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OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL (A&E), WEST BENGAL
TREASURY BUILDINGS, KOLKATA - 700 001.

Circular No. Pen. Co-ordn./Tripura/Vol.- VI/DR-Judi/169

Date : 16-01-2024

Subject : Grant of dearness relief to the pre-01-01-2016 pensioners/family pensioners of Tripura Government Judicial Services at the rate commensurate to the rate payable to the Central Government employees from time to time with effect from 01-01-2016 onwards.

In continuation to this office circular No. Pen. Co-ordn./Tripura/Vol.- VI/Revision-Judi/104 dated 19-10-2023, this is to state that the Government of Tripura in their Law Department Addendum No. F.1(1)-SECY/LAW/MISE/2019 (Part-I)/254-285 dated 14-08-2023 has decided that the retired pre-01-01-2016 Judicial Officers/family pensioners shall be entitled to get dearness relief (DR) on their revised basic pension/family pension at the rate commensurate to the rate of dearness relief payable to the Central Government employees from time to time with effect from 01-01-2016.

2. As such, dearness relief to such pensioners/family pensioners shall be paid at the rate and from the date mentioned below :

<i>Date of effect</i>	<i>Rate of dearness relief per month</i>
01-01-2016	N I L
01-07-2016	2% of basic pension/family pension
01-01-2017	4% of basic pension/family pension
01-07-2017	5% of basic pension/family pension
01-01-2018	7% of basic pension/family pension
01-07-2018	9% of basic pension/family pension
01-01-2019	12% of basic pension/family pension
01-07-2019	17% of basic pension/family pension
01-07-2021	31% of basic pension/family pension
01-01-2022	34% of basic pension/family pension
01-07-2022	38% of basic pension/family pension
01-01-2023	42% of basic pension/family pension
01-07-2023	46% of basic pension/family pension

3. As regards grant of dearness relief in future, clarification has been sought for from the o/o the Principal Accountant General (A&E), Tripura, on receipt of reply circular will be issued accordingly.

4. Other existing allowances for retired Judicial Officers/family pensioners shall continue until further order.

5. Having been authorised by the Principal Accountant General (A&E), Tripura in their letter No. Pen-1/Tripura Relief/Judicial/2023-24/16946 dated 08-12-2023 read with Pen-1/Tripura Relief/Judicial/2023-24/17228 dated 01-01-2024, it is requested to make necessary arrangement for payment of dearness relief to all eligible pre-01-01-2016 pensioners/family pensioners of Tripura Government Judicial Services at the rate and from the date mentioned above after proper adjustment.

6. The charges on this account are debitable to the head "8793-I.S.S.A/cs.; Government of Tripura etc."

Receipt of the circular may please be acknowledged.


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