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महालेखाकार का कार्यालय (लेखा एवं हक)

आन्ध्र प्रदेश, हैदराबाद - 500 004.

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL (A & E)

ANDHRA PRADESH, HYDERABAD - 500 004.

To

The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, दिनांक / Dated: 22.01.10  
Hyderabad.

Sir,

Sub : A forwarding of Special Seal Authority -Reg.

1. Grant of Special Festival Advance to Kerala State Pensioners/Family Pensioners for the 2008-09.
2. Interest on arrears of pension consequent on revision as per GO(P) 180/06/Fin dated 18.4.2006.
3. Dearness Relief on Pension to Kerala State Pensioners/Family Pensioners including those coming under UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Scheme with effect from 01.07.2009 - Reg.

Ref : Office of the Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram

SSA No:

- a. PM/2/9-7/09-10/224 dt.08.09.2009
- b. PM/2/9-7/09-10/269 dt.05.10.2009
- c. PM/2/9-7/09-10/374 dt.03.12.2009

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I am herewith enclosing a copy of Special Seal Authorities issued by the Office of the Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram in the reference cited. The same is being placed in this office official website (www.ag.ap.nic.in). You are requested to direct all the DTOs to download the orders and take necessary action at the earliest to minimise hardship to the pensioners.

Yours faithfully,

V. Rame Krishna  
Accounts Officer 22.1.10

Copy to: 1. Joint Director, Pension Payment Office, Hyderabad for information and necessary action.

Assistant Accounts Officer



भारतीय लेखा तथा लेखापरीक्षा विभाग  
महालेखाकार (लेखा एवं हकदारी) का कार्यालय  
केरल, एम.जी.रोड, डाक थैला सं 5607,  
तिरुवनंतपुरम - 695 039  
INDIAN AUDIT ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL (A&E)  
KERALA, M.G. ROAD, P.B. No. 5607  
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM - 695 039

सं/No. PM/2/9-7/09-10/374

दिनांक / Date: 3.12.2009

**BY SPEED POST**

To

The Sr. Deputy Accountant General (Pension)  
O/o the Accountant General (A&E)  
Andhrapradesh I  
Hyderabad  
Pin - 500 004.

Sir,

Sub:- Dearness Relief on Pension to Kerala State Pensioners /  
Family pensioners including those coming under  
UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Scheme with effect  
from 1.7.2009

Ref:- GO(P) 512/2009/Fin dated 18.11.2009.

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Copy of Government order referred to above sanctioning DR on  
pension / family pension to Kerala State Pensioners / family pensioners  
including those coming under UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Scheme  
with effect from 1.7.2009 is sent herewith. Instructions to pension  
disbursing officers issued by this office have been printed as Annexure to  
the Government Order.

As regards Kerala pensioners drawing pension from outside the  
state, sufficient number of copies of the GO will be sent by the state  
Government direct to the Accountant General/Pay and Accounts Officer.  
*The Accountants General of other States shall collect additional copies of  
the Government Order, if any needed, from Government of Kerala in the  
Finance Department. The Government Order is also available in the  
Government website www.finance.kerala.gov.in*

Yours faithfully,

*Susan Thomas*  
Sr. Accounts Officer



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

ALLOWANCE—DEARNESS ALLOWANCE TO STATE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES  
AND TO THE TEACHERS COMING UNDER UGC/AICTE/MEDICAL EDUCATION  
SCHEMES—DEARNESS RELIEF TO STATE GOVERNMENT PENSIONERS  
AND FAMILY PENSIONERS INCLUDING THOSE COMING UNDER  
UGC/AICTE/MEDICAL EDUCATION SCHEMES AND THOSE  
DRAWING DEARNESS RELIEF AT CENTRAL RATES  
WITH EFFECT FROM 1-7-2009—REVISION—  
ORDERS ISSUED

