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GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Bhubaneswar, Dated the 3rd May, 2016

Sub: Dearness Relief (TI) @ 6% on pension/family pension w.e.f. 01.01.2016 in favour of the State Government pensioners/family pensioners.

Pension/family pension in respect of pre-2006 and post-2006 State Government pensioners/family pensioners was revised w.e.f 1.1.2006 in Finance Department O.M.No.3667/F dated 19.1.2009 and Finance Department Resolution NO.3653/F dated 19.01.2009 respectively. Accordingly, Dearness Relief (TI) was allowed on such revision of pension/family pension in Finance Department O.M. No. 27835/F dated 17.10.2015 at the rate of 119 % w.e.f. 01.07.2015.

2. Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions in their O.M.No.F-No.42/06/2016-P&PW(G) dated 11.04.2016 have enhanced the Dearness Relief admissible to the Central Government pensioners/family pensioners from 119 % to 125 % w.e.f. 01.01.2016.

3. After careful consideration of the matter, the State Government have been pleased to decide that the Dearness Relief (TI) on pension shall be paid to the State Government pensioners/family pensioners at the same rate of 6 % on the revised basic pension/family pension w.e.f 01.01.2016. With sanction of one dose of Dearness Relief (TI) at the rate of 6%, the Dearness Relief now payable on the revised basic pension/family pension will be enhanced from 119 % to 125 % w.e.f. 01.01.2016.

4. The additional dose of Dearness Relief shall also be admissible on additional basic pension/additional family pension available to the old pensioners/family pensioners based on their age as indicated in this Department O.M. NO.3667/F dated 19.01.2009 and Resolution No 3653/F dt. 19.01.2009.

5. The additional dose of Dearness Relief (TI) shall also be admissible to the pensioners/family pensioners of Non-Government aided educational institutions including Primary Schools under School & Mass Education Department and Non-Government aided educational institutions under Higher Education Department For the purpose of this Office Memorandum.

- i)** Pension/family pension in the case of the pre-01.01.2006 retirees and where family pension was due prior to 01.01.2006 means the consolidated/revised pension or consolidated/revised family pension as the case may be in terms of Finance Department Office Memorandum No. 3667/F., dated 19.01.2009.
 - ii)** In the case of pensioners who have retired after 01.01.2006 or where family pension is sanctioned for the first time after 01.01.2006 the pension/family pension means the basic pension/family pension, as the case may be sanctioned on retirement/death.
- 6.** Payment of Dearness Relief (TI) involving fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee.
- 7.** Other provisions governing grant of Dearness Relief (TI) to Pensioners such as regulation of Dearness Relief during employment / re-employment and regulation of Dearness Relief where more than one pension is drawn will remain unchanged.

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