

महालेखाकार (लेखा एवं हकदारी) – द्वितीय का कार्यालय, मध्यप्रदेश OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL (A&E)-II, Madhya Pradesh



No. /Pension/DRSSA/West Bengal-03/2019-20

Date: - 24.04.2019

To,

All District/Sub Treasury Officers

Sub:-

Grant of revised rate of Dearness Relief to Central Govt.

Pensioner's/Family Pensioners w.e.f. 01-01-2019

Ref:-

Circular No. Pen.Co-ordn/55 Vol.VI/142 Vol.III/65 Vol.IV/66 Vol.III/267

dated 25-03-2019 Office of the Pr. Accountant General (A&E) West Bengal

I am to enclose herewith the copy of SSA received from the office of the Accountant General (A&E) West Bengal which encloses the letters referred above regarding grant of revised rate of Dearness Relief to Central Govt. Pensioner's/Family Pensioners w.e.f. 01-01-2019. The same is being placed in the official website of the office (www.agmp.cag.gov.in) under the link "Pensioners Corner". A copy of this letter may be exhibited on the notice board of the treasury.

Accounts Officer/Pension

No. /Pension/DRSSA/West Bengal-03/2019-20

Date:-

Endt. Copy for information-

O/o the Principal Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal, Kolkata-700001 for information regarding your letter dated 25-03-2019.

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

Circular No. Pen.Co-ordn./55 Vol.VI/ 142 Vol.III/65 Vol.IV/66 Vol-III/267 Date: 25/03/2019

Subject:- Grant of revised rate of Dearness Relief to Central Government
Pensioners / Family Pensioners etc. effective from 01/01/2019

In continuation to this office circular No. Pen.Co-ordn./55 Vol.VI/142 Vol.III/65 Vol.IV/66 Vol.III/121 dated 11/10/2018, it is stated that Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions, Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare under their O.M. No 42/04/2019-P&PW(D) dated 06/03/2019 have sanctioned Dearness Relief at the rate of 12% with effect from 01/01/2019 in supersession of the rate mentioned in O.M. No F42/06/2018-P&PW(G) dated 18/09/2018 to (i) Civilian Central Government pensioners/family pensioners including absorbee pensioners in PSU/Autonomous Bodies (ii) The Armed Forces Pensioners, Civilian Pensioners paid out of the Defence Service Estimates, (iii) All India Service Pensioners / family pensioners (iv) Railway Pensioners / family pensioners (v) Pensioners who are in receipt of previsional pension (vi) The Burma Civilian Pensioners / Family Pensioners and (vii) Pensioners/families of displaced Government pensioners from Pakistan.

2. This circular will not be applicable to

- (a) CPF beneficiaries, their widows and eligible children who are in receipt of exgratia payment in terms of Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare OM No 45/52/97-P&PW(E) dated 16/12/1997 and revised subsequently vide OM No 1/10/2012-P&PW(E) dated 27/06/2013.
- (b) Burma Military pensioners / family pensioners.
- 3. The retired officers of West Bengal Judicial Service and family pensioners of such category whose pension/family pension has been regulated /revised in terms of Judicial Department Memo No 7012 J and 7014 J both dated 25/10/2010 would not come within the ambit of this circular and a separate circular letter in respect of such category of pensioners / family pensioners will be issued separately on enhancement of such applicable rate.

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- 4. In the case of retired Judges of the High Court, separate circular will be issued on receipt of necessary order from the Ministry of Law and Justice.
- 5. Amount of Dearness Relief involving a fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee and the payment of arrears of Dearness Relief shall not be made before the date of disbursement of pension / family pension of March, 2019.
- 6. It will be the responsibility of the pension disbursing authorities, including nationalized banks etc. to calculate the quantum of Dearness Relief payable in each individual case.
- 7. All concerned Pension Disbursing Officers are, therefore, requested to make necessary arrangement for payment of Dearness Relief @ 12% to the above eligible categories of pensioners/ family pensioners with effect from 01/01/2019, along with arrear of dearness relief following the above guideline, as applicable, after proper adjustment.
- 8. Charges for payment of above enhanced rate of dearness relief to the pensioners/family pensioners are debitable to the Government of India/Railway/Defence Accounts under the proper head of account as usual.
- 9. Receipt of the circular may please be acknowledged.

Accounts Officer
Pension Co-ordination

Copy to :-

 The General Manager/Manager of all concerned Link Branches of Public Sector Banks in Kolkata.

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2. Pay & Accounts Officer, No – V, Tis Hazari, New Delhi. PIN-110054

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3. All Accountants General.

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4. Director, Directorate of Accounts and Treasuries, Govt of Pondicherry PIN-605001

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7. Asstt. Military Attache (P), Embassy of India, Military Pension Branch, Kathmandu, Nepal – 1.

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