

**GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
FINANCE DEPARTMENT**

OFFICE MEMORANDUYM

No. 33281 /F., Dt. 08.12. 2016
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Sub: **Extension of last date for submission of Annual Life Certificate from 30th November, 2016 to 15th January, 2017 for financial year 2016-17.**

The pensioners/Family Pensioners are required to furnish their Annual Life Certificate during the month of November every year as per revised provisions of Finance Department Office Memorandum No.17024/F., dtd.02.06.2014. Consequent upon the demonetization of Rs.500/- & Rs.1000/-, there is a rush at Bank branches. In view of this, Government of India have decided to extend the time limit for submission of Annual Life Certificate of Pensioners from 30th November to 15th January, 2017 for convenience of Pensioners/ Family Pensioners.

2. Accordingly State Government have decided to extend last date of submission of Life Certificate for all categories of Pensioners/ Family Pensioners of the State Government including Local Authorities, Non-Government Educational Institutions etc. drawing pension through Public Sector Banks and Treasuries from 30th November, 2016 to 15th January, 2017 for financial year 2016-17, so that all the pensioners would get the benefit of the extended period. **This relaxation is only applicable for the financial year 2016-17.**

3. **Consequently pension for the month of January, 2017 payable in February, 2017 would be drawn, only if, Life Certificate has been furnished by 15th January, 2017.**

By order of the Governor,

Sd/-

(T. K. Pandey)

Principal Secretary to Government