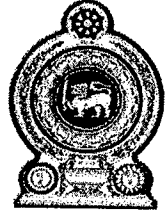




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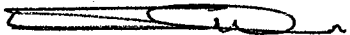
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**SECTION 13 CHAPTER XXIV OF THE ESTABLISHMENT CODE**  
**FESTIVAL ADVANCE**

Your attention is drawn to Public Administration Circular No: 31/2008 of 31<sup>st</sup> December 2008, copy of which is annexed herewith.

2. In terms of the above circular Festival Advance of Rs.3,000/= is revised as Rs.5,000/= with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2009.
3. These provisions will be implemented with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2009.

  
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To all Secretaries to Ministries,  
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**Section 13, Chapter XXIV of Establishments Code - Festival Advance**

Your attention is hereby drawn to Para 01 of Public Administration Circular 03/2003 dated 19.03.2003 issued on the above matter.

02. For the purpose of paying festival advance for public servants, advance on salary of Rs. 3000/-, mentioned in Subsection 13:2 Chapter XXIV of Establishments Code, is hereby revised as Rs. 5000/-.

03. These provisions shall take effect from 01.01.2009, whilst other instructions in this regard shall remain unchanged.

04. This circular is issued with the concurrence of General Treasury.

Sgd./ D. Dissanayake  
Secretary  
Ministry of Public Administration &  
Home Affairs.