क्रमांक : भाप्रसे-१५२३/प्र.क्र.८३ /२०२३/भाप्रसे-३ सामान्य प्रशासन विभाग, मंत्रालय, मुंबई ४०० ०३२. दिनांक :- १९.०३.२०२४

केंद्र शासनाच्या कार्मिक, लोक तक्रारी व निवृत्ती वेतन मंत्रालय, निवृत्तीवेतन व निवृत्ती वेतन धारकांचे कल्याण विभाग, नवी दिल्ली यांच्या क्रमांक ४२/०४/२०२४-P& PW(D) दिंनाक १३.०३.२०२४ च्या कार्यालयीन ज्ञापनाची प्रत महाराष्ट्र राज्य संवर्गातील अखिल भारतीय सेवेतील निवृत्ती वेतनधारक /कुटुंब निवृत्तीवेतनधारकांच्या संदर्भात माहिती व योग्य त्या कार्यवाहीसाठी अग्रेषित.

- २. केंद्र शासनाच्या कार्मिक, लोक तक्रारी व निवृत्ती वेतन मंत्रालयाच्या उपरोक्त नमूद कार्यालयीन ज्ञापनानुसार दिनांक १.०१.२०२४ पासून लागू करण्यात आलेली ४% महागाई भत्यातील (Dearness Relief) दरवाढ व ज्ञापनात नमूद इतर तरतूदी महाराष्ट्र संवर्गातील अखिल भारतीय सेवेतील सेवानिवृत्ती वेतनधारकांना/ कुटुंब निवृत्तीवेतनधारकांनाही लागू राहतील. त्यानुसार आता महाराष्ट्र राज्य संवर्गातील अखिल भारतीय सेवेतील सेवानिवृत्ती वेतनधारकांना/ कुटुंब निवृत्तीवेतनधारकांना दि.०१.०१.२०२४ पासून ५०% दराने महागाई भत्ता अनुज्ञेय राहील.
- ३. सदरील पृष्ठांकन हे महाराष्ट्र शासनाच्या <u>www.maharashtra.gov.in</u> या संकेतस्थळावर उपलब्ध करण्यात आले असून त्याचा संकेतांक २०२४०३१९१६५७३३७४०७ असा आहे. हे पृष्ठांकन डिजीटल स्वाक्षरीने सांक्षाकित करुन काढण्यात येत आहे.

महाराष्ट्राचे राज्यपाल यांच्या आदेशानुसार व नावाने.

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## No. 42/02/2024-P&PW(D) Government of India Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare

3rd Floor, Lok Nayak Bhawan Khan Market, New Delhi-110003 Date: 13th March, 2024

## **OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Sub: Grant of Dearness Relief to Central Government pensioners/family pensioners – Revised rate effective from 01.01.2024-reg

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's OM No. 42/04/2023-P&PW(D) dated 27.10.2023 on the subject mentioned above and to state that the President is pleased to decide that the Dearness Relief admissible to Central Government Pensioners/Family Pensioners shall be enhanced from the existing rate of 46% to 50% of the basic pension/family pension (including additional pension/family pension) w.e.f 01st January,2024.

- 2. These rates of DR will be applicable to the following categories:-
  - (i) Civilian Central Government Pensioners/Family Pensioners including Central Govt. absorbee pensioners in PSU/Autonomous Bodies in respect of whom orders have been issued vide this Department's OM No. 4/34/2002-P&PW(D)Vol.II dated 23.06.2017 for restoration of full pension after expiry of commutation period of 15 years.
  - (ii) The Armed Forces Pensioners/Family Pensioners and Civilian Pensioners/Family 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 provisional pension.
  - (vi) The Burma Civilian Pensioners/Family Pensioners and Pensioners/families of displaced Government Pensioners from Burma/ Pakistan, in respect of whom orders have been issued vide this Department's OM No. 23/3/2008-P&PW(B) dated 11.09.2017.
- 3. The payment of Dearness Relief involving a fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee.
- 4. The payment of arrears of Dearness Relief shall not be made before the date of disbursement of pension/family pension of March, 2024.
- 5. Other provisions governing grant of DR in respect of employed family pensioners and reemployed Central Government Pensioners will be regulated in accordance with the provisions contained in Rule 52 of CCS (Pension) Rules, 2021 and this Department's OM No. 45/73/97-P&PW (G) dated 2.7.1999 as amended from time to time. 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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- In the case of retired Judges of the Supreme Court and High Courts, necessary orders will be issued by the Department of Justice separately.
- 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 Dearness Relief to Pensioners/Family Pensioners 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 so far as the persons serving in Indian Audit and Accounts Department are concerned, these orders are issued in consultation with the Comptroller and Auditor General of India, as mandated under Article 148(5) of the Constitution of India.
- 10. This issues in accordance with the Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure's OM No. 1/1/2024-E-II (B) dated 12.03.2024.

Hindi version will follow.

- 1. All Ministries/Departments of the Government of India
- 2 Chief Secretaries and AGs of all States/UTs.
- 3. CMDs/CPPCs of all authorised Pension Disbursing Banks
- 4. C&AG of India, UPSC, etc. as per standard endorsement list.
- Reserve Bank of India (RBI) for Information.