

**THE SALARY AND ALLOWANCES OF GOVERNMENT CHIEF  
WHIP (MANIPUR) ~~BILL~~, 1989**

~~Act~~  
An  
~~BILL~~ Act

*to provide for the Salary and Allowances of the Government Chief Whip and for matters connected therewith.*

BE it enacted by the Legislature of Manipur in the Fortieth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

**1. Short title and commencement.**—(1) This Act may be called the Salary and Allowances of Government Chief Whip (Manipur) Act, 1989.

(2) It shall come into force on its publication in the official Gazette.

**2. Definitions.—**In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires,—

- (a) "Government Chief Whip" means a member of the Manipur Legislative Assembly or a Minister designated by the Chief Minister as the Government Chief Whip in the Legislative Assembly;
- (b) words and expressions not defined herein and defined in the Salaries and Allowances of Ministers (Manipur) Act, 1972 (Manipur Act No. 3 of 1972) shall have the same meaning respectively as are assigned to them in that Act.

**3. Salary and Allowances of the Government Chief Whip.—**The Government Chief Whip shall be paid such salary, conveyance allowances, entertainment allowance, travelling and daily allowances and shall also be entitled to such other amenities as are provided for a Minister under the Salaries and Allowances of Ministers (Manipur) Act, 1972 (Manipur Act No. 3 of 1972) and rules made thereunder.

**EXPLANATION:—**For the purposes of this section, "a Minister" means a member of the Cabinet in the Council of Ministers.

**4. Government Chief Whip not to draw any salary as a Member.—**The Government Chief Whip shall not be entitled to receive any sum out of funds provided by the Assembly by way of salary and allowances to Members thereof:

Provided that if a Minister is designated as a Government Chief Whip, he shall not be entitled to any salary, allowances and other amenities specified in this Act and he shall be governed by the provisions of the Salaries and Allowances of Ministers (Manipur) Act, 1972 (Manipur Act No. 3 of 1972).

## STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

**The Working Group of IX All India Whips' Conference recommended that Whips of the party forming the Government should be known as Government Whips. The Status of the Government Chief Whip should be that of a Minister. This recommendation has been considered and it is felt that the Government Chief Whip should be given the Status of a Cabinet Minister.**

2. The object of the present Bill is to provide for payment of salary and allowances to the Government Chief Whip at par with that of a Cabinet Minister. The facilities and emenities to which he shall be entitled will be given on a statutory basis.

Hence, this Bill.

Dated, Imphal,  
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R.K. JAICHANDRA SINGH

## FINANCIAL MEMORANDUM

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The Bill when enacted will involve ~~A~~ recurring expenditure from the Consolidated Fund of the State of Manipur to the extent of Rs. 12,375/- approximately per annum.

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