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प्रधान महालेखाकार का कार्यालय (लेखा एवं हक),
आन्ध्र प्रदेश, हैदराबाद - 500 004.

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

To
The Director of Treasuries and Accounts
Insurance Building Complex
Tilak Road Abids
Hyderabad

दिनांक / Date :

Sir,

Sub:- Forwarding of Grant of ex-gratia payment to West Bengal State Government pensioners

Ref:- 1.Prl Accountant General (A&E) West Bengal, Kolkata SSA No Pen Co-
ord/7 Vol III/112 Dt 29.08.2011
2. Memo No 535-F(Pen) dt 23.08.2011 of Govt of West Bengal, Finance
Department, Kolkata.

I am herewith enclosing a Special Seal Authority issued by the Principal Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal, Kolkatta 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, Pension Payment Office,
Jambagh, M J Road
Nampally,
Hyderabad

for information and necessary action.

Sr Accounts Officer

REGISTERED/BY SPECIAL MESSENGER
OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTANT GENERAL (A&E), WEST BENGAL,
TREASURY BUILDINGS, KOLKATA - 700 001.

Circular No. Pen. Co-ordn./7-Vol.III(B)/112

Date :- 29.8.2011

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- To :
1. The General Manager/Manager of all concerned Link Branches of Public Sector Banks in Kolkata. (Under Special Seal)
 2. All Accountants General. -do-
 3. Pay & Accounts Officer, No. V, Tis Hazari, New Delhi. -do-
 4. Director, Directorate of Accounts and Treasuries, Govt. of Pondicherry, Pondicherry. -do-
 5. Director, Directorate of Accounts, Pension Section, Panaji, Goa. -do-
 6. P. A. O., Andaman , Andaman & Nicobar Island, Port Blair. -do-
 7. Asstt. Military Attache (P), Embassy of India, Military Pension Branch, Kathmandu, Nepal-1. -do-
 8. Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok, Sikkim. -do-
 9. Controller of Accounts, Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi. -do-
 10. Director of Accounts, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Naharlagun. -do-
 11. Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Govt. of West Bengal, New India Assurance Building, 3rd Floor, 4, Lyons Range, Kolkata-1 for information.
 12. Principal Director of Audit (Central), Kolkata, G.I. Press Building, 8, K. S. Roy Road, Kolkata-700 001.
 13. Chief Accountant, Reserve Bank of India, Central Office, Department of Govt. and Bank Accounts, New Central Office Building , Shaheed Bhagat Sing Road, Mumbai-400 023.
 14. All Branch Officers in Pension Group of this office.
 15. All Asstt. Accounts Officers/Section Officers in Pension Group of this office.
 16. Branch Officer-in-charge of AM-I, ITSC, PAO (Fund) and O & M Section of this office.
 17. Asstt. Accounts Officer-in-charge of Pen. (EDP), AM-I, ITSC and O & M Section of this office.
 18. Secretary to Pr. A.G.
 19. Branch Officer, Legal Cell.
 20. I.A.O.
 21. Branch Officer-in-charge of Admn. Hindi Cell with the request to translate the circular in Hindi.

P.T.O.

Sub : Grant of Ex-gratia payment to the West Bengal Govt. Pensioners for the year 2011.

Govt. of West Bengal, Finance Deptt., Pension Branch in their Memo no. 535-F(Pen) dated 23.8.2011 (Copy enclosed) have sanctioned payment of Ex-gratia grant of ₹.800/- (Rupees Eight hundred) only in lump per head to all State Government pensioners including the holders of Provisional pension who retired/died prior to 30-9-2010 and also the pensioners/family pensioners who retired or died after 30.09.2010 but prior to 1-9-2011 and are not eligible to receive adhoc bonus.

2. This benefit will be admissible to pensioners/family pensioners whose basic pension/family pension alongwith relief does not exceed ₹. 20,000/- as on March 31, 2011.

3. The Ex-gratia grant sanctioned in the aforesaid Memo will also be admissible to the categories of pensioners mentioned in para 3 of the enclosed Memo.

4. The classes of pensioner who will not come within the purview of the Memo have also been clearly indicated in para 4 & 5 of the Memo.

5. In this connection it is informed that the pro-rata pension holders are also entitled to get the benefit of full amount of exgratia grant, sanctioned in the above Memo. in terms of Govt. of West Bengal, Finance Department ,Pension Branch's clarificatory letter No. 805-F(Pen), dated 10.12.2008 (circulated by this Office circular No Pen. Co-ordn/7 Vol. III/64 Vol. II/191 dated 7.1.2009), subject to fulfillment of the conditions as laid down in the Memo. ibid.

