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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/Rev-FF/21

Date : 16-05-2023

***Subject : Revision of pension/family pension and grant of dearness relief  
and Fixed Medical Allowance to the Goa Government Freedom  
Fighter pensioners/family pensioners with effect from 19-12-2022.***

In continuation to this office circular No. Pen. Co-ordn./Goa/Vol.-IV/Rev-FF/184 dated 28-03-2016, this is to state that the Government of Goa in their Home Department Secretariat Notification No. 11/463/90-HD(G)/629 dated 23-02-2023 has extended certain benefits to the Freedom Fighter pensioners/family pensioners with effect from 19-12-2022 under the Goa Freedom Fighter Welfare Rules 2022 as under :

- 1) Basic pension/family pension @ Rs.9000/- (Rupees Nine thousand) only per month.
- 2) Dearness relief shall be admissible to such pensioners as applicable under 7<sup>th</sup> Pay Commission as adopted by the Government of Goa.
- 3) Fixed Medical Allowance @ Rs.3000/- (Rupees Three thousand) only per month.
- 4) Freedom Fighter pensioners/family pensioners are not covered under CCS Pension Rules 1972 and benefit of Additional Quantum and other benefits are not admissible to such pensioners.
- 5) Having been authorised by the Director of Accounts, Government of Goa in their letter No. DA/PA-I/Pens/22-23/TR-1244/DR-2928 dated 16-03-2023, it is requested to make necessary arrangement for payment of pension/family pension, dearness relief on pension/family pension and Fixed Medical Allowance to the Goa Government Freedom Fighter pensioners/family pensioners with effect from 19-12-2022 after proper adjustment.
- 6) The charges on this account are debitible 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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1. Director, Directorate of Accounts, Government of Goa, Pension Section, Fazenda Building (behind Old Secretariat), Panaji, Goa – 403 001.
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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.
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