

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

Andhra Pradesh State Judicial Service-Recommendations of Second National Judicial Pay Commission and Orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, dated 27.07.2022-Revision of Pay Scales to the Judicial Officers - Implementation of the recommendations-Orders-Issued

LAW (LA&J SC-F) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.58

Dated:22.10.2022  
Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.60 Law (LA&J-SC-F) Department, dated 07.05.2003.
2. G.O.Ms.No.73, Law (LA&J-SC-F) Department, dated 01.05.2010.
3. Orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in W.P. (Civil) No.643 of 2015, dated 09.05.2017.
4. Resolution of the Government of India, Ministry of Law & Justice, Department of Justice, New Delhi, dated 16.11.2017.
5. Orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in W.P. (Civil) No.643 of 2015, dated 27.03.2018
6. G.O.Ms.No.51, Law (LA & J-SC-F) Department dated 13.06.2018 r/w G.O.Ms.No.52, Law (LA & J-SC-F) Department dated 20.06.2018.
7. From the Member Secretary, Second National Judicial Pay Commission, New Delhi, Letter dt.07.02.2020.
8. Orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in W.P. (Civil) No.643 of 2015, dated 27.07.2022.
9. From the Registrar General (I/c), High Court of A.P., Letter Roc.No.451/SO/2022, dated 18.08.2022.

ORDER:

The Government of India, Ministry of Law and Justice, Department of Justice has appointed the Second National Judicial Pay Commission in pursuance of the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, vide Resolution 4<sup>th</sup> read above to examine and make suitable recommendations relating to the pay structure and emoluments of Judicial Officers in the States and Union Territories, including pension and other post-retirement benefits and also to examine the work methods and work environment with a view to promoting efficiency in judicial administration. The said Commission submitted its report on interim relief on 09.03.2018 and the Hon'ble Supreme Court by order dated 27.03.2018 directed all the States to implement the recommendations of the Commission with regard to interim relief. Accordingly, Government of Andhra Pradesh sanctioned 30% interim relief to all the Judicial Officers, Pensioners vide reference 6<sup>th</sup> read above.

2. The Second National Judicial Pay Commission has submitted its report with regard to the pay, pension and allowances of the Judicial Officers to Hon'ble Supreme Court of India. The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, in their orders, dated 27.07.2022 in W.P.(C) No.643 of 2015 directed all the States/UTs to implement the revision of pay structure of Judicial Officers as recommended by SNJPC with effect from 01.01.2016.

3. The Government in pursuance of the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, dated 27.07.2022 and in obedience thereof hereby order to implement the revised pay scales to the Judicial Officers w.e.f.01.01.2016 as recommended by Second National Judicial Pay Commission as follows:

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Revision of scales of pay:

The existing pay scales of the Judicial Officers shall be revised as per the scale-I given below

Table-I

	Civil Judge (Jr. Div) Entry Level	Civil Judge (Jr. Div) I Stage ACP	Civil Judge (Jr. Div) II Stage ACP/Civil Judge (Sr. Div) Entry Level	Civil Judge (Sr. Div) I Stage ACP	Civil Judge (Sr. Div) II Stage ACP/District Judges Entry Level	District Judges (Selection Grade)	District Judges (Super Time Scale)
Existing Pay Scale	27700- 44700	33090- 45850	39530- 54010	43690- 56470	51550- 63070	57700- 70290	70290- 76450
Existing Entry Pay Level	27700 J-1	33090 J-2	39530 J-3	43690 J-4	51550 J-5	57700 J-6	70290 J-7
Year 1	77840	92960	111000	122700	144840	163030	199100
Year 2	80180	95750	114330	126380	149190	167920	205070
Year 3	82590	98620	117760	130170	153670	172960	211220
Year 4	85070	101580	121290	134080	158280	178150	217560
Year 5	87620	104630	124930	138100	163030	183490	224100
Year 6	90250	107770	128680	142240	167920	188990	
Year 7	92960	111000	132540	146510	172960	194660	
Year 8	95750	114330	136520	150910	178150	200500	
Year 9	98620	117760	140620	155440	183490	206510	
Year 10	101580	121290	144840	160100	188990	212710	
Year 11	104630	124930	149190	164900	194660	219090	
Year 12	107770	128680	153670	169850			
Year 13	111000	132540	158280	174950			
Year 14	114330	136520	163030	180200			
Year 15	117760						
Year 16	121290						
Year 17	124930						
Year 18	128680						
Year 19	132540						
Year 20	136520						

Date of effect:

The revised scale of pay of Judicial Officers of all ranks/grades shall come in to force w.e.f.01.01.2016.

