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Circular No. Pen. Co-ordn./65 Vol-V/147

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Date: 18/12/2023

Subject:

Grant of Dearness Relief to the Retired Judicial Officers / family pensioners of the State of West Bengal revised rate effective from 01/07/2023 on pre-revised

pension/family pension

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The Government of West Bengal, Judicial Department under their letter No. I/460242/2023-J/JD/V/2A-14/17 dated u8/12/2023 has communicated that the rate of dearness relief on basic pension/family pension for the retired Judicial Officers of Govt. of West Bengal and family pensioners of such category has been enhanced from 221% to 230% with effect from 01/07/2023 on pre-revised pension/family pension.

Accordingly, in continuation to this office circular No. Pen. Co-ordn./65 Vol.V/23 dated 18/05/2023, all concerned Pension Disbursing Authorities are requested to make necessary arrangement for payment of Dearness Relief @ 230% to the above category of pensioners / family pensioners with effect from 01/07/2023 where pension/family pension has not been revised as per instruction of this office circular No. Pen. Co-ordn./65 Vol. V/94 dated 27/09/2023, after proper adjustments of payment already made.

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

Charges for payment are debitable to the Govt. of West Bengal, under head 2071 - Pension and other Retirement Benefts - 01 - Civil - 101 Superannuation and Retirement allowances etc.

Receipt of the circular may please be acknowledged.

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