FINANCE (PAY RESEARCH UNIT) DEPARTMENT

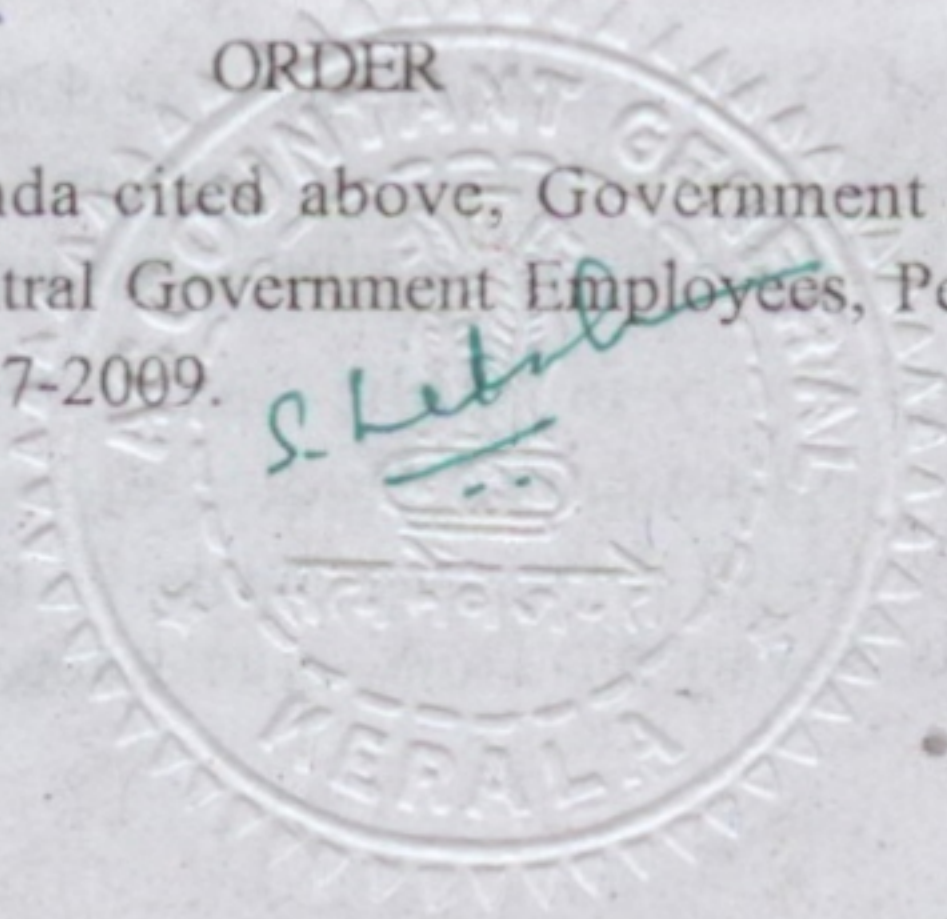
G. O. (P) No. 512/2009/Fin. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 18th November, 2009.

- Read :—1. G. O. (P) No. 211/2009/Fin. dated 2-6-2009.  
2. G. O. (P) No. 280/2009/Fin. dated 15-7-2009.  
3. OMF No. 1 (6)/2009-E II (B) dated 18-9-2009 from the  
Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, Government of  
India.  
4. OMF No. 42/12/2009-P&PW (G) dated 23-9-2009 from  
the Department of Pension and Pensioner's Welfare,  
Government of India.  
5. OMF No. 1 (3)/2008-E II (B) dated 29-9-2009 from the Department  
of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, Government of India.

ORDER

In the Office Memoranda cited above, Government of India sanctioned  
revised rate of DA/DR to Central Government Employees, Pensioners and Family  
Pensioners with effect from 1-7-2009.

