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OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL (A&E), TRIPURA :: AGARTALA

No. Pen-1/Tripura Relief/2015-16/41596-40

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To
The Accountant General (A&E), Andhra Pradesh-I
Hyderabad-500476

26 AUG 2016

Subject : Grant of Dearness Relief @ 4% with effect from 01-07-2016 over the revised pension to the Tripura Government Pensioners/Family Pensioners. Total 83% (79% + 4%) with effect from 01-07-2016 and clarifications regarding implementation of Pension/Family Pension.

Sir,

I am to enclose herewith copies of the Memorandum No. F. 8(3)-FIN(G)/2011 dated 16-07-2016, Memorandum No. F. 8(1)-FIN(G)/2015 dated 26-12-2015 and Memorandum No. F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2007 dated 16-12-2009 under which Government of Tripura has extended following benefits to their Pensioners/Family Pensioners.

Sl. No.	Government Notification and Date	Nature of benefits
1.	No. F. 8(3)-FIN(G)/2011 Dated 16-07-2016	Revised rate of Dearness Relief @ 83% (79 % + 4%) with effect from 01-07-2016.
2.	No. F. 8(1)-FIN(G)/2015 Dated 26-12-2015	Implementation of revision of Pension/Family Pension under the provisions of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Third Amendment) Rules, 2015 and Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Fourth Amendment) Rules, 2015 – clarification thereof.
3.	No. F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2007 Dated 16-12-2009	Clarification on different points relating to revision of pension as per T.S.C.S. (Revised Pension) Rules, 2009.

In view of the above, you are requested to arrange to circulate the aforesaid Memorandum to all Pension Disbursing Authorities including Public Sector Banks under your jurisdiction for doing the needful at their end as per instructions contained in the Memorandum ibid.

Encl : As stated above

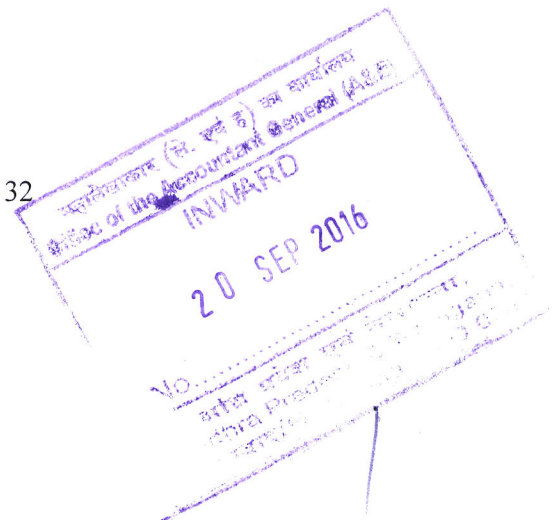
Yours faithfully,

Accounts Officer

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Memo. No. Pen-1/Tripura Relief/2015-16/
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- The Secretary
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- The Secretary
Tripura Government Pensioners Association
“Prabin Pattan”, Children Park, Agartala, Pin-799001
- The Chief Manager
State Bank of India
Centralized Pension Processing Centre
Bhangagarh, Gauhati, Assam-781005
- The Branch Manager
S.B.I., U.B.I. & U. Co. Bank, Agartala



Accounts Officer

No. F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2007
Government of Tripura
Finance Department

Dated, Agartala, the 16th December, 2009.

MEMORANDUM

Subject : Clarification on different points relating to revision of pension as per T.S.C.S (Revised Pension) Rules, 2009.

