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

Circular No. Pen. Co-ordn./Goa/Vol.-V/DR/147

Date : 25-11-2022

**Subject : Grant of Dearness Relief to the Goa Government pensioners/family pensioners with effect from 01-07-2022.**

In continuation to this office circular No. Pen. Co-ordn./Goa/Vol.-V/DR/44 dated 06-06-2022, this is to state that the Government of Goa in their Order No. 12/3/82-Fin.(R&C)/Vol.I/922 dated 27-10-2022 has sanctioned dearness relief to their pensioners/family pensioners including Ex-gratia pensioners drawing pensions under C/B/D & E series, Pensao de Sanguie pensioners, pensioners receiving pension under triple benefit scheme, recipients of Ex-gratia i.e. families of deceased pensioners who were governed under EFU, pensioners sanctioned pension under Education Act 15 of 1985 and drawing pension under series T and E.B., at the rate and from the date as under :

<i>Date of effect</i>	<i>Rate of Dearness relief per month</i>
01-07-2022	38% of revised basic pension/family pension

2) This relief is not admissible to the Freedom Fighter pensioners, pensioners drawing pension which is granted after Independence for Political consideration (Ex-Rulers), MLA pensioners and Retired High Court and Supreme Court Judges for whom order will be issued separately by administrative authorities concerned.

3) Payment of dearness relief involving a fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee.

4) Having been authorised by the Director of Accounts, Goa in their letter No. DA/PA-I/Pens/2022-23/TR-775/DR-1916 dated 31-10-2022, it is requested to make necessary arrangement for payment of dearness relief to all eligible Goa Government pensioners/family pensioners mentioned above @ 38% on their basic pension/family pension with effect from 01-07-2022 along with arrears after proper adjustment.

5) The charges on this account are debitable to the head "8793-I.S.S. A/cs.; Government of Goa etc."

*Receipt of the circular may please be acknowledged.*

  
Sr. Accounts Officer

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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 PParty & PFC of this office.
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