



**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

PENSIONS – Grant of dual Family Pension to the family members of the deceased military pensioner who re-employed in civil service – Modification to the G.O.Ms.No.195, Fin. & Plg. (FW: Pen.I) Dept., dt.12-5-1985 under Rule 19 of APRPRs 1980 – Orders – Issued.

FINANCE (HRM.V) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 35

Dated: 03-03-2016
Read the following

1. G.O.Ms.No.195, Fin. & Plg. (FW: Pen.I) Dept., dt.12-5-1985
2. Letter No.PM/I/Genl/2014-15/121210, dt. NIL, received from Accountant General (A&E), Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad
3. Letter D.O.No.PC1(5)/2010-D(Pen/Pol),dt. 7.11.2014 from GOI, Ministry of Defence, Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare, New Delhi

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The Accountant General (A&E) in the reference 2nd cited has informed that Government of India allowed dual family pension – one for military service and the other for the civil employment on their re-employment. It is also informed that as per the Executive instructions under Rule 19 of APRPRs 1980, a military pensioner who has opted for military pension is not eligible for family pension and therefore requested the Government to examine the orders of Government of India for necessary consideration and decision.

2. According to the existing provisions i.e. Executive instructions (a) to (c) under Rule 19 of A.P Revised Pension Rules 1980 issued in the G.O first read above, a military pensioner re-employed in a state Government pensionable post can draw military pension in addition to the pension attachable to the civil post, if any, admissible according to rules, provided he exercise option for the same. A similar option also has to be exercised in respect of family pension. Otherwise, he can opt to surrender military pension or Gratuity and count in lieu thereof the military service also for civil pension and the family pension will be admissible to his family under the pension rules applicable to him in civil post. The same scenario is equally applicable to the family pensioners pertaining to the military pensioners.

3. In the reference 3rd cited, it is informed that the families of Armed Forces pensioners who got re-employed in civil Departments /PSUs /Autonomous bodies/Local Funds of Central/State Governments after retirement from military service and were in receipt of military pension till death, have been allowed to draw family pension from military side as well as the family pension, if any, authorised from the civil department subject to fulfillment of other prescribed conditions as hither to in force.

4. Keeping in view of the latest instructions issued by GOI, it is decided to adopt the procedure being followed by the GOI on grant of dual Family pension to the next of Kin of

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