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F. No. GAC-21-18/2014-CDN

Dated the 12th April, 2016

ENDORSEMENT

Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Government of India, New Delhi has issued an O. M. regarding Grant of Dearness Relief to Central Government pensioners/family pensioners – revised rate effective from 1.1.2016. The O.M. No. 42/06/2016-P&PW(G) dated 11.4.2016 has been uploaded on the ICAR web-site <u>www.icar.org.in</u> and e-office for information & compliance.

(Ajai Verma) Under Secretary (CDN and R&D)

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पेंशन एवं पेंशनर्स कल्याण विभाग[,] कार्मिक मंत्रालय[,] लोक शिकायत और पेंशन[,] भारत सरकार[,] नई दिल्ली दवारा ओ. एएम. 42/06/2016-पी&पीडबल्यू (जी) दिनांक 11.4.2016 को केन्द्र सरकार ने पेंशनरो / परिवार पेंशनरो 01/01/2016 से प्रभावी महंगाई राहत की संशोधन की दर के बारे जारी किया है। सक्षम प्राधिकारी द्वारा अनुमोदित यह ओ.एम. ई-ऑफिस एवं भा.कृ.अनु.प. की वेब साइट ^{www.icar.org.in} और ई-ऑफिस पर सूचना मार्ग दर्शन एवं अनुपालन हेतु अपलोड कर दिया गया है।

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F. No. 42/06/2016-P&PW(G) Government of India Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare

> 3rd Floor, Lok Nayak Bhavan, Khan Market, New Delhi-110003 Date:// April,2016

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject : Grant of Dearness Relief to Central Government pensioners/family pensioners – Revised rate effective from 1.1.2016.

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's OM No. 42/10/2014-P&PW(G) dated 28th September, 2015 on the subject mentioned above and to state that the President is pleased to decide that the Dearness Relief (DR) payable to Central Government pensioners/family pensioners shall be enhanced from the existing rate of 119% to 125% w.e.f. 1st January, 2016.

2. These orders apply to (i) All Civilian Central Government Pensioners/Family Pensioners (ii) The Armed Forces Pensioners, Civilian Pensioners paid out of the Defence Service Estimates, (iii) All India Service Pensioners (iv) Railway Pensioners and (v) The Burma Civilian pensioners/family pensioners and pensioners/families of displaced Government pensioners from Pakistan, who are Indian Nationals but receiving pension on behalf of Government of Pakistan and are in receipt of ad-hoc ex-gratia allowance of Rs. 3500/- p.m. in terms of this Department's OM No. 23/1/97-P&PW(B) dated 23.2.1998 read with this Department's OM No. 23/3/2008-P&PW(B) dated 15.9.2008.

3. Central Government Employees who had drawn lump sum amount on absorption in a PSU/Autonomous body and have become eligible to restoration of 1/3rd commuted portion of pension as well as revision of the restored amount in terms of this Department's OM No. 4/59/97-P&PW (D) dated 14.07.1998 will also be entitled to the payment of DR @ 125% w.e.f. 1.1.2016 on full pension i.e. the revised pension which the absorbed employee would have received on the date of restoration had he not drawn lump sum payment on absorption and Dearness Pension subject to fulfilment of the conditions laid down in para 5 of the O.M. dated 14.07.98. In this connection, instructions contained in this Department's OM No.4/29/99-P&PW (D) dated. 12.7.2000 refer.

4. Payment of DR involving a fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee.

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5. Other provisions governing grant of DR in respect of employed family pensioners and re-employed Central Government Pensioners will be regulated in accordance with the provisions contained in this Department's OM No. 45/73/97-P&PW (G) dated 2.7.1999 as amended vide this Department's OM No. F. No. 38/88/2008-P&PW(G) dated 9th July, 2009. The provisions relating to regulation of DR where a pensioner is in receipt of more than one pension will remain unchanged.

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6. In the case of retired Judges of the Supreme Court and High Courts, necessary orders will be issued by the Department of Justice separately.

7. It will be the responsibility of the pension disbursing authorities, including the nationalized banks, etc. to calculate the quantum of DR payable in each individual case.

8. The offices of Accountant General and authorised Pension Disbursing Banks are requested to arrange payment of relief to pensioners etc. on the basis of these instructions without waiting for any further instructions from the Comptroller and Auditor General of India and the Reserve Bank of India in view of letter No. 528-TA, II/34-80-II dated 23/04/1981 of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India addressed to all Accountant Generals and Reserve Bank of India Circular No. GANB No. 2958/GA-64 (ii) (CGL)/81 dated the 21st May, 1981 addressed to State Bank of India and its subsidiaries and all Nationalised Banks.

9. In their application to the pensioners/family pensioners belonging to Indian Audit and Accounts Department, these orders issue after consultation with the C&AG.

10. This issues with the concurrence of Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure vide their OM No. 1/1/2016-E.II(B) dated .07th April, 2016.

11. Hindi version will follow.

(Charanjit Taneja) Under Secretary to the Government of India

To,

1. All Ministries/Departments of the Government of India/Chief Secretaries and AGs of all States/UTs.

 Copy for information to Reserve Bank of India(RBI) and all authorized Pension Disbursing Banks.

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