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a. Fitment

The fitment/migration from existing pay scales to new pay matrix of Judicial Officers shall be as per the Table-II given below.

TABLE-II (Fitment)

S.No	Existing Pay	New Proposed Pay Scale
1	27700	77840
2	28470	80180
3	29240	82590
4	30010	85070
5	30780	87620
6	31550	90250
7	32320	92960
8	33090	95750
9	34010	95750
10	34930	98620
11	35850	101580
12	36770	104630
13	37690	107770
14	38610	111000
15	39530	114330
16	40450	114330
17	41530	117760
18	42610	121290
19	43690	124930
20	44770	128680
21	45850	132540
22	46930	132540
23	48010	136520
24	49090	140620
25	50320	144840
26	51550	149190
27	52780	149190
28	54010	153670
29	55240	158280
30	56470	163030
31	57700	163030
32	58930	167920
33	60310	172960
34	61690	178150
35	63070	178150
36	64450	183490
37	65830	188990
38	67210	188990
39	68750	194660
40	70290	199100
41	71830	205070
42	73370	211220
43	74910	217560
44	76450	224100

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d. Fixation of pay in the pay matrix in regard to migration/fitment of the serving judicial officers on 01.01.2016 as indicated in Table-II above is broadly based on the following points:

- i. Multiply the existing pay by the factor of 2.81
- ii. The figure so arrived at to be located in Table-I, in relation to the Level applicable to the Officer (i.e., J1, J2 etc.)
- iii. Where there is an identical figure available in Table-I at the corresponding stage of the relevant level, the new revised pay shall be fixed at that stage.
- iv. Where there is no identical figure available, the new revised pay has to be fixed at the very next higher stage in that level in Table-I.

e. Fixation of pay on promotion on or after 01.01.2016:

For those who are promoted from the previous level to the next level, or granted financial upgradation/ACP or Selection Grade or Super Time Scale, the procedure for fixing the pay in the new pay matrix on such promotion/financial upgradation, will be as follows:

- i. Identify the level and the basic pay in Table-I on the date of promotion.
- ii. Add one increment in that level itself in terms of FR-22.
- iii. The figure so arrived at or the next closest figure in the level to which s(he) is promoted will be the new pay on promotion.

f. Increment:

The annual increment shall be @ 3% cumulative, meaning thereby that the increment @ 3% has to be calculated on the previous years basic pay instead of fixed amount increments recommended by FNIJC and JPC.

g. Dearness Allowance & other Allowances

Dearness Allowance shall be as admissible at the rates applicable to the Central Government employees drawing VII CPC Pay Scales. As regards the other allowances, the amounts presently being drawn shall continue to be drawn, pending further orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in that regard and subject to final adjustment.

h. Payment of Arrears:

The arrears shall be computed with effect from 01.01.2016 and after adjusting the interim relief already paid, the balance amount shall be paid in stages in the following manner, subject to production of an undertaking in the Form appended to this order:

i	25% in cash within a period of 3 months from 27.07.2022 i.e. from the date of the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court;
ii	Another 25% to be paid in cash within 3 months thereafter; and
iii	The balance 50% has to be paid on or before the end of June, 2023.

4. The Registrar General, High Court of Andhra Pradesh shall take necessary further action in the matter, accordingly.

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5. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (PC-TA) Department vide their U.O.No: FIN01-HR0PCTA(RPRC)/29/2020-PC-TA, (1124084) dated 02.09 2022.

( BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH )

K.VIJAYANAND  
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To

The Assistant Registrar, Supreme Court of India, New Delhi.

The Advocate on Record, Supreme Court of India,

O/o the Resident Commissioner, A.P.Bhavan, New Delhi.

The Registrar General, High Court of Andhra Pradesh.

The Registrar (ADMN), High Court of Andhra Pradesh.

The Accountant General, A.P.Vijayawada,

The Pay & Accounts Officer, A.P., Vijayawada.

Copy to:

The Secretary to Government of India,

Ministry of Law & Justice, Department of Justice, New Delhi

The Secretary to Governor, Raj Bhavan, AP, Vijayawada.