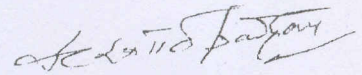
6. Necessary arrangements for payment of Ex-gratia @ Rs.800/- (Rupees Eight hundred) to the eligible West Bengal Govt. pensioners/family pensioners may please be made, keeping in view the instructions contained in the enclosed Memo.

7. The charges on this account is debitable to the Head "2071-Pension and other retirement benefits 01-Civil-800-Other Expenditure-NP-001-fund required for meeting other expenditure-V-04-Pension/Gratuities".

8. Separate circulars in connection with Ex-gratia grant for the year 2011 in respect of teaching and non-teaching pensioners of State aided Non-Govt. Educational Institutions etc. will be issued from this end on receipt of the order from the respective Administrative Deptt. as mentioned in sub para 7 of the Memo dated 23.8.2011.

9. The payment should be disbursed by 30th September, 2011.

10. In case of any doubt/difficulty, the matter may be referred to this office for clarification.



Accounts Officer

Government of West Bengal
Finance Department
Pension Branch
Block-IV, 2nd floor, Writers' Buildings,
Kolkata-700 001.

Memo. No.535 -F(Pen)

Dated, Kolkata, the ^{23rd} ~~1st~~ August, 2011.

MEMORANDUM

Subject : Grant of ex-gratia payment to the State Government Pensioners.

The undersigned is directed by order of the Governor to say that in order to provide some relief to the State Government Pensioners during the ensuing festivals, the Governor has been pleased to decide that all State Government Pensioners including the holders of provisional pension who retired prior to 30.9.2010 and also the pensioners who retired or died after 30.9.2010 but prior to 01.09.2011 and whose basic pension plus relief on pension as on March 31, 2011 did not exceed Rs. 20000/- (Rupees twenty thousand) only and are not eligible for ad-hoc bonus shall be paid an ex-gratia grant of Rs. 800/- (Rupees eight hundred) only in lump per head.

2. The charge is debitable to the head "2071-Pensions and other retirement Benefits-01 Civil-800-other Expenditure-NP-001-fund required for meeting other expenditure-V-04-Pension / Gratuties" during the current financial year.

3. The ex-gratia grant sanctioned herein will also be admissible to :-
- The holders of family pension, ex-gratia family pension and adhoc family pension ;
 - Pensioners (including widow pension holders) who draw their pension sanctioned under French Pension Rules ;
 - Holders of extra-ordinary pension ; and
 - Holders of ex-gratia pension.

The benefit will also be admissible to the pensioners of the undivided Government of Bengal and the pensioners of the erstwhile East Pakistan (now Bangladesh) Government who migrated to West Bengal and are receiving pension under "Provisional Payment of Pension Scheme".

4. The ex-gratia grant sanctioned herein will not be admissible to the special categories of pensioners, such as :-

- Pensioners who have migrated from Pakistan ;
- Political Pensioners ;
- Special Pensioners ;
- War Risk Pensioners ;
- Pensioners governed by the All India Services Rules.

5. The benefit will also not be admissible to those who are entitled to ad-hoc bonus sanctioned by the State Government and those who are employed/re-employed under any Public Undertakings/Statutory Bodies under the Government and are in receipt of bonus or ex-gratia payment in lieu thereof during the current financial year.

6. State Government pensioners who draw their pension through Public Sector Banks will get this ex-gratia grant through their respective Bank Accounts. The Principal accountant General (A&E), West Bengal will issue an authority for this purpose to all such Banks under the Kolkata Payment Scheme immediately on receipt of this order so that the pensioners may draw the ex-gratia grant immediately to make their commitments for their festival. The Treasury/Sub-Treasury Office will take appropriate steps for issue of cheque to the respective paying branches of the Banks and Post Offices, so that the pensioners receiving pension through Banks and Money Order get the payment of ex-gratia immediately to meet their commitments for their festival. No authority of the Principal Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal will be required for this purpose.

7. Subject to para 6 above, this order will also be applicable to those who are eligible for this ex-gratia grant but whose pension/family pension has not yet been sanctioned. In their cases and in the case of persons who are drawing provisional pension, this amount of ex-gratia will be drawn by the authority competent to draw provisional pension in the same manner as the amount of provisional pension is drawn by him. In their cases, the facts of payment of ex-gratia grant should be intimated to the Principal Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal at the time of forwarding their pension papers for final sanction of pension.

