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OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTANT GENERAL (A&E), WEST BENGAL  
TREASURY BUILDINGS, KOLKATA - 700 001.

Circular No. Pen. Co-ordn./Bihar/Vol.- IX/DR/71

Date : 15-07-2022

*Subject : Grant of Dearness Relief to the Bihar Government pensioners/family pensioners with effect from 01-01-2022.*

In continuation to this office circular No. Pen. Co-ordn./Bihar/Vol.- IX/DR/151 dated 24-01-2022, this is to state that the Government of Bihar in their FD Resolution No. 3A-3-Allowance-01/2022-3024/B. dated 08-04-2022 has sanctioned dearness relief to their pensioners/family pensioners whose pension have been revised in the light of Bihar Government FD Resolution Nos. B. (27)Pe.Co.-(Re.)22/2017-381 dated 23-05-2017 and B. (27)Pe.Co.-(Rev.)22/2017-755 dated 20-10-2017 (circulated under Nos. . Pen. Co-ordn./Bihar/Vol.- IX/Revision/63 dated 13-07-2017 and Pen. Co-ordn./Bihar/Vol.- IX/Revision-Detail/191 dated 19-01-2018), at the rate and from the date as under :-

Date of effect	Rate of Dearness Relief per month
01-01-2022	34% of basic pension/family pension

2. Payment of dearness relief involving fraction of 50 paise and above may be rounded off to the next higher rupee and fraction less than 50 paise may be ignored.

3. Dearness relief will be admissible to the civil pensioners who are getting compensatory pension, old age pension, retiring pension and invalid pension. This relief is also admissible to the pensioners getting provisional pension/family pension and extra ordinary pension.

4. Dearness relief will not be admissible at present to the re-employed pensioners. The matter will be communicated on receipt of reply from the Accountant General (A&E), Bihar.

5. So far as application of this order in respect of the retired employees of the High Court/Bihar Legislative Assembly/Bihar Legislative Council is concerned, necessary orders will be issued separately by the respective secretariat/office after obtaining the concurrence of the Chief Justice, Patna High Court/Speaker, Bihar Legislative Assembly/Chairman, Bihar Legislative Council, Bihar, Patna.

6. Incidentally, it may be mentioned that this circular is issued to other Accountants General just to remind them the applicability of this order to the West Bengal Government pensioners/family pensioners guided by Bihar Pension Rules.

7. Having been authorised by the Accountant General (A&E), Bihar in their authority No. Pen-09-709 dated 28-06-2022, followed by authority No. Pen-9-740 dated 07-07-2022, it is requested to make necessary arrangement for payment of dearness relief @ 34% with effect from 01-01-2022 to all eligible Bihar Government pensioners/family pensioners as well as West Bengal Government pensioners/family pensioners guided by Bihar Pension Rules on their revised pension/family pension mentioned above after proper adjustment of dearness relief.

8. The charges on this account for the pensioners/family pensioners of Government of Bihar are debitable to the Government of Bihar under the head "8793-I.S.S.A/cs.; Government of Bihar etc." and the charges for the West Bengal Govt. pensioners/family pensioners guided by Bihar Pension Rules are debitable to the Government of West Bengal under the head "2071-Pension and Other Retirement Benefits".

Receipt of the circular may please be acknowledged.

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*Signature*  
Sr. Accounts Officer

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6. Director, Directorate of Accounts, Pension Section, Panaji, Goa-403 001. - do -
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17. All Branch Officers in Pension Group.
18. All Assistant Accounts Officers in Pension Group.
19. BO & AAO-in-charge of Pen EDP with the request to send a scanned copy of the circular to DTA, West Bengal at [dtawestbengal@gmail.com](mailto:dtawestbengal@gmail.com) and [ifms-wb@gov.in](mailto:ifms-wb@gov.in).
20. BO & AAO-in-charge of Admn. Hindi Cell with the request to translate the circular in Hindi.
21. All Treasury Officers in West Bengal.



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20. Branch Officer, Pension EDP is requested to upload the circular in PSA-I database

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**Sub:-Ex-gratia grant for the year 2021-22 to the pensioners/family pensioners of Ex-Management Staff of North Bengal Medical College& Burdwan Medical College**

It is informed that the Govt. of West Bengal Higher Education Department, Budget Branch in their Memo no.62-Edn(B)/IM-12/2008 dated 19/05/2022 have sanctioned ex-gratia grant for the year 2021-22, @Rs.2700/-(Rupees Two thousand seven hundred) only in lump per head to the pensioners of State Aided Universities including the holders of provisional pension who retired prior to 30/9/2021 and also the pensioners who retired or died after 30/9/2021 but prior to 1/9/2022 and whose basic pension plus relief on pension as on March 31<sup>st</sup> 2022 did not exceed 32,000/-(Rupees Thirty two Thousand) only and are not entitled to receive ad-hoc bonus.

The aforesaid benefit will also be admissible to the pensioner/family pensioner who retired/died in harness as Ex-Management Staff of North Bengal Medical College or Burdwan Medical College who opted for University Pension Rules and whose pension/family pension has been regulated either under G.O. No. 83-Edn(U)/84-Edn(U)/85-Edn(U) all dated 30/1/2000 or G.O. No. 464-Edn(U) dated 13/8/2010 (communicated under this office circular No.Pen.Co-ordn/258/Vol-II/228 dated 3/2/2012 and Pen. Co-ordn. /217/Vol -II/220 dated 21/12/2012).

The aforesaid benefit will not, however, be admissible to the pensioners/family pensioners who are entitled to get ad-hoc bonus and those who are employed/re-employed under any public sector undertaking/statutory bodies under the Govt. are in receipt of bonus or ex-gratia payment for the year 2020-21.

The payment of ex-gratia as sanctioned in the Memo may be made to the **Muslim Pensioners/family pensioners immediately on receipt of this circular and other than Muslim Pensioners/Family pensioners**, the payment in this regard may be disbursed in **between 19<sup>th</sup> September 2022 to 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2022.**

Accordingly, all Pension Disbursing Officers are requested to make necessary arrangements for payment of Ex-gratia @ Rs. 2700/- (Rupees Two thousand and seven hundred only) to all eligible pensioners/family pensioners who retired/died in harness as Ex-Management Staff of North Bengal Medical College or Burdwan Medical College and whose P.P.O.s bear the indication "University Pension Rules", subject to fulfillment of the conditions mentioned above.

  
Sr.Accounts Officer