

5. Termination of Temporary Service

(1) (a) The services of a temporary Government servant shall be liable to termination at any time by a notice in writing given either by the Government servant to the Appointing Authority or by the Appointing Authority to the Government servant;

(b) the period of such notice shall be one month:

Provided that the service of any such Government servant may be terminated forthwith and on such termination, the Government servant shall be entitled to claim a sum equivalent to the amount of his pay *plus* allowances for the period of the notice at the same rates at which he was drawing them immediately before the termination of his services or, as the case may be, for the period by which such notice falls short of one month.

NOTE — The following procedure shall be adopted by the Appointing Authority while serving notice on such Government servant under Clause (a):—

- (i) The notice shall be delivered or tendered to the Government servant in person;
- (ii) Where personal service is not practicable, the notice shall be served on such Government servant by registered post acknowledgement due at the address of the Government servant available with the Appointing Authority;
- (iii) If the notice sent by registered post is returned unserved, it shall be published in the Official Gazette and upon such publication, it shall be deemed to have been personally served on such Government servant on the date it was published in the Official Gazette.

(2) (a) Where a notice is given by the Appointing Authority terminating services of a temporary Government servant, or where the service of any such Government servant is terminated either on the expiry of the period of such notice or forthwith by