GCPT. 4/4012/2009/(i)/DTP



2. On the basis of above orders, the rates of Dearness Allowance payable to State Government Employees, Teachers, Staff of Aided Schools, Private Colleges and Polytechnics, Full-time Employees borne on the contingent and work charged establishments and employees of Local Bodies will be revised w.e.f. 1-7-2009 as shown below:

<i>Date from which payable</i>	<i>Percentage increase of D. A.</i>	<i>Revised D. A.</i>
1-7-2009	9%	64%

3. (i) In respect of teachers coming under UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Schemes (in whose case D. A. up to 50% has been converted as Dearness Pay) the D. A. will be revised with effect from 1-7-2009 as shown below:

<i>Date from which payable</i>	<i>Percentage increase of D. A.</i>	<i>Revised D. A.</i>
1-7-2009	9%	73%

(ii) In respect of the teaching staff coming under UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Schemes who have changed over to revised UGC/AICTE scale from 1-1-2006 or thereafter the D. A. will be revised with effect from 1-7-2009 as shown below:

<i>Date from which payable</i>	<i>Percentage increase of D. A.</i>	<i>Revised D. A.</i>
1-7-2009	5%	27%

4. The additional expenditure on this account in respect of Local Bodies will be met by them from their own funds.

5. The revised rate of D. A. will be applicable to Part-time teachers and Part-time contingent employees also on the basis of pay drawn by them.

6. The employees of State Public Sector Undertakings/Statutory Corporations/Autonomous Bodies on State D. A. pattern, are also eligible for the enhanced rate of D. A., subject to the following conditions:

- (i) This will apply only in Public Sector Undertakings, Statutory Corporations, Autonomous Bodies etc., where State D. A. or Central D. A. (with 50% merger) is in force. This will not be applicable where variable D. A. is in force.

- (ii) Shifting from one D. A. system (i.e., State D. A., Variable D. A., Central D. A.) to another requires separate and specific prior approval of the Government. Orders in this regard are to be issued by the Administrative Department in consultation with Planning and Economic Affairs (BPE) Department and Finance Department. Such migration cannot be done on the basis of this Government Order.
- (iii) Those organizations which are already on State D. A. can release the revised rates of D. A. to their employees without reference to Government. However, a decision on this has to be taken by the Board of Directors of the organization, keeping in mind the ability of the organization to pay for the increase from their own resources. If the organization cannot meet such expenses on their own, and has to get funds from the Government for this, prior approval of the Government should be taken. [Orders in Government can be issued by the Administrative Department only in consultation with Planning and Economic Affairs (BPE) Department and Finance Department]. The condition that those organizations which require funds from the Government to pay the D. A. instalments need to take prior Government approval will not apply to organizations such as Universities, Kerala Water Authority, Kerala State Council for Science, Technology and Environment etc. where more than 90% of the salary expenses are met by Non-Plan grant from the Government. They can release D. A. instalments without prior approval of the Government but with the approval of the Board/Executive Committee etc.

7. For those who are continuing in the 1997 pay scales even after 1-7-2009, D. A. will be sanctioned (up to the date of effect of option under Pay Revision 2004) as follows:

<i>Date of effect</i>	<i>Percentage increase of D. A.</i>	<i>Revised D. A.</i>
1-7-2009	9%	123%

8. The rate of Dearness Allowance admissible to those employees in Public Sector Undertakings who were getting pay and allowances based on the scales of pay admissible under 1992 Pay Revision shall be enhanced as shown below with effect from 1-7-2009.

<i>Date of effect</i>	<i>Pay Range</i>	<i>Rate of D. A. per month</i>
1-7-2009	Basic pay up to Rs. 3,500 p.m.	454% of pay
	Basic pay above Rs. 3,500 up to Rs. 6,000 p.m.	357% of pay subject to minimum of Rs. 15,890
	Basic pay above Rs. 6,000	318% of pay subject to minimum of Rs. 21,420

