GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA FINANCE DEPARTMENT

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub:- Sanction of Dearness Relief (T.I) @ 4% enhancing the existing rate from 46% to 50% in favour of the State Government pensioners/family pensioners with effect from 01.01.2024.

Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions in their O.M.No.F-No.42/07/2022-P&PW(D) dated 13.03.2024have enhanced the Dearness Relief admissible to the Central Government pensioners/family pensioners from the existing rate of 46% to 50% of the basic pension family pension (including additional pension/ family pension with effect from 01.01.2024.

- 2. In the meantime, one dose of Dearness Alfowance @4% has been sanctioned in favour of the State Government employees enhancing Dearness Allowance from 46% to 50% with effect from 01.01.2024 vide Finance Department Office Memorandum No 6619/F, dated 14.03.2024.
- 3. After careful consideration of the matter, the State Government have been pleased to decide that Dearness Relief (T.I) on pension/ family pension shall be paid to the State Government pensioners/ family pensioners at the same rate of 4% on the revised basic pension/ family pension and provisional pension with effect from 01.01.2024. With sanction of one dose of Dearness Relief (T.I) at the rate of 4%, the Dearness Relief now payable on the revised basic pension/ family pension and provisional pension will be enhanced from 46% to 50% with effect from 01.01.2024.
- 4. The additional dose of Deamess Relief shall also be admissible on additional basic pension/ additional family pension available to the old pensioners/ family pensioners based on their age as indicated in this Department O.M. NO.28300/E dated 23.09.2017.

For the purpose of this Office Memorandum

i. Pension/family pension in the case of the pre-01.01.2016 retirees and where family pension was due prior to 01.01.2016 means the revised basic pension/revised basic family pension as the case may be in terms of Finance Department Office Memorandum No.28300/F dated 23.09.2017.

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