The Finance (PC-TA) Department

The Law (OP) Department

The Home (Courts) Department

The General Administration (Cabinet) Dept.

The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, A.P. Vijayawada.

All District Treasury Officers.

P.S to Spl.C.S. to C.M./C.S./P.S. to Secretary to Govt.,(Law)

SF/SC

//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

*K.Visalakshi*  
SECTION OFFICER (SC)

(V)

FORM OF UNDERTAKING

I hereby undertake that any excess payment is made due to erroneous fixation of pay in revised scales of pay as per the Second National Judicial Pay Commission shall be refunded the excess payment in lumpsum

Signature  
Name of the Judicial Officer  
Designation

Office in which employee signed before me  
Signature  
Name of the Officer  
Designation

K.VIJAYANAND  
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)



## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Pensions - Dearness Relief - Dearness Relief to the Judicial Pensioners / Family Pensioners with effect from 01-01-2023 – Sanctioned – Orders – Issued.

### FINANCE (HR.III-Pension, GPF) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Ms. No.126

01/12/2023

**Read the following:-**

- 1.G.O.Ms.No.2, Finance (HR.III-Pension, GPF) Department, dated 17.01.2022.
- 2.G.O.Ms.No.9, Finance (HR.III-Pension, GPF) Department, dated 17.01.2022.
- 3.G.O.Ms.No.115, Finance (HR.III-Pension, GPF) Department, dated 03.06.2022.
- 4.G.O.Ms.No.67, Finance (HR.III-Pension, GPF) Department, dated 01.05.2023.
- 5.G.O.Ms.No.115, Finance (HR.III-Pension, GPF) Department, dated 22.10.2023

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### ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, Government have issued comprehensive orders, for Revision of Pay Scales, 2022 to the retired employees (Pensioners/Family pensioners) of Government of Andhra Pradesh.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, Government have issued orders for release of Dearness Relief (DR) for the period from 01.07.2019 to 31.12.2021 to the pensioners/family pensioners including Judicial pensioners/ Family pensioners.

3. In the reference 3rd read above, Government have issued orders for release of Dearness Relief (DR) in respect of Pensioners /Family Pensioners, drawing their pay in the Revised UGC Pay Scales, 2006 and the Judicial Pensioners/Family Pensioners whose pay was revised as per Sri Padmanabhan Committee Report vide the G.O. Ms. No.73, Law (LA&J, SCF) Department, dated 01.05.2010 with effect from 01.07.2021.

4. In the reference 4th and 5<sup>th</sup> read above, Government have issued orders for release of Dearness Relief (DR) with effect from 01.01.2022 & 01-07-2022 in respect of Pensioners /Family Pensioners including Judicial pensioners/Family pensioners.

5. Government hereby order the revision of rates of Dearness Relief in respect of Judicial Officers whose pay scales were revised as per Second National Judicial Pay Commission, vide G.O.Ms.No.58, Law(LA&J SC-F) Department, dated 22.10.2022, from 38% to 42% of the Basic Pay with effect from 01.01.2023.

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6. Government also hereby order the revision of rates of Dearness Relief in respect of Judicial pensioners whose pay scales were revised as per Shri Padmanabhan Committee Report, vide G.O.Ms.No.73, Law(LA&J SC-F) Department, dated 01.05.2010 from 212% to 221% of the Basic Pay with effect from 01.01.2023.

7. The Dearness Relief sanctioned in the above paras, shall be paid with pension of December, 2023 payable in January, 2024. The arrears on account of increase of Dearness Relief for the period from 01.01.2023 to 30.11.2023 shall be paid in the month of January, 2024.

8. All the Treasury Officers/ Pension Payment Officers shall work out and make payments of the Dearness Relief on Pension sanctioned in this order without waiting for further authorization/ instructions from the Accountant General (A&E), Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada in terms of the orders issued in the G.O.Ms.No.270, Finance & Planning (FW: PSC.I) Department, dated. 7.10.1986.

9. All the Treasury Officers/Pension Payment Officers shall work out and make payments of the dearness relief on pension sanctioned in this order in terms of orders issued in the G.O.Ms.No.122, Finance (Pen.I) Department, Dt: 22.05.2014.

