



महालेखाकार (ले व ह) केरल का कार्यालय, तिरुवनन्तपुरम-695 001
OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL (A&E), KERALA,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM - 695 001



P19/IV/DRSSA-36/2020-21/

Date 28.12.2020

To ✓
All District/Sub Treasury Officers/Banks

Sir,

Sub: Extension of Period for submission of Life Certificate – Central Government Pensioners – reg.

- Ref: 1. OM No. 18/1/2020-P&PW(C)-6681 dated New Delhi 11.09.2020 of Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pension, Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare
2. G.O. No. AIS-C2/182/2020-GAD received from General Administration (AIS-C) Department, Thiruvananthapuram dated 15.10.2020
3. Note No. PM/2/Gen/Endtt. dated 26.06.2020

I am to enclose herewith the copy of G.O. cited under reference 2, received from General Administration (AIS-C) Department, Thiruvananthapuram, Government of Kerala regarding Extension of Period for submission of Life Certificate – Central Government Pensioners. The same is being placed in the official website of this office, www.cag.gov.in/ae/kerala/en, under pension – download under the link "Treasury Endorsement of Orders for other state Pensioners". A copy of this letter may be exhibited on the notice board of the treasuries.

Yours faithfully


4/11/2021
Sr. Accounts Officer

Copy to

The Director of Treasuries
Thiruvananthapuram

-Sd-
Sr. Accounts Officer

M
28/10

PM

154282
27-10-2020p10/2/69
30-10-2020

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

No. AIS-C2/182/2020-GAD

General Administration (AIS-C) Department,
Thiruvananthapuram,
Dated: 15/10/2020From
The Chief Secretary to GovernmentTo
The Principal Accountant General (A&E), Kerala,
Thiruvananthapuram.

Sir,

Sub: Extension of Period for submission of Life Certificate from October 2020 till December 2020 - intimation - reg.

Ref: Office Memorandum No. 18/1/2020-P&PW(C)-6681 dated 11.09.2020 from the Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare, Government of India.

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of the Government of India O.M. at reference regarding the Extension of Period for submission of Life Certificate from October 2020 till December 2020 for your information and necessary action.

Yours Faithfully,

Signature valid

Digitally signed by Manikantan R
Date: 2020.10.15 11:37:10 IST
Reason: Approved

MANIKANTAN R
UNDER SECRETARY
For Chief Secretary to Government.

8th Floor, Janpath Bhavan,
Janpath, New Delhi,
Dated: 11th September, 2020

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: - Extension of period for submission of Life Certificate from October 2020 till December 2020.

Every Central Government pensioner has to submit life certificate in the month of November for further continuation of his/her pension. It has been observed that a large number of Central Government pensioners physically visit bank branches for this purpose.

2. Earlier, as a measure to enable additional dedicated time to very senior pensioners, this department, vide its OM No. 1/20/2018-P&PW(E), dated 18.07.2019, allowed the pensioners in the age group of 80 years and above, to submit Life Certificate from 1st October onward instead of 1st November, every year.

3. In view of the ongoing Covid-19 pandemic and keeping in view of the vulnerability of elderly population to Corona Virus, it has now been decided to extend the existing timeline for submission of Life Certificate. This year, all Central Government pensioners may submit Life Certificate from 1st November, 2020 onward, till 31st December 2020. However, the pensioners in the age group of 80 years and above, can submit Life Certificate from 1st October, 2020 onwards, to 31st December, 2020. During this extended period, the pension will be continued to be paid by the Pension Disbursing Authorities (PDAs) uninterrupted.

4. Further, in the line of RBI notification no. RBI/2019-20/138, dated January 9, 2020, which permits Video based Customer Identification Process (V-CIP) as a consent based alternate method of establishing the customer's identity, PDAs may also explore the said methodology for obtaining a Life Certificate from the pensioner, to the extent permitted by RBI guidelines, in order to avoid rush at the branches.

5. The above measures are expected to avoid rush at branches and maintain social distancing, while obtaining Life Certificates from the elderly this year. PDAs shall also ensure proper arrangements and social distancing measures at the branches and prevent overcrowding.

6. All Pension Disbursing Authorities are requested to take note of this OM for compliance and give wide publicity to the same amongst the pensioners.

This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

Rajesh Kumar

(Rajesh Kumar)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

To,

1. CMDs of all Pension Disbursing Banks
2. Controller General of Accounts, Mahalekha Niyantarak Bhawan, Ministry of Finance, GPO Complex, Block E, INA Colony, New Delhi, Delhi 110023

hr
16/10
Chief Secretary

3. Central Pension Accounts Office (CPAO), Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure, Trikot-II, Bhikaji Cama Place, New Delhi
4. CPPCs, All Pension Disbursing Banks
5. Chairman, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi
6. Secretary, Ministry of Defence, South Block, New Delhi.
7. Secretary, Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare, South Block, New Delhi.
8. Secretary, Department of Financial Services, Jeevan Deep Building, Sansad Marg, New Delhi.
9. Secretary, Department of Telecommunications, Sanchar Bhavan, New Delhi.
10. Secretary, Department of Posts, Dak Bhavan, New Delhi
11. All Chief Secretaries of States.
12. Secretary, Ministry of External Affairs, South Block, New Delhi
13. NIC:-for posting on website of this Department.