

**GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
FINANCE DEPARTMENT**

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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 “ Arrear Pay”, at the level of Administrative Department to meet the requirements arising out of revision of Pay under ORSP-2017

Ref: Finance Department letter No. 6062/F., Dt. 12.03.2018

Sir,

I am directed to say that in order to facilitate drawal of pay in the Revised Scale of Pay, the Administrative Departments were authorized to re-appropriate funds from the unit “Dearness Allowance” to the unit “Pay” as per requirement in different establishments without referring to Finance Department vide Finance Department Letter No. 30616/F Dt. 23.10.2017.

2. Now, the Government have been pleased to release 40% of arrear salary for the period from 1st January, 2016 to 31st August, 2017 (20 months)accruing due to revision of pay under ORSP Rules-2017. The provision made under the unit “Arrear Pay” in different establishments would become inadequate to meet the 40% arrear salary for regular employees. On the other hand, savings will appear under the unit “ Dearness Allowance”. Hence, for drawal of arrear pay of regular employees as per ORSP Rules, 2017, there would be need for reallocation of funds between the units in all establishments.

3. In order to facilitate drawal of arrear pay in the Revised Scale of pay, the Administrative Departments are now authorized to re-appropriate funds from the unit “Dearness Allowance” to the unit “Arrear 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.

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,

Sd/-

Principal Secretary to Government