10. The expenditure is allocable among the various States in accordance with provisions of Rule 24 of the incidence of Pension Rules in Appendix III-B of the Andhra Pradesh Accounts Code, Volume-I.

11. The CEO, APCFSS is directed to develop a software module to calculate the DA arrears and generate due drawn statement to facilitate generation of DA arrears bills by the Drawing & Disbursing Officers.

12. The G.O is available on Internet and can be accessed at the address <http://apgazette.egg.gov.in>

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**CHIRANJIV CHOUDHARY**  
**PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

The Registrar, High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Amaravati.

The Principal Secretary to Governor of Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.

The Principal Secretary / Secretary to the Chief Minister & Private Secretaries to all

Ministers.

The A.G (A&E) / Pr. A.G. (G&SSA) / A.G.(E&RSA), A.P., Vijayawada.

The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, AP, Mangalagiri.

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The Director of State Audit, A.P., Mangalagiri.  
The Pay & Accounts Officer, A.P.,  
Mangalagiri.  
The Director of Works Accounts, A.P., Mangalagiri.  
All the District Treasury Officers.

Copy to  
The General Administration (Cabinet) Department.  
S.F. /S.Cs. (Computer No. 2120775).

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*M. Suneetha*  
**SECTION OFFICER**

46 to 50/6

01-01-24

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

Dearness Allowance to Judicial Officers - Enhancement of Dearness Allowance from 46% to 50% w.e.f. 01.01.2024 -Recorded.

LA&J (SC & F) DEPARTMENT

G.O Rt.No.190

Dated .05.05.2024

Read the following:

- 1.Orders of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in W.P. (Civil) No.643/2015, dated 19.05.2023 and 04.01.2024.
- 2.G.O.Ms.No.13, Law (LA&J SC.F) Dept., dated 29.02.2024
- 3.Govt. of India, Ministry of Law and Justice, (Department of Justice) New Delhi, Lr. No. L-11025/01/2018-Jus dt:27.03.2024 & Govt. of India, Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure, New Delhi, O.M.No.1/1/2024-E.II(B), dt:12.03.2024.

**ORDER:**

Hon'ble Supreme Court of India while accepting the recommendations of Second National Judicial Pay Commission, issued directions in the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above that present practice of sanction of Dearness Allowance at the rate prescribed by the Central Government from time to time shall be paid to the Judicial Officers without delay, and if any case, not later than 3 months from the date of issuance of the order by the Central Government. The benefit of revised rates of Dearness Allowance shall accrue from the effective date as specified in the order issued by Central Government in this behalf.

2. Accordingly, Government in the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above have issued orders on allowance to the Judicial Officers including Dearness Allowance.

3. Hence recorded the letter dated 27.03.2024, of the Department of Justice, Ministry of Law and Justice, Government of India in the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, enhancing the rate of Dearness Allowance from 46% to 50% with effect from 01.01.2024 in respect of Judicial Officers in the State of Andhra Pradesh also.

2. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (PC - TA) Department vide their U.O.No.FIN01-HR0PCTA(RPRC)/30/2024-PC-TA, Computer No:2417201, dated. 26.04.2024.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G.SATYA PRABHAKARA RAO  
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT  
LEGAL & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS & JUSTICE

To

The Registrar General, High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Nelapadu, Guntur District  
The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, A.P., Mangalagiri (w.e.)  
The Pay & Accounts Officer, A.P., Mangalagiri (w.e.)  
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada (w.e.)

(P.T.O.)



Copy to

The Finance (PC-TA) Department.

The Secretary to Government, Raj Bhavan, AP, Vijayawada (w e)

The Law Department.

The Home (Courts - A/B) Department.

O/o Jt. Director of Pensions, Vijayawada.

SC/SF(Comp No.241386).