The undersigned is directed to say that after introduction of Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) Rules, 2009, a number of references and representations have been received from different corners seeking clarification/interpretation in regard to various provisions of the Rules. On consideration of each of those points clarification thereto are issued as under :

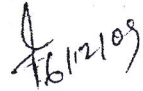
SL. No.	Point on which clarification sought.	Clarification .
1.	In the present Revised Pension Rules, only minimum and maximum of family pension has been indicated, but there is no fixation formula of family pension has been shown.	In the Notification of the revision of provision regulating pension and other pensionary benefits, it is clearly stated that "all other provisions in the adopted rules which are not repugnant to the provisions of these rules shall continue to apply till amended or repealed". So fixation formula of family pension will continue as per earlier Office Memorandum No. F.8(11) FIN(G)/99 dated 25.3.1999 of the Finance Department i.e. revision of provision of 4 th Tripura Pay Commission.
2.	Family pension shall be 30% of the basic pay last drawn subject to a minimum of Rs. 1300/- and maximum of Rs. 5600/-. For the first seven years or such period at which the pensioners would have become 65 years, whichever is earlier, the amount of family pension as aforesaid, shall be admissible which, however, shall not be less than 60% of the pension amount.	As in the Notification of the revision of provision regulating pension and other pensionary benefits, it appears that " all other provisions in the adopted rules which are not repugnant to the provisions of these rules shall continue to apply till amended or repealed". So, further clarification about fixation formula of family pension may not arise. Family pension as well as 60% will be calculated as per earlier Office Memorandum No. F.8(11) FIN(G)/99 dated 25.3.1999 of the Finance Department i.e. revision of provision of 4 th Tripura Pay

Necessary clarification may kindly

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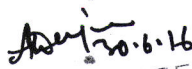
	be issued so that the family pensioners may not be deprived of the benefit of 60% of the pension amount after the specified period.	Commission.
3.	Some of the Bank authorities have raised question whether the higher quantum of 10% should be by increasing the existing pension/family pension or revised pension/family pension. It is presumed that by the words 'by increasing their pension/ family pension by 10% increase of revised pension/family pension by 10%' has been meant. So a suitable clarification is required to be issued to uphold the intention of the rules.	In the T.S.C.S(Revised Pension) Rules it is stated that pensioners/ family pensioner who have crossed/will cross 80 years of age shall be provided a higher quantum of pension/ family pension by increasing their pension/ family pension by 10%. It is clarified that the above 10% will be added after revision of pension as on 1.1.2009.
4.	What is the minimum amount of pension for the family pensioners who are serving under the Government and drawing salary in terms of their service.	It is clarified that though as per T.S.C.S(Revision of Pension) Rules, 2009 government has fixed the minimum family pension at Rs. 2865/-, the family pensioners who are serving under the government and drawing pre-revised family pension of Rs. 1300/- per month are eligible for family pension at the lowest rate of Rs. 2865/- per month.


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 Joint Secretary to the
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To
 All Departments/ Head of Departments.

Copy to :

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5. The Sr. Dy. A.G.(Audit), Tripura, Agartala.
6. All Treasury/ Sub-Treasury Officers, Tripura.
7. All Schedule Commercial Banks.
8. President/Secretary, Government Pensioners' Association, Agartala.


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**GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
SECRETARIAT, TRIPURA**

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No.F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2015

Agartala, 26 December 2015

M E M O R A N D U M

Subject : Implementation of revision of pension/family pension under the provisions of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Third Amendment) Rules, 2015 and Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Fourth Amendment) Rules, 2015 – clarification thereof.

The undersigned is directed to state that in pursuance of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Third Amendment) Rules, 2015 and Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Fourth Amendment) Rules, 2015; sanction of the Governor of Tripura had been accorded to the regulation of pension/family pension of the pre-2006 and post-2006 Pensioners/Family Pensioners notionally w.e.f. 01-01-2006 or from the date of superannuation/ retirement whichever is later. But financial benefit in cash to be accrued on computation of pension/family pension will be admissible from 01-04-2015 or from the date of superannuation/retirement whichever is later, in the manner as indicated vide Notifications No.F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2014 dated 31-03-2015 and No.F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2015 dated 25-06-2015.

