From

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Principal Secretary to Government

To

Additional Chief Secretaries/
Principal Secretaries/
Commissioner-cum-Secretaries/ Secretaries,
All Departments of Government

Sub: Re-appropriation of funds from the Unit “Dearness Allowance” to “Pay” at the level of Administrative Department to meet the requirements arising out of revision of Pay under ORSP-2017

Sir,

I am directed to say that provision under the units “Pay” and “Dearness Allowance” were made in the Budget Estimates 2017-18 considering the requirement as per pre-revised scale of pay. Consequent upon revision of Pay under the Odisha Revised Scale of Pay (ORSP) Rules, 2017, the requirement under the unit “Pay” would increase and that of “Dearness Allowance” would reduce.

2. Accordingly, the provision made under the unit “Pay” in different establishments would become inadequate while savings will appear under the unit “Dearness Allowance”. Hence, for drawal of revised pay of employees as per ORSP Rules, 2017, there would be need for re-allocation of funds between the units “Pay” and “Dearness Allowance” in all establishments.

3. In order to facilitate drawal of pay in the Revised Scale of Pay, the Administrative Departments are now authorised to re-appropriate funds from the unit “Dearness Allowance” to the unit “Pay” as per requirement in different establishments without referring to Finance Department in relaxation to provisions under Rule-9(viii) of Delegation of Financial Power Rules (DFPR), 1978. Such reallocations, therefore, need not be proposed in the Supplementary Statement of Expenditure, 2017-18.
4. All such re-appropriations are to be processed through BETA application only. Necessary modifications would be made in BETA application to accommodate such relaxation in the re-appropriation process.

5. This relaxation would remain valid till end of the financial year, 2017-18.

Yours faithfully,

Principal Secretary to Government
Memo No. 30617
Dated 23.10.2017
Copy forwarded to the Principal Accountant General (A&E), Odisha, Bhubaneswar for favour of kind information.

Memo No. 30618
Dated 23.10.2017
Copy forwarded to all Heads of Department for information and necessary action.

Memo No. 30619
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Dated 23.10.2017
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