GOVERNMENT OF ORISSA FINANCE DEPARTMENT

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No. 6898 (255)/F Bhubaneswar, Dated 11.02.10

From:

Shri S.N. Sarangi, IAS
Special Secretary to Government.

To

All Principal Secretaries/All Commissioner-cum-Secretaries/All Secretaries /All Special Secretaries of All Departments of Government/ All Heads of Departments/ All Collectors

Sub: Clarification regarding revision of pension/family pension w.e.f. 1.1.2006.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to say that the Government of Orissa in Finance Department have revised pension/family pension in respect of pre-2006 State Government pensioners/family pensioners w.e.f. 1.1.2006 in their Office Memorandum No.3667/F dated 19.1.2009 and also revised pension/family pension, gratuity and commutation of pension in respect of post-2006 State Government pensioners/family pensioners w.e.f. 1.1.2006 in their Resolution No.3653/F dated 19.1.2009.

Subsequently, a clarification was issued on certain points of doubts raised by different Departments of Government and also different Government offices on such revision of pension/family pension w.e.f. 1.1.2006 in Finance Department Circular letter No.45391/F dated 8.9.2009.

It has been clarified at para 2 of the above letter that the provisional pension sanctioned in favour of a pensioner in terms of rule 65 and 66 of O.C.S. (Pension) Rules, 1992 shall not be revised under Finance Department Office Memorandum No.3667/F dated 19.1.2009 until his/her final pension is fixed.

Now, the Administrative Departments as well as individuals have requested Finance Department for modification of the aforesaid clarification and to allow revision of provisional pension in respect of the pre-2006 pensions who are in receipt of their provisional pensions under rule 65 of O.C.S. (Pension) Rules, 1992 due to non-settlement of their qualifying services and want of service records w.e.f. 1.1.2006 in terms of Finance Department Office Memorandum No.3667/F dated 19.1.2009.

After careful consideration of the above aspect and in supersession of the earlier clarifications communicated vide para 2 of Finance Department Circular letter No.45391/F dated 8.9.2009, now it is further clarified that the provisional pension drawn by a pensioner prior to 1.1.2006 under rule 65 of O.C.S. (Pension) Rules, 1992, if necessary, can be revised w.e.f. 1.1.2006 in terms of sub-rule (5) of rule 65 of the said rules on completion of the detailed scrutiny of the records as provided in the said rules subject to the condition that the arrears so accrued thereon in this regard shall not be paid to the pensioner, until his/her final pension is fixed. But, the provisional pension drawn by a pensioner due to pendency of Departmental or judicial proceedings against him in accordance with the provisions of rule 66 of O.C.S. (Pension) Rules, 1992 shall not be revised.

Yours faithfully,

Special Secretary to Government

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Deputy Secretary to Government

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He/She is requested to host this clarification in the Website (www.orissa.gov.nic.in/finance/index.htm) of Finance Department for general Information.

Deputy Secretary to Government

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