9. The accounting and drawal of arrears of D. A. will be regulated as follows:

- (a) The revised rate of D. A. due from 1-7-2009 (additional 9%) will be paid in cash with the salary due for the month of November, 2009 onwards.
- (b) (1) The arrear for the period from 1-7-2009 to 31-10-2009 will be drawn and credited to the PF Account of the employee along with the salary bill for the month of November, 2009 to May, 2010.
- (2) The permission to draw arrears along with the salary bill is given in relaxation of Rule 176 of Kerala Treasury Code.
- (c) The procedure as stated in para 9 (a) and (b) will also be applicable to the employees continuing in the pre-revised scale even after the 2004 Pay Revision and also to the employees continuing in the pre-revised scale even after the 1996 UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Scheme.
- (d) Where the employee is not eligible to subscribe to any PF account before 31-10-2009, the drawal of arrears of D. A. shall be deferred. As and when the PF account is opened, it shall be drawn and deposited in it.
- (e) For claiming the salary for the month of June 2010, a certificate shall be attached to the salary bill to the effect that "The arrears as per D. A. revision from 1-7-2009 to 31-10-2009 have been claimed and credited to the PF account of the employee".
- (f) The procedure as stated in para 9 (e) above will also be applicable to the employees continuing in the pre-revised scale of pay even after the 2004 pay revision and also those continuing in the pre-revised scale of pay even after the 1996 UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Schemes pay revision.

- (g) Interest on D. A. credited to PF account will accrue from the 1st day of the month in which the bills are passed by the Treasury.
- (h) No withdrawal, other than final withdrawal, shall be made before the date specified below, from the arrears of D. A. credited to PF account.

	<i>Date on which the amount will be permitted to be withdrawn</i>
Arrears for the period from 1-7-2009 to 31-10-2009	31-8-2013 or retirement whichever is earlier

- (i) The condition mentioned under clause (h) above will be applicable "mutatis mutandis" to Provident Fund other than General Provident Fund also. In regard to Contributory Provident Fund, however, there will be no matching contribution from the Government in respect of the arrears of DA.

10. In the bill as well as in the Provident Fund Schedule the arrears of D. A. from 1-7-2009 to 31-10-2009 may be indicated separately. Accordingly, the amount of arrears of D. A. to be credited to Provident Fund Account should be shown as a separate entry in the Provident Fund Schedule as shown below:

<i>Subscription proper</i>		<i>Refund of Advance</i>			<i>Arrears of D. A.</i>	<i>Amount</i>
<i>Amount</i>	<i>Month to which it related</i>	<i>No. of instalments</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Month to which it relates</i>	<i>From 1-7-2009 to 31-10-2009</i>	<i>Total</i>
(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
						6+9+11

11. The following categories of employees will be paid arrears of D. A. in cash:

- (i) Those, in whose cases, it is not obligatory to maintain P. F. Account.
- (ii) Part-time teachers.
- (iii) Those who have opted not to subscribe to the P. F. Account during the last one year of their service prior to retirement.

12. The Government are also pleased to revise the rate of Dearness Relief with effect from 1-7-2009 to State Service Pensioners and Family Pensioners and also to the Pensioners/Family Pensioners coming under UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Schemes [who retired prior to 1-7-2004 and whose pension/family pension has been revised as per G. O. (P) No. 84/07/Fin. dated 28-2-2007], as follows:

<i>Date of effect</i>	<i>Percentage increase of Dearness Relief</i>	<i>Revised Dearness Relief payable</i>
1-7-2009	9% of Pension/Family Pension	64% of Pension/Family Pension

13. For the Pensioners/Family Pensioners, coming under UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Schemes who retired after 1-7-2004 and whose pension has been revised as per G. O. (P) No. 84/07/Fin. dated 1-3-2007 and those drawing Dearness Relief at Central rates viz. Retired Judicial Officers and Chairman and members of Kerala Public Service Commission the rate of Dearness Relief will be revised with effect from 1-7-2009 as follows:

<i>Date of effect</i>	<i>Percentage increase of Dearness Relief</i>	<i>Revised Dearness Relief payable</i>
1-7-2009	9% of Pension/Family Pension	73% of Pension/Family Pension

14. In respect of the Pensioners/Family Pensioners whose pension has not undergone revision as per G. O. (P) No. 180/06/Fin. dated 18-4-2006 and are drawing the Pension/Family Pension as per pension revision 1997, and in respect of Pensioners/Family Pensioners coming under UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Schemes whose pension has not undergone revision as per G. O. (P) No. 81/07/Fin. dated 28-2-2007 or G. O. (P) No. 84/07/Fin. dated 1-3-2007, the DR will be sanctioned as follows:

<i>Date of effect</i>	<i>Percentage increase of Dearness Relief</i>	<i>Revised Dearness Relief payable</i>
1-7-2009	9% of Pension/Family Pension	123% of Pre-revised Pension/Family Pension

This will be applicable only till such time as the date of effect of option for Pension Revision 2004, after which the Dearness Relief payable will be as indicated in para 12 above.

