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

Circular No. Pen. Co-ordn./UP/Vol.-VII/DR/69

Subject: Grant of dearness relief to the Uttar Pradesh Government civil pensioners/family pensioners with effect from 01-01-2023.

Date: 16-08-2023

In continuation to this office circular No. Pen. Co-ordn./UP/Vol.-VII/DR/193 dated 21-02-2023, this is to state that the Government of Uttar Pradesh in their OM No. 10/2023/I/319051/2023/File No-10-22099/1401/2020 dated 19-05-2023 has sanctioned dearness relief to their pensioners/family pensioners on their revised pension/family pension at the rate and from the date as under:

Date of effect	Rate of dearness relief per month
01-01-2023	42% of basic pension/family pension

- 2. In the calculation of dearness relief, fraction of a rupee less than its half shall be ignored while half or more shall be counted as one rupee.
- 3. These orders will also be applicable to pensioners of Institutions aided from State Fund, under the Education/Technical Education departments, whose pension/family pension is at par with that of the pensioners of the Government of Uttar Pradesh.
- 4. These orders will not be applicable to the Judges of High Court of Uttar Pradesh, employees of local bodies and public undertakings/corporations etc. in respect of whom separate orders will be issued by respective departments.
- 5. Having been authorised by the Accountant General (A&E)-II, Uttar Pradesh in their authority No. Pension Miscellaneous/11776 dated 06-06-2023, it is requested to make necessary arrangement for payment of dearness relief to all eligible Uttar Pradesh Government pensioners/family pensioners @ 42% with effect from 01-01-2023 on their basic pension/family pension after proper adjustment.
- 6. The charges on this account are debitable to the head "8793-I.S.S.A/cs.; Government of Uttar Pradesh etc."

Receipt of the circular may please be acknowledged.

Sr. Accounts Officer

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