

B.Com Part III

Taxation Law and Accounts

Salaries

Under Section 17(1) of Income-Tax

Act, the term 'Salaries' includes the following receipts -

- (i) Basic Salary or Wages
- (ii) Dear Anuity or Pension
- (iii) Bonus
- (iv) Gratuity
- (v) Fee, Commission and Interim Relief
- (vi) Overtime Payments
- (vii) Advance Salary and Arrears of Salaries
- (viii) Encashment of EarnedLeave
- (ix) Taxable part of Transferred Balance
- (x) Annual accretion in Employee's Recognized Provident Fund.
- (xi) Contribution made by Central Government in previous year under a notified pension scheme in employees account referred to in Section 80CCD.
- (xii) Compensation on Retirement.
- (xiii) Amount received on voluntary Retirement.

Allowances

Payments made by the employer to his employee monthly, other than salary is called as allowance. A salaried person may get some other cash receipts in the form of allowances besides salary. Some of these allowances are exempt for all types of employees while some allowances are partially exempt.

From the view of Income-tax, various types of allowances are given below —

A. Taxable Allowances — Taxable

Allowances are as below —

- (i) Dearness Allowance
- (ii) Dearness Pay
- (iii) Dearness Allowance under Service condition
- (iv) City Compensation Allowance
- (v) Medical Allowance
- (vi) Servant Allowance
- (vii) Warden and Proctor Allowance