This benefit of ex-gratia grant of Rs. 800/- per head as has been sanctioned in this memorandum for the State Government Pensioners will also be allowed to the teaching and non-teaching Pensioners of State aided Non-Government Educational Institutions and Pensioners of Panchayats, the Pensioners of Municipal Corporations/Municipalities/Local Bodies and other Organisations for whom pension is authorised either by the Accountant General, West Bengal or the DPPG, West Bengal. In such cases the respective Administrative Department may sanction the benefit of ex-gratia payment @ Rs. 800/- per head this year to the pensioners concerned under their control without making any further reference to Pension Branch of this Department.

The payment of ex-gratia as sanctioned herein above should be made by 29th August, 2011 for the Muslim Pensioners / Family Pensioners and other than Muslim Pensioners / Family Pensioners the benefits should be disbursed in between 1st September, 2011 and 30th September, 2011.

Sd/- T.K. Nath
Deputy Secretary to the
Government of West Bengal.


P.T.O.

Memo No. 535/1(2000)-F(Pen)

Dated, Kolkata the ^{23rd} ~~24th~~ August, 2011.

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

1. The Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal, Treasury Buildings, Kolkata-700 001.
2. The Manager, Reserve Bank of India (Public A/cs Deptt.), 15, N.S. Road, Kolkata-1.
3. The Manager, Reserve Bank of India (Public A/cs Deptt., Deptt. of Govt. & Bank Accounts, G-7, Bandra Kurla Complex, 3rd Floor, Bandra(East), Mumbai-51.
4. The Accounts Officer, West Bengal Secretariat, Writers' Buildings, Kolkata-700 001.
5. The Accountant General(Audit), W.B., Treasury Buildings, Kolkata- 700 001.
6. The Deputy Accountant General (Pension), W.B., Treasury Buildings, Kolkata-1.
7. The Pay & Accounts Officer, Kolkata Pay & Accounts Office,, 81/2/2, Phears Lane, Kolkata-700 012.
8. The Pay & Accounts Officer, Kolkata Pay & Accounts Office-II, P-1, Hyde Lane, Kolkata-700 073.
9. Directorate of Treasuries & Accounts, 4, Lyons Range, Kolkata-700 001.
10. Deptt./Dte.
11. The District Magistrate/District Judge.....
12. The Superintendent of Police.....
13. The Commissioner.....
14. The Sub-Divisional Officer.....
15. The Principal, Industrial Training Institute.....
16. The Superintending Engineer/The Executive Engineer.....
17. The Accountant General(A&E):
(i) Uttar Pradesh, Allahabad-211001, (ii) Bihar, Birchand Patel Marg, Patna-800001, (iii) Orissa, Bhubaneswar,-751001, (iv) Madhya Pradesh, Gwalior-474 002, (v) Assam, Bhanagagarh, Gauhati-781015, (vi) Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad-500463, (vii) Kerala, Trivandrum-695039, (viii) Tamil Nadu, Chennai-600016, (ix) Rajasthan, Jaipur-302001, (x) Punjab, Chandigarh-160017, (xi) Maharashtra, Mumbai-400020, (xii) Gujrat, Ahmedabad-380 001. (xiii) Karnataka, Bangalore-560 001, (xiv) Hariyana, Chandigarh-160 017, (xv) Tripura, Agartala-799 001, (xvi) Nagaland, Kohima-797001, (xvii) Manipur, Imphal-795001 (xviii) Meghalaya, Shilong-793001, (xix) Jammu & Kashmir, Srinagar-190001, (xx) Uttaranchal, Dehradun-248001, (xxi) Chhatisgarh, Raipur-843326, (xxii) Jharkhand, Ranchi-843001.
18. The Senior Deputy Accountant General (A&E)
(i) Sikkim, Gangtak-737001, (ii) Himachal Pradesh & Chandigarh, Simla-171003.
19. The Pay & Accounts Officer:
(i) Goa, P.O. Panaji-403 001, (ii) Pondicherry, P.O. Pondicherry-605 001, (iii) Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Port Blair-744 101.
20. The Director of Accounts, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Nahar Lagun-791 110.
21. The Director of Audit, Central Revenue-II, Indraprastha Estate, New Delhi-110001.
22. The Controller of Accounts (Pension), Delhi Administration, Mori Gate, Delhi-7.
23. The Assistant Military Attache (Pension), Embassy of India, Military Pension Branch, Kathmandu, Nepal-1.
24. Pensioners' Association:


Assistant Secretary to the
Government of West Bengal.