be presumed that no Government dues is outstanding against him as per O. P. R. 158 (3). If in such cases any Government dues remains unrealised, then the concerned head of office/Department or the pension sanctioning authiroty, as the case may be would be held responsible for the consequentional loss to Government, as issue of G. P. O. in such cases can not be delayed by Accountant-General beyond six months from the date of retirement under the existing rules.

Yours faithfully

B.S. BOHIDAR

Joint Secretary to Government

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT

No. 35207-(45)—Pen-54/90-F.

The 20th October 1990

To

All Departments of Government.

Subject Expeditious disposal of Pension Cases—Review of pending cases.

The undersigned is directed to say that series of instructions have been issued from Finance Department for expeditious settlement of pension cases. The provisions of Orissa Pension Rules, 1977 have also been simplified wherever necessary, in order to enable the Pension sanctioning authorities to finalise the pension cases well ahead of retirement. In spite of all these efforts made, it has come to the notice of the Finance Department that a large number of pension cases are pending in different Departments of Government, Heads of Departments and District Offices for years together. While reviewing the matter Chief Secretary has been pleased to observe that a special drive should be taken up to clear up year—old pension cases pending in different offices of the Government and the position should be regularly reviewed in order to take effective action for clearing the pension cases.

It is, therefore, requested that information in the enclosed *Pro forma* regarding Pension/Family Pension cases pending in different offices may be furnished to the Department of Public Grievance and Pension by the 31st October 1990 positively, for information of Chief Secretary, with a copy to Finance Department.

Yours faithfully

S. K. RATH

Joint Secretary to Government

## LIST OF PENSION CASES PENDING AS ON 1-10-1990

## (LIST BE PREPARED HEADS OF DEPARTMENTWISE)

## Name of the Office/Heads of Departments / Department in which the Pensioners last served

SI. No.	Name of the Pensioners/ Family Pension holders.	Date of retirement	Name of the office where pending	Reasons of pendency	Whether provisional pension/ Gratuity has been sanctioned	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7