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

Circular No. Pen. Co-ordn./Karnataka/Vol.-VI/IR/54

Date: 20-07-2023

Subject: Grant of Interim Relief to the Karnataka Govt. pensioners/ family pensioners with effect from 01-04-2023.

This is to state that the Government of Karnataka in their Order No. AE 07 SRP 2023 dated 01-03-2023 have sanctioned Interim Relief @ 17% of basic pension/family pension with effect from 01-04-2023 to their pensioners/family pensioners including the pensioners/family pensioners of the Aided Educational Institutions whose pension/family pension is paid out of Consolidated Fund of the state of Krnataka.

- 2. This order shall be applicable to the pensioners who were drawing immediately before retirement the pay in the UGC/AICTE/ICAR scales of pay.
- 3. This order shall not be applicable to the pensioners who were drawing immediately before retirement the NJPC scales of pay.
- 4. The payment on account of Interim Relief involving fractions of fifty paise and above shall be rounded off to the next rupee and fractions less than fifty paise shall be ignored.
- 5. The amount of Interim Relief sanctioned in this order shall not count as emoluments for the purpose of dearness allowance or any other purpose.
- 6. Having been authorised by the Principal Accountant General (A&E), Karnataka in their letter Nos. PM/G III/2023-24/101 dated 01-05-2023 and PM/G3/2023-24/SS-14561/227 dated 15-06-2023, it is requested to make necessary arrangement for payment of Interim Relief @ 17% of basic pension/family pension to the category of pensioners mentioned at para 1 & 2 with effect from 01-04-2023 as per instructions laid down in this circular after proper adjustment
- 7. The charges on this account are debitable to the head "8793-I.S.S.A/cs.; Government of Karnataka etc."

Receipt of the circular may please be acknowledged.

Sr. Accounts Officer

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