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OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTANT GENERAL (A&E), ANDHRA PRADESH HYDERABAD - 500 004.

दिनांक / Date:

To

The Director of Treasuries and Accounts 4th floor Rajaram Building Tilak Road Abids Hyderabad

Sir.

Sub:- Forwarding of GO regarding allowances to Judicial Officers and enhancement of subscription to the Pensioners Health Fund.

Ref:- 1. Government of Tamil Nadu Finance (Pension) Department GO No.66 Dt. 19.01.2011.

2. Government of Tamil Nadu Finance (Pension) Department GO No 7 Dt 06.01.2012.

I am herewith enclosing a copy of Tamilnadu Government Orders 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 District Treasury Officers to download the orders and take necessary action at the earliest to minimize hardship to the pensioners.

Yours faithfully,

Sr Accounts Officer

Copy To Joint Director, M J Road, Jambagh Pension Payment Office, Nampally, Hyderabad

for information and necessary action.

Sr Accounts Officer

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Dated: 23.05.2012

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OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTANT GENERAL (A&E) TAMIL NADU, CHENNAI -600 018

AG/Pen-29/V/2011-2012/

Dated: 23.05.2012

Sir,

Sub: PENSION -Government of Tamilnadu -TN Govt Pensioners Health Fund Scheme,1995, Enhancement of subscription - Justice E.Padmanabhan Committee Report, Implementation of allowances - Revised rate of Dearness Allowance to the pensioners and family pensioners from 1st January 2012 @ 65% - Orders - Issued.

Ref: 1.Govt. of Tamil Nadu, Finance (Pension) Department G.O.No. 7, Dated 06.01.2012.

2.Govt. of Tamil Nadu, Home (Courts-1)Department G.O.Ms.No.56, Dated 19.01.2011.

3.Govt. of Tamil Nadu, Finance (Pension) Department G.O.No. 118, Dated 10.04.2012.

Copies of Tamil Nadu Government Order cited above regarding enhancement of subscription to TN Govt Pensioners Health Fund Scheme 1995, Implementation of various allowances and retirement benefits to Judicial Officers based on Justice E.Padmanabhan Committee Report and grant of Dearness Allowance to Tamil Nadu pensioners/family pensioners with effect from 01.01.2012 @ 65% are forwarded under special seal authority.

Extra copies be taken at your end and circulated to all the Pension Pay Authorities under your control.

The receipt of this order may be acknowledged.

Yours faithfully,

Encl.:as above

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Accounts Officer

ABSTRACT

Courts and Judges - Tamil Nadu State Judicial Service - Justice E. Padmanabhan Committee Report - Implementation of various allowances and retirement benefits to Judicial Officers / Retired Judicial Officers with effect from 01.01.2006 - Orders - Issued.

Home (Courts-I) Department

G.O. (Ma) No. 56 to the Same Part of the Control of

Dated: 19.01.2011

Read:-

Orders of the Supreme Court of India, New Delhi, dated: 28.04.2009 in W.P.No.1022/1989.

- 2. Report submitted on 17.07.2009 by One Man Commission headed by Justice E. Padmanabhan (Retired) to the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India on determination of salary revision etc. to the Judicial Officers and pensioners.
- 3. Order of the Supreme Court of India, New Delhi, dated: 04.05.2010 in W.P. No.1022/1989.
- 4. G.O.Ms.No. 647, Home (Courts.I) Department, dated :19.07.2010.
- 5. G.O.Ms.No. 648, Home (Courts.I) Department, dated :19.07.2010.
- 6. Orders of the Supreme Court of India, New Delhi, dated :19.07.2010
- 7. G.O.Ms.No.864, Home (Courts-I) Department, dated :05.10.2010
- 8. Orders of the Supreme Court of India, New Delhi, dated:26.07.2010 and 02.08.2010.
- 9. From the Secretary, Tamil Nadu Retired Judges Welfare Association, Chennal, representations dated: 07.08.2010 and 27.08.2010.

ORDER:-

In the reference first read above, the Honourable Supreme Court of India, New Delhi has appointed One Man Commission headed by Justice Thiru. E. Padmanabhan (Retired) to determine the Pay Scale of all the Judicial Officers of the Subordinate Courts working and retired throughout the Country. On the basis of First National Judicial Pay Commission, the Commission submitted its report on 17.07.2009, before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India. In the reference third read above, it has ordered as "All the States are hereby directed to Justice Thiru. E. Padmanabhan Committee recommendations with effect from 01.01.2006. There should be uniformity and all the States should implement recommendations and shall raise the pay scale and allowances from 01.01.2006 and shall pay arrears of salary, if any."

