

No.004/MSC/032  
Government of India  
Central Vigilance Commission  
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Satarkta Bhawan, Block 'A',  
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New Delhi- 110 023  
Dated the 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept., 2004

**Office Order No. 60/9/04**

To

All Chief Vigilance Officers

**Subject: Acceptance of gifts by Government servants.**

Sir/Madam,

Please refer to the Commission's letter No.002/MSC/70 (Office Order No. 40/8/2003) dated the 27<sup>th</sup> August 2003 on the subject cited above. While the Commission reiterates its instructions issued vide the aforesaid office order and emphasizes that the practice by PSUs etc. of sending gifts to government servants on the occasion of festivals be discouraged, it is clarified that these instructions would not apply to mementoes, diary & calendar, etc. brought out by PSUs etc. for publicity and business promotion.

2 All CVOs are requested to bring this to the notice of all concerned. They should furnish a report on the expenditure incurred by them on festival gifts during this year, in their monthly and the annual report to the Commission.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

(Anjana Dube)  
Deputy Secretary

