



FINANCE (PENSION) DEPARTMENT

G.O.No.42, Dated: 7th February, 2011

(Thai 24, Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2042)

Pension – Pensioners and Family Pensioners – Sanction of Additional Pension / Additional Family Pension – Orders issued.

ORDER:

Various Pensioners' Associations are continuously representing to the Government for several demands. After careful examination of the demands of the Associations, the Government has decided to accept one of the main demand of sanctioning of 20% to 100% additional quantum of Pension / Family Pension on Basic Pension / Family Pension to those Pensioners / Family Pensioners aged 80 years and above according to their age, as has been ordered by the Government of India.

2. Accordingly, the Government sanction an additional quantum of Pension / Family Pension to the Pensioners / Family Pensioners aged 80 years and above as follows:

Sl. No.	Age of Pensioner / Family Pensioner	Additional Pension/ Additional Family Pension
1	From 80 years to 84 years	20% on Basic Pension / Family Pension
2	From 85 years to 89 years	30% on Basic Pension / Family Pension
3	From 90 years to 94 years	40% on Basic Pension / Family Pension
4	From 95 years to 99 years	50% on Basic Pension / Family Pension
5	100 years and above	100% on Basic Pension / Family Pension

Basic Pension refers to full Pension before commutation.

3. The following procedures shall be followed while sanctioning an additional quantum of Pension / Family Pension, ordered in Para 2 above.

Sl. No.	Procedure
1	The amount of additional Pension / additional Family Pension shall be shown distinctly.
2	Additional pension / additional Family Pension shall be taken into account for calculation of Dearness allowance.
3	Additional Pension / additional Family Pension shall be sanctioned with monetary benefit from 1.1.2011.
4	Additional Pension / additional Family Pension to the Pensioner / Family Pensioner shall be sanctioned from the first day of the month in which he / she completes the age of 80 / 85 / 90 / 95 / 100 years or from 1.1.2011, whichever is later.

4. These orders shall apply to the following categories of Pensioners / Family Pensioners.

- (i) Tamil Nadu Government Pensioners / Family Pensioners.
- (ii) Teacher Pensioners/ Family Pensioners of Government Aided and Local Body Educational Institutions
- (iii) Other Pensioners / Family Pensioners of Local Bodies.
- (iv) Pensioners / Family Pensioners who had worked under University Grants Commission / All India Council for Technical Education / Indian Council of Agricultural Research Scale of Pay and retired.

5. The Pension Payment Order shall be the basic document for verifying the date of birth and the age of a Pensioner / Family Pensioner. In cases where Pension Payment Order is not available or the age and date of birth of the Pensioner / Family Pensioner has not been indicated in the Pension Payment Order, those Pensioners / Family Pensioners on completion of 80 years and above shall submit any one of the following documents to the Pension Disbursing Officer as proof of their date of birth/age.

1. PAN (Permanent Account Number) Card
2. Secondary School Leaving Certificate (SSLC)
3. Passport
4. Driving License, if the date of birth is indicated therein.
5. Voters Identity Card issued by the Election Commission of India.

6. Whenever a Pensioner / Family Pensioner submits any one of the above documents, the Pension Disbursing Officer shall immediately send the copy of the document to the authority who has sent the Pension / Family Pension proposals of the Pensioner / Family Pensioner for confirming the date of birth and the age of the Pensioner / Family Pensioner from the available records. The age of the Family Pensioner may be confirmed from the Form – 14 prescribed under the Tamil Nadu Pension Rules in which the Family Pensioner has applied for Family Pension. Additional Pension / additional Family Pension shall be paid to the Pensioner / Family Pensioner, on provisional basis till the age of the Pensioner / Family Pensioner is confirmed, for 6 months from the date of submission of any of the

above documents or till 30.9.2011, whichever is later. After confirmation, the additional Pension / additional Family pension shall be paid permanently. The age of the Pensioner / Family Pensioner shall be confirmed before the expiry of the above time limit.

7. The Pension Disbursing Officer himself shall sanction