2. In the reference fourth and fifth read above, orders were issued revising the pay and pension to the Tamil Nadu Judicial Officers including pensioners.

- 3. In the reference sixth read above, the Supreme Court of India, New Delhi in their order dated 19.07.2010 have accepted the Report of the Justice Thiru.E.Padmanabhan Committee in toto as far as Allowances are concerned. In the reference seventh cited, orders have been issued to implement the recommendations of Justice Thiru. E. Padmanabhan Committee in respect of the various allowances with effect from 01.01.2008 to Judicial Officers/Retired Judicial Officers.
- 4. In the reference eighth read above, the Supreme Court of India, in their order dated 26.07.2010, and 02.08.2010 have accepted the Report of the Justice Thiru. E. Padmanabhan Committee with regard to Domestic Help Allowance, Medical Allowance and retirement benefits such as Additional Quantum of Pension, Commutation of Pension, Gratuity / Death-cum-Retirement Gratuity, Encashment of Leave, Family Pension, with effect from 01.01.2006, with two changes. The Supreme Court of India, New Delhi has approved the recommendation of Justice Thiru. E. Padmanabhan Committee to continue with Justice Shetty Commission recommendations with regard to paragraphs 31 (a), (d) and 36 of the report.
- 5. The Government, in pursuance of the Orders of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, New Delhi referred to above, hereby accord sanction to implement the recommendations of Justice Thiru.E.Padmanabhan Committee and accordingly order the following allowances and pensionery benefits with effect from 01.01.2006 to Judicial Officers / Retired Judicial Officers.

I) PENSION STRUCTURE

The existing system shall continue (i.e) the Revised Pension of the Retired Judicial Officers shall be 50% of the minimum pay of the post held at the time of retirement, as revised from time to time. There shall not be any ceiling limit on the maximum pension payable. The Pensioners shall be given the benefit of full neutralization to the cost living in the same scale as is being extended to the serving Judicial Officers.

II) DOMESTIC HELP ALLOWANCE

The Domestic Help Allowance is increased from Rs.1250/- to Rs.2500/- per month to all retired Judicial Officers. In respect of Family Pensioners, the Domestic Help Allowance is allowed at the rate of Rs.1000/-per month.

The existing procedure in respect of producing certificate shall continue.

III) MEDICAL ALLOWANCE

The Medical Allowance is increased from Rs.100/- to Rs.1500/- per month to the retired Judicial Officers. In respect of Family Pensioners, medical allowance is allowed at Rs.750/- per month. All the medical facilities recommended to serving Judicial Officers with regard to treatment and reimbursement of expenditure etc. be made applicable to retirees

iv) QUALIFYING SERVICE

The qualifying years of service for earning full pension for Judicial Officers shall be 20 years instead of 33 (Thirty three) years with effect from 02.09.2008 as per VIth Central Pay Commission.

V) QUANTUM OF PENSION

The recommendation of Justice Shetty Commission shall continue, subject to a modification with respect to qualifying years of service for earning full pension, which shall be 20 years, instead of 30 years.

VI) ADDITIONAL QUANTUM OF PENSION

The additional quantum of pension paid to Judicial Officers who have retired including family pensioners in terms of VI th Central Pay Commission Report shall be paid according to the following table:-

Age of Pensioner / Family Pension	Additional quantum of pension	
From 80 years to less than 85 years	20% of revised basic pension / family pension	
From 85 years to less than 90 years	30% of revised basic pension / family pension	
From 90 years to less than 95 years	40% of revised basic pension / family pension	
From 95 years to less than 100 years	50% of revised basic pension / family pension	
100 years or more	100% of revised basic pension/ family pension	

vii) COMMUTATION OF PENSION

The commutation of pension for Judicial Officers shall be allowed upto a maximum of 50% of the Basic pension.

vili) GRATUITY

The ceiling limit of gratuity shall be raised from Rs.3.5 lakhs to Rs.10 lakhs, with effect from 01.01.2006.

IX) ENCASHMENT OF LEAVE

The existing procedure as in the recommendation of First National Judicial Pay Commission shall continue with respect to number of days which the Judicial Officers are entitled to encash and limit of Earned Leave for encashment.

x) FAMILY PENSION

The eligible family pensioners in Judicial service who are entitled to draw family pension, will also be entitled to 30% of the salary as revised from time to time. This would be effective from 01.01.2006.

6. The Government also direct that the arrears with effect from 01.01.2006 in respect of the allowances ordered above shall be paid to the retired Judicial Officers / Family pensioners on or before 31.03.2011 as ordered by Supreme Court of India.