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

*M. V. S. S. S.*  
SECTION OFFICER (SC)

1/7/24

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACTDearness Relief - Dearness Relief to Retired Judicial Officers and Family Pensioners  
Enhancement of Dearness Relief from 50% to 53% with effect from 01.07.2024 -Recorded

(LAW &amp; JUSTICE) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Rt No 12

Dated 08.01.2024  
Read the following

1. Orders of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in W.P.(Civil) No.643/2015, dated 19.05.2023 and 04.01.2024
2. G.O.Ms No.13, Law (LA&J SC F) Dept., dt.29.02.2024.
3. Govt. of India, Ministry of Law and Justice, (Department of Justice), New Delhi, Lr. No. 1-19016/01/2018-Jus dt.19.11.2024 & Govt. of India, Ministry of Personal, Public Grievances and Pensions, New Delhi, O.M.No.42/02/2024-P&PW(D), Dt.30.10.2024

## ORDER:

Hon'ble Supreme Court of India while accepting the recommendations of Second National Judicial Pay Commission, issued directions in the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above that the present practice of sanction of Dearness Allowance at the rate prescribed by the Central Government from time to time shall be paid to the Judicial Officers without delay, and if any case, not later than 3 months from the date of issuance of the order by the Central Government. The benefit of revised rates of Dearness Allowance shall accrue from the effective date as specified in the order issued by Central Government in this behalf.

2. Accordingly, Government in the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above have issued orders on allowances to Judicial Officers including Dearness Allowance.

3. Hence, recorded the Letter dated 19.11.2024, of the Department of Justice, Ministry of Law and Justice, Government of India the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, enhancing the rate of Dearness relief from 50% to 53% with effect from 01.07.2024 in respect of retired Judicial Officers and Family Pensioners in the State of Andhra Pradesh also

4. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (HRVI-PC&TA) Department vide their U.O.No.FIN01-HR0VM(GHV)/54/2024-PC-TA, Computer No. 2647224, dated 06.01.2025

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G.PRATIBHA DEVI  
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT  
LEGAL & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS & JUSTICE

To

The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, A.P. -Mangalagiri (w.e)  
The Pay & Accounts Officer, Mangalagiri (w.e)  
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada (w.e)

Copy to

The Registrar General, High Court of A.P., Nelapadu, Guntur District  
The Finance (PC-TA) Department  
The Secretary to Governor, Raj Bhavan, AP, Vijayawada. (w.e)  
The Law Department  
The Home (Courts - A/B) Department. (w.e)  
O/o Jt. Director of Pensions, Nidhi Bhavan, Mangalagiri  
SC/SF(Comp No 2646537)

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SECTION OFFICER (SC)



**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**  
**FINANCE (HR.III-PENSION & GPF) DEPARTMENT**

Memo No. FIN01-HROMISC/170/2024-HR-III

dt:25.11.2024

Sub:- Finance Department-Pensions- Court Cases  
Commutation of Pension- not to deduct the  
Commutation amount from the those petitioners who  
have completed 11 years 3 months from the date of  
sanction of commutation until Further Orders-  
Instructions-Reg.

Ref:- 1.Letter No.724/2024, dated:19.11.2024 received  
from the AAG Office on 20.11.2024.  
2. W.P.Nos.24822, 23507, 24019, 25174, 25371,  
25886, 25158, 25374, 25633, 25974, 26059, 26251,  
25736, 25186, 26603, 26260, 26261, 26812 and  
26176 of 2024.

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Kind attention is invited in the reference cited.

2. It is informed that certain retired employees have filed various cases in the Hon'ble High Court, AP, seeking a direction to stop further recovery of commutation portion of pension from their original basic pension and to refund the excess amounts already recovered, as the entire commutation amount along with interest has been recovered before the stipulated 15-year period against Rule 18 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Pensions (Commutation) Rules, 1944.

3. In this regard, vide reference 1<sup>st</sup> cited, the Learned Additional Advocate General has requested to file the counter Affidavit in cases mentioned in the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> cited and other connected Writ Petitions at the earliest preferably before the date fixed by the Hon'ble Division Bench i.e., on or before 29.11.2024. The Learned AAG

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advised to instruct the concerned not to deduct the commutation amount from those pensioners who have completed 11 years 3 months from the date of sanction of commutation until the final orders of the Hon'ble Court, in view of the various cases that are being filed daily by the retired pensioners.

4. In view of the above circumstances, the Director of Treasuries & Accounts is hereby instructed **not to deduct the commutation portion of pension** from all the pensioners who have completed 11 years 3 months, till further orders.

**M. JANAKI**

**SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (HR)**

To

1. The Director of Treasuries & Accounts,  
Nidhi Bhavan, Mangalagiri, A.P

**Copy to:**

The Office of the Additional Advocate General,  
High Court Buildings, Nelapadu,  
Amaravati, Andhra Pradesh.

**//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//**

*Leela Devi*  
**SECTION OFFICER**