2. References have been received at this Department seeking clarifications on some provisions of the aforesaid Notifications. The matter has been examined in this Department and the following clarifications are issued in this regard :

Sl. No.	Point raised	Clarification thereof
1.1	Whether the revised rate of pension under the provision of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) Rules, 2009 read with its amendments will be applicable to all categories of Pensioners?	The revised rate of pension/family pension under the provision of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) Rules, 2009 read with its amendments will be applicable to the Pensioners/Family Pensioners covered under the Central Civil Services (Pension) Rules, 1972 (as adopted in the State of Tripura).
2.1	What is the amount of minimum and maximum pension/family pension under the provision of the Tripura State Civil Services	The modified revised rate of minimum pension/family pension is Rs.3120/-, whereas the amount of maximum pension is Rs.38,500/- (50% of the maximum limit of modified revised

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	(Revised Pension) (Third Amendment) Rules, 2015 vide Notification No.F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2014 dated 31-03-2015?	Apex scale Rs.77,000/-) and the amount of maximum family pension is Rs.19,250/- (50% of the maximum limit of pension Rs.38,500/-) under the provision of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Third Amendment) Rules, 2015 vide Notification No.F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2014 dated 31-03-2015.
2.2	Whether the revision of pension/family pension under the provision of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Third Amendment) Rules, 2015 vide Notification No.F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2014 dated 31-03-2015 will be applicable to all categories of State Government Pensioners/Family Pensioners?	The modified revised rate of minimum and maximum pension/family pension under the provision of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Third Amendment) Rules, 2015 vide Notification No.F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2014 dated 31-03-2015 will be applicable to all categories (pre-2006 and post-2006) of the State Government Pensioners /Family Pensioners.
2.3	From which date the revision of pension/family pension under the provision of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Third Amendment) Rules, 2015 vide Notification No.F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2014 dated 31-03-2015 is effective?	The modified revised rate of pension within the limits of minimum and maximum pension/family pension under the provision of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Third Amendment) Rules, 2015 vide Notification No.F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2014 dated 31-03-2015 will be computed notionally from 01-01-2006 or, as the case may be, from the date of superannuation/retirement whichever is later. But financial benefit in cash to be accrued on computation of the modified revised pension/family pension will be admissible from 01-04-2015 or from the date of superannuation/retirement whichever is later.
3.1	How will the pension /family pension of the pre-2006 Pensioners /Family Pensioners be calculated under the provision of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Fourth Amendment) Rules, 2015 vide Notification	The modified revised rate of pension of Pensioners /Family Pensioners who superannuated/retired during the period from 01-01-1996 to 31-12-2005 will be calculated under the provision of sub-rule (i) of Rule 7 of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) Rules, 2009 read with the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension)

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	No.F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2015 dated 25-06-2015?	<p>(Fourth Amendment) Rules, 2015 vide Notification No.F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2015 dated 25-06-2015 as below :</p> <p>"Basic pension(without merger) + 86% DR over basic pension(without merger) + 40% booster over basic pension(without merger). The total amount shall be rounded up to the next multiple of 10."</p> <p>The modified revised rate of pension/family pension under the aforesaid provision will be computed notionally from 01-01-2006 to 31-03-2015, but financial benefit in cash to be accrued on computation of the modified revised pension will be admissible from 01-04-2015.</p>
3.2	Which categories of Pensioners/ Family Pensioners are entitled to the additional quantum of pension/family pension under the provision of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) Rules, 2009 read with its amendments?	The Pensioner/ Family Pensioners attaining the age of 80 years or above will be entitled to the additional quantum of pension/family pension under the provision of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) Rules, 2009 read with its amendments. In respect of entitlement of additional quantum of pension/family pension, the date of superannuation/retirement of the Pensioner/ Family Pensioner is immaterial.
3.3	From which date the benefit of additional quantum of pension /family pension will be available to the older Pensioners/ Family Pensioners attaining 80 years of age or above under the provision of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Fourth Amendment) Rules, 2015 vide Notification No.F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2015 dated 25-06-2015?	The additional quantum of pension/family pension in respect of the older Pensioners/ Family Pensioners who have crossed 80 years of age up to 31-12-2008 will be computed notionally w.e.f. 01-01-2009 under the provision of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Fourth Amendment) Rules, 2015 vide Notification No.F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2015 dated 25-06-2015. In respect of cases, where the Pensioner/Family Pensioner will attain the age of 80 years on or after 01-01-2009, the additional quantum of pension/family pension will be computed from the 1 st day of the month following the month on which the Pensioner/Family