- 7. The expenditure shall be debited to the Major Head of A "2071 00 Pension and other retirement Benefits" and the detailed and sub-deta heads under the relevant heads of account. Necessary funds will be provide in Revised Estimate / Final Modified Appropriation 2010-2011. Pending provision of such additional funds in Revised Estimate / Final Modified Appropriation 2010-2011, the pension disbursing officers concerned are authorized to draw and disburse the arrears of domestic help allowance and medical allowance to the retired Judicial Officers and Family pensioners from 01.01.2006. The Registrar General, High Court, Madras is requested to include the above additional expenditure in the Supplementary Estimates and proposals in this regard may be sent to Government in Finance (Home-II) Department.
- 8. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide its U.O.No.236/PC/2011-1, Dated :19.01.2011.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

K. GNANADESIKAN,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Registrar General, High Court, Madras -104.

The Assistant Registrar, Supreme Court of India, New Delhi.

Thiru. T. Harishkumar, Tamil Nadu Government Advocate on Record.

Supreme Court of India, New Delhi.

The Pay and Accounts Officer, High Court, Madras -- 104.

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Thiru. P. Perumalappan,

Secretary, Tamil Nadu Retired Judges Welfare Association, Chennai - 20

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FINANCE (PENSION) DEPARTMENT

G.O.No.7, Dated: 6th January, 2012

(Margazhi-21, Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2042)

Tamil Nadu Government Pensioners' Health Fund Scheme, 1995 – Enhancement of Subscription – Orders – Issued.

Read the following:-

- 1. G.O. Ms. No. 562, Finance (Pension) Department, dated:11.07.1995
- 2. G.O. Ms. No. 404, Finance (Pension) Department, dated:09.10.2001
- 3. G.O. Ms. No. 188, Finance (Pension) Department, dated:09.05.2008
- 4. G.O. Ms. No. 474, Finance (Pension) Department, dated:30.09.2009
- 5. G.O. Ms. No. 475, Finance (Pension) Department, dated:30.09.2009
- 6. From the Director of Pension, Chennai 6 Letter No RC.51168/2011/Bills, Dated 24.08.2011

ORDER:

The Government in their order first read above had constituted a fund called "Tamil Nadu Government Pensioners' Health Fund" with effect from 01.07.1995 to provide financial assistance to pensioners for undergoing specialised treatment / surgery, when they are affected by major ailments.

- 2. In the Government Order third read above the subscription recoverable from the pensioners was enhanced to Rs.50/-per month with effect from 01.04.2008 and the maximum limit was enhanced to Rs.1,00,000/- or 75% of the actual cost of treatment, whichever is less.
- 3. In the Government order fourth read above, the Tamil Nadu Government Pensioners' Health Fund Scheme, 1995 was extended to the spouse of the pensioners with effect from 17.02.2009, subject to the maximum limit of Rs.1,00,000/- or 75% of the actual cost of treatment, whichever is less, for both the pensioner and spouse combined together and the contribution recoverable from the pensioners' monthly pension was enhanced from Rs.50/- to Rs.100/- per month with effect from 01.09.2009.

- 4. In the Government Order fifth read above, the scheme was extended to the family pensioners including teacher family pensioners, with effect from 01.09.2009 for whom subscription to the fund was fixed at Rs.75/- per month on their option to enroll under the scheme.
- 5. Though initially the scheme was introduced as a financially self sustaining one, the receipt of funds under the scheme by way of subscription collected from the pensioners was not sufficient to meet the claims received from the pensioners resulting in a backlog of pending applications for sanction of assistance under the scheme. Owing to extension of the scheme to the spouse of the pensioners and family pensioners and also due to the extension of the facility for those pensioners/ family pensioners who have undergone treatment/ surgery even in unaccredited hospitals, claims received under the scheme increased enormously, leading to a deficit of more than Rs.4crores per month which has to be supported by the Government and so far around Rs.80crores has been sanctioned by the Government as additional grant to the fund from the inception of the scheme.
- 6. In order to avoid the ever increasing additional burden to the Government and to make a breakeven point, the Government, after careful examination decided to enhance the subscription recoverable from the pension of the State Government pensioners. Accordingly Government direct that the subscription from the pensioners shall be enhanced from Rs.100/- per month to Rs.150/- per month with effect from 01.01.2012 i.e. from the pension payable for the month of January, 2012. The Government also direct that the subscription recoverable from the family pensioners shall be enhanced from Rs.75/- per month to Rs.100/-per month with effect from 01.01.2012 i.e. from the family pension payable for the month of January, 2012.
- 7. There shall be no change in the other terms and conditions of the scheme.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

K. SHANMUGAM, PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

All Secretaries to Government.

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