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Government of Goa,
Finance (Expenditure) Department,
Secretariat, Porvorim-Goa.



Dated:- 03/08/2023

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Government is pleased to extend the benefit of payment of Dearness Allowance at revised rates, on par with as sanctioned to Central Government Employees vide O.M. No. 1/3(2)/2008-E.II (B) dated 12th June, 2023 issued by Government of India, Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure, New Delhi (copy enclosed) to the employees of Goa Government and its Autonomous bodies who continue to draw their pay and allowances in the pre-revised scale as per 5th Central Pay Commission.

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(Naresh Gaude)
Under Secretary (Fin-Exp)

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1. All Heads of Departments/Offices.
 2. All Secretariat Departments.
 3. All Corporations/Autonomous Bodies.
 4. Goa State, Portal, I. T. Department, Altinho, Panaji.

North Block, New Delhi
Dated the 12th June, 2023

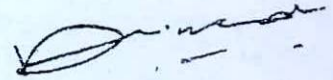
OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Revised rates of Dearness Allowance to the employees of Central Government and Central Autonomous Bodies continuing to draw their pay in the pre-revised pay scale/Grade Pay as per 5th Central Pay Commission

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's O.M. No. 1/3(2)/2008-E.II(B) dated 12th October, 2022 on the subject mentioned above and to say that the rate of Dearness Allowance (DA) in respect of employees of Central Government and Central Autonomous Bodies, who are continuing to draw their pay in the pre-revised pay scale as per 5th Central Pay Commission, shall be enhanced from the existing rate of 396% to 412% of Basic Pay w.e.f. 01.01.2023.

2. The provisions contained in paras 3, 4 and 5 of this Ministry's O.M.No.1(13)/97-E.II(B) dated 3rd October, 1997 shall continue to be applicable while regulating Dearness Allowance under these orders.

3. The contents of this Office Memorandum may also be brought to the notice of all organisations under the administrative control of the Ministries/Departments which have adopted the Central Government scales of pay.



(Dr. Vivek Dwivedi)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

To

All Ministries/Departments of the Govt. of India (as per standard distribution list)

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Sub: - Revised rates of Dearness Allowance to the employees of Central Government and Central Autonomous Bodies continuing to draw their pay in the pre-revised Pay Scale/Grade Pay as per 5th Central Pay Commission from 01.01.2023.

1. Kindly refer the circular No. 3/2/92-Fin/Part File-IV/122 dated 03rd August 2023 issued from the office of the Government of Goa, Finance (Expenditure) Department Secretariat, Porvorim-Goa, has conveyed the sanction for revision of Dearness allowance to the employee of State Government and its Autonomous bodies who continue to draw their pay and allowances in the pre-revised scale as per the 5th Central Pay Commission.

Now as per the said circulars dated 12/06/2023 Government of Goa has decided to 'EXTEND' the office memorandum No.1/3(2)/2008-E-II(B) dated 12th June, 2023 of Dearness allowance which is issued by Finance (Expenditure) department from time to time for the employees of State Government and its Autonomous bodies who continue to draw their pay and allowance in the pre-revised scale as per the 5th Central Pay Commission.

It may be noted that in order to resolve the hardship being faced by the pensioner of Autonomous bodies/Corporations, it has been decided by the Government vide its order No. 1(13)/97-E.II(B) dated 03.10.1997 to extend the office memorandum of Dearness allowance which is issued by Finance (Expenditure) department from time to time for the employees of State Government and its Autonomous bodies who continue to draw their pay and allowance in the pre-revised scale as per the 5th Central Pay Commission. for grant of Dearness Relief to pensioners of the Autonomous bodies/Corporations who are in pre-revised pension as per 5th Central Pay Commission. under their administrative control.

Since the order on relief contained in the above Finance (Expenditure) Department Memorandum No. 1/3(2)/2008-E-II(B) dated 12th October, 2022 are applicable to the employees/pensioners and Family Pensioners of the state Government and its Autonomous bodies/ Corporations who continue to draw their pay and allowance in the pre-revised scale as per the 5th Central Pay Commission and drawing Dearness Relief at the rate of 396%. I am to authorize you to pay Pensioners/Family pensioners of state Government and its Autonomous bodies/ Corporation the revised rates of Dearness Allowance which has been enhanced from time to time i.e. 412% w.e.f. 01.01.2023.

- (a). Ex-gratia pensioners (Montepio pensioners, pensioners drawing pensions on account of service rendered to Portuguese colonies and institute Ultramarine Pensioners) drawing pensions under C/B/D and E series.
- (b). Pensao de Sanguie pensioners.

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- (c). Pensioners receiving pension under triple benefit scheme.
 - (d). Recipients of Ex-gratia i.e. Families of deceased pensioners/employees who were governed under EFU.
 - (e). Pensioners sanctioned pension under Education Act 15 of 1985 and drawing pension under pension payment series T and E.B.
3. In case of Goa State Government Pensioners drawing pension in other States, the instructions contained in above Office Memorandum may be issued to all the Treasuries/Sub-Treasuries/P.A.O where they are drawing their monthly pension.
 4. This Dearness relief is not applicable to the following class of pensioners.
 - a. Pensioners drawing pension, which is granted after Independence for Political consideration (Ex-Rulers)
 - b. Retired High Court and Supreme Court Judges for whom order will be issued separately by administrative authorities concerned.
 - c. Pensioners of other states (PAO) Suspense) for whom separate orders are applicable.
 - d. M.I.A. Pensioners.
 - e. Freedom Fighters of Govt. of Goa.
 5. Instructions issued from time to time by this office as regards to payment of relief should be observed.
 6. Wide Publicity may be given to this circular letter by displaying a copy on the office notice board or other permanent place in your office.
 7. Pensioners who have drawn part payment of their pension through Treasury Office after 01/01/2017 and have subsequently opted for payment of their pension through Bank may also be paid arrears from the date of their retirement or from 01/01/2017 whichever is earlier without waiting for any individual orders from this office.
 8. The receipt of this letter may please be acknowledged.


20/8/23
(Savio Gomes Pereira)
Dy. Director of Accounts