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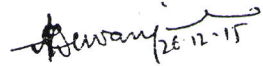
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		Pensioner will attain the age of 80 years. For example, if a Pensioner/Family Pensioner completes age of 80 years on any date in the month of August, 2009, he will be entitled to the additional quantum of pension/family pension notionally w.e.f. 01-09-2009 under the aforesaid provision. However, the financial benefit in cash to be accrued on computation of additional quantum of pension/family pension in eligible cases will be admissible from 01-04-2015.												
3.4	How will the pension/family pension of the older Pensioners / Family Pensioners attaining the age of 80 years or above be calculated under the provision of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Fourth Amendment) Rules, 2015 vide Notification No.F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2015 dated 25-06-2015?	<p>The quantum of pension / family pension available to the older Pensioners/Family Pensioners attaining the age of 80 years or above will be calculated at the increased rate in the manner indicated in the provision of sub-rule (iv) of Rule 7 of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) Rules, 2009 read with the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Fourth Amendment) Rules, 2015 vide Notification No.F.8(1)-FIN(G)/2015 dated 25-06-2015 as below :</p> <table><tr><th><u>Age of Pensioner/ Family Pensioner</u></th><th><u>Additional quantum of pension</u></th></tr><tr><td>From 80 years to less than 85 years</td><td>20% of revised basic pension/family pension</td></tr><tr><td>From 85 years to less than 90 years</td><td>30% of revised basic pension/family pension</td></tr><tr><td>From 90 years to less than 95 years</td><td>40% of revised basic pension/family pension</td></tr><tr><td>From 95 years to less than 100 years</td><td>50% of revised basic pension/family pension</td></tr><tr><td>From 100 years or more</td><td>100% of revised basic pension/family pension</td></tr></table> <p>The additional quantum of pension/family pension will be shown distinctly in the pension payment particulars.</p>	<u>Age of Pensioner/ Family Pensioner</u>	<u>Additional quantum of pension</u>	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	From 100 years or more	100% of revised basic pension/family pension
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4.1	Whether Dearness Relief will be admissible on the additional	Yes, Dearness Relief will also be admissible on the additional quantum of pension/family												

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quantum of pension/family pension available to the older Pensioners/Family Pensioners?	pension available to the older Pensioners/Family Pensioners, in accordance with the orders issued from time to time.
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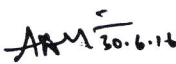
3. The undersigned is directed to request you to follow the above clarifications while disposing of the cases of revision of pension/family pension under the provision of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Third Amendment) Rules, 2015 and Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pension) (Fourth Amendment) Rules, 2015.

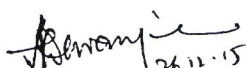

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6. The Secretary, Tripura Legislative Assembly, Agartala.
7. The Registrar, High Court of Tripura, Agartala.
8. The Secretary, TPSC, Agartala.
9. The Accountant General (A&E), Tripura, Agartala.
10. The Accountant General of all States.
11. The Principal Chief Accountant, Reserve Bank of India, Central Office, Department of Government & Bank Accounts Administration, Division C & 7 Bandra Kurla Complex, 2nd Floor, Post Bag No.1843, Bandra (E), Mumbai-400 051.
12. All Treasury/Sub-Treasury Officers, Tripura.
13. The Assistant General Manager, SBI/ Chief Manager, UBI/ Chief Manager, UCO Bank, General Manager, Tripura Gramin Bank/ General Manager, Tripura State Co-operative Bank Ltd. for information and necessary action.
14. General Secretary, Government Pensioners' Association, Tripura, Agartala.
15. In-charge, NIC, Tripura Unit/IT Nodal Officer, Finance Department for uploading in the State Government Website.


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