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TREASURY BUILDINGS, KOLKATA - 700 001.

Circular No. Pen. Co-ordn./Punjab/Vol.-VII/TC-Clari/91

Date : 31-08-2022

*Subject: Payment of Travel Concession to the Punjab Government pensioners – clarification regarding.*

In continuation to this office circular No. Pen. Co-ordn./Punjab/Vol.-VI/OAA-TC/274 dated 13-03-2013, this is to state that the Government of Punjab in their circular letter No. FD-FPPCOMISC/284/2021-3FPPC dated 30-05-2022 has reiterated that Travel Concession will be paid to only one pensioner in the case both husband and wife are the Punjab Government pensioners. It has been clarified that in the cases where one of the spouses is Punjab Government employee and the other is Punjab Government pensioner, LTC/TC can be extended to only one of them. Both the husband and wife cannot claim the LTC/TC separately.

2. Pension disbursing authorities shall obtain an undertaking from the pensioner, as per Annexure-A (copy enclosed) before disbursing Travel Concession.

3. Having been authorized by the Pr. Accountant General (A&E), Punjab in their letter No. PEN-12/Imp.Order/SSA.NO.17/22-23/34A-34AJ dated 05-07-2022, it is requested to keep in view the clarifications mentioned above for payment of Travel Concession to the Punjab Government pensioners.

*Receipt of the circular may please be acknowledged.*

Encl : As stated.

  
Sr. Accounts Officer

Copy to :

1. Principal Accountant General (A&E), Punjab, Sector – 17E, Chandigarh–160 017.
2. All Treasury Officers in West Bengal.
3. Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Government of West Bengal, Mitra Building, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, 8, Lyons Range, Kolkata-700 001.
4. OSD & Ex-officio Joint Secretary, Finance (e-governance group) Department, Government of West Bengal, Nabanna, 12th floor, Room No. 1205, 325 Sarat Chandra Chatterjee Road, PO–Shibpur, Howrah–711 102.
5. BO-in-charge : PPA PP Pen-VI Pen-IV PPParty & PFC of this office.
6. AAO-in-charge : PPA PP Pen-VI Pen-IV PPParty & PFC of this office.
7. BO & AAO-in-charge of PenEDP with the request to send a scanned copy of the circular to DTA, West Bengal at [dtawestbengal@gmail.com](mailto:dtawestbengal@gmail.com) and [ifms-wb@gov.in](mailto:ifms-wb@gov.in).
8. BO & AAO-in-charge of Admn. Hindi Cell with the request to translate the circular in Hindi.
9. BO & AAO-in-charge of AM, Legal Cell, ITSC & TIParty (uploaded in this office website in employees' login).

ANNEXURE - A

Undertaking by Pensioner

1. I \_\_\_\_\_ am pensioner of Punjab Govt. and my PPO no. is \_\_\_\_\_

2. I hereby declare that particulars of my spouse is as under:-

Name:

Employed/Pensioner:

Name of the Department:

HR Ref. Code/PPO No.

Date of Retirement:

Name of Pension disbursing bank:

Bank Branch Name:

Bank Account No:

3. Whether spouse is claiming LTC from his/her department. (If no, a certificate in this regard from the LTC sanctioning authority must be attached if the pensioner opts to claim LTC.)

4. Whether spouse is claiming Travel concession from his/her pension disbursing bank. (If no, a certificate in this regard from the pension disbursing bank of the spouse must be attached if the pensioner opts to claim LTC)

5. As my spouse is not claiming/availing any LTC/TC from his/her employer or from pension disbursing bank as stated above, I hereby opt to draw Travel Concession with my pension.

OR

As my spouse is claiming/availing any LTC/TC from his/her employer or from pension disbursing bank as stated above, I hereby opt not to draw Travel concession with my pension.

Signatures