

## J. Y. Interpretation No.11 (November 22, 1952) \*

**ISSUE:** May a civil servant concurrently serve as a newspaper or magazine director, manager, reporter or any other staff?

### **RELEVANT LAWS:**

Article 14, Paragraph 1 of the Public Functionary Service Act  
(公務員服務法第十四條第一項).

### **KEYWORDS:**

civil servant (公務員), director (社長), manager (經理), reporter (記者).\*\*

**HOLDING:** The J.Y. Interpretation No.6 had previously held that, except as otherwise provided for in other laws, a civil servant cannot serve concurrently as a civil servant and the publisher or editor of any newspaper and magazine under Article 14, Paragraph 1, of the Public Functionary Service Act. Based on the same rationale, a civil servant cannot serve concurrently as a civil servant and the director, manager, reporter or employee of any newspaper and magazine

**解釋文：**公務員不得兼任新聞紙類及雜誌之編輯人、發行人，業經本院釋字第六號解釋有案，至社長、經理、記者及其他職員，依公務員服務法第十四條第一項之規定，自亦不得兼任。

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under Article 14, Paragraph 1, of the Public Functionary Service Act.