

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

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P.T.O.

Subject: Grant of dearness relief to the pensioners of D.A. Getting Institutions with effect from 01.01.2018, and 01.01.2019 who received pay as per ROPA'81/ROPA'90/ROPA'98 pay scale

In continuation to this Office Circular No. Pen. Co-ordn/111/Vol-VII/173 dated 01/03/2022, it is stated that Govt. of West Bengal, School Education Department, Secondary Branch in their Memo No. 1299-ES/O/B/1M-137/2006(Part), dated 04/09/2023 have sanctioned dearness relief, at the rate and for the period mentioned below to the both pre'2006 as well as post 2006 pensioners (both teaching and non-teaching employees) of D.A. getting schools who are drawing pension in terms of G.O. No. 1610-Edn(S) dated 18/7/68 read with Memo No. 608-SE(B) dated 7/12/20-07 followed by Memo No. 72-SE(B) dated 19/5/2009 read with Memo No 657-ES/O/B/1M-137/06 dated 11/08/2014 and getting dearness relief under Memo No.191-ES/O/B/IM-137/2006(Part) dated 18/02/2022.

Revised rates of Dearness Relief

Period for which payable	Rates of Dearness Relief p.m.
01.01.2018 to 31.12.2018	188%
01.01.2019 onwards	213%

Accordingly, all Pension Disbursing Authorities are requested to make necessary arrangement for payment of dearness relief on pension to the above categories of pensioners at the above rates on their basic pension with effect from **01.01.2018** and **01.01.2019** respectively after proper adjustments.

In this connection, it is informed that this order is not applicable for the post 2006 pensioners who were in receipt of pay as per West Bengal Non-Govt. Aided Educational Institution ROPA, 2009 and whose P.P.O. were issued by this office with the remarks that "Post 1.1.2006 D.A.Getting School/Pensioner & Pay as per ROPA 2009". Payment of dearness relief on pension/family pension involving a fraction of rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee.

Other provisions relating to grant of dearness relief on pension, as applicable to State Govt. pensioners, will also apply mutatis mutandis.


Sr.Accounts Officer