15. The revised Dearness Relief due from 1-7-2009 @ 9% along with the arrears up to November, 2009 will be released in cash along with the pension of December, 2009 (due on 1st December). Payment of Dearness Relief involving fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee.

By order of the Governor,

DR. P. PRABAKARAN,

*Additional Chief Secretary (Finance).*

To

- The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
- The Accountant General (A & E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
- All Heads of Departments.
- All Departments (all Sections) of the Secretariat.
- The Secretary, Kerala Public Service Commission (with C. L.).
- The Registrar, University of Kerala/Cochin/Calicut (with C. L.).
- The Registrar, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam (with C. L.).
- The Registrar, University of Sanskrit, Ernakulam (with C. L.).
- The Registrar, Kerala Agricultural University, Mannuthy, Thrissur.
- The Advocate General, Ernakulam (with C. L.).
- The Secretary, Kerala State Electricity Board (with C. L.).
- The Managing Director, Kerala Water Authority, Thiruvananthapuram.
- The General Manager, Kerala State Road Transport Corporation, Thiruvananthapuram (with C. L.).
- All Principal Secretaries, Secretaries, Additional Secretaries, Joint Secretaries, Deputy Secretaries and Under Secretaries to Government.
- The Secretary to Governor.
- The Private Secretaries to Chief Minister and other Ministers.
- The Private Secretary to Speaker.

The Private Secretary to Deputy Speaker.

The Private Secretary to the Leader of Opposition.

The Additional Secretary to the Chief Secretary.

The Secretary, State Election Commission, Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Registrar, Kerala Lokayukta, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Secretary, Kerala Human Rights Commission, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Ombudsman for Local Self Government Institutions, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Director of Public Relations, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Nodal Officer, [www.finance.kerala.gov.in](http://www.finance.kerala.gov.in).

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PM/2/9-7/09-10.  
Office of the Accountant General (A&E),  
Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.  
Dated 19-11-2009.

From

The Accountant General (A&E),  
Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

To

1. All District/Sub Treasury Officers.
2. The Director of Treasuries, Thiruvananthapuram.

While endorsing a copy of G. O. (P) No. 512/09/Fin. dated 18-11-2009, I am to authorize you to pay the revised rates of Dearness Relief with effect from 1-7-2009 to Kerala State Service Pensioners and Family Pensioners including those coming under UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Schemes and those drawing Dearness Relief at Central rates viz. Retired State Judicial Officers and Chairman and Members of Kerala Public Service Commission. This Office Circular Lr. No. PM/2/6-86/09-10/155 dated 30-7-2009 may also be referred to while disbursing revised rate of DR to Chairman and Members of Kerala Public Service Commission.

The revised rates of Dearness Relief due from 1-7-2009 @ 9% alongwith arrears up to November 2009 is to be paid in cash along with the pension of December 2009 (Due on 1st December).

Pensioners/Family Pensioners, whose pension/family pension has not undergone revision as per G. O. (P) No. 180/06/Fin. dated 18-4-2006 and who are continuing the Pension/Family Pension as per Pension Revision 1997, and in respect of Pensioners/Family Pensioners coming under UGC/AICTE/Medical Education Schemes whose pension has not undergone revision as per G. O. (P) No. 81/2007/Fin. dated 28-2-2007 or G. O. (P) No. 84/07/Fin. dated 1-3-2007 will be sanctioned Dearness Relief at the rate specified in para 14 of the Government Order.

All Pension Disbursing Authorities within the State are requested to disburse the revised rate of DR on the authority of this letter.

Doubtful cases, if any, may be referred to this office.

Yours Faithfully,

(Sd.)

Senior Accounts Officer.