

No. Fin (Pen) B (10)-6/98-IV-Loose  
Government of Himachal Pradesh  
Finance (Pension) Department  
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Shimla-171002,

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4<sup>th</sup> March, 2024

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

**Subject: - Grant of Dearness Relief to Himachal Pradesh Government Pensioners/Family Pensioners.**

1. In continuation of this department's O.M. No. Fin (Pen)B(10)-6/98-IV dated 27<sup>th</sup> April, 2023, the undersigned is directed to say that the Governor, Himachal Pradesh is pleased to decide that the Dearness Relief @ 4% which is due from 1.7.2022 to the Government pensioners/family pensioners including AIS pensioners/family pensioners shall be paid by enhancing the existing rate from 34% to 38% from 01.04.2024.

2. The additional Dearness Relief shall be paid with the pension/family pension for the month of April, 2024 payable in the month of May, 2024 and the arrears accrued from 01.07.2022 to 31.03.2024 shall be paid in the manner as may be prescribed by the separate orders.

3. Payment of Dearness relief involving a fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee.

4. Other provisions governing grant of dearness relief to pensioners such as regulation of dearness relief during employment/re-employment, regulation of dearness relief where more than one pension is drawn etc. will remain unchanged.

5. As dearness relief will now be at a uniform rate, it has been decided to dispense with the issue of enclosing ready reckoner alongwith the dearness relief orders. It will be the responsibility of the Pension Disbursing Authority (PDA), including the Nationalized Banks, etc. to calculate the quantum of dearness relief payable in each individual case.

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6. The Accountant General, (A&E) H.P. Treasury Officers and authorized Public Sector Banks are requested to arrange the payment of Dearness Relief to pensioners on the basis of these orders.
7. These orders are available on [www.himachal.gov.in/finance/](http://www.himachal.gov.in/finance/)

By order

Principal Secretary (Finance) to the  
Government of Himachal Pradesh

To

All Administrative Departments  
Government of Himachal Pradesh.

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2. All Heads of Departments in Himachal Pradesh.
3. The Resident Commissioner, Himachal Pradesh, Himachal Bhawan, 27-Sikandra Road, New Delhi-110001 with 10 spare copies.
4. The Accountant General (Audit) Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171003 with 10 spare copies.
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7. The Divisional Organizer, Punjab, Himachal Pradesh and J&K, Divisions SSB Directorate General of Security, Shimla-4.
8. The Director, H.P. Institute of Public Administration, Mashobra, Shimla-2.
9. The Registrar, H.P. High Court, Shimla-171001.
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14. The Pay & Accounts Officer, No. 6, Reserve Bank of India, Sansad Marg, New Delhi-110001.
15. The Deputy Commissioner (Relief & Rehabilitation) Raja ka Talab, Nurpur-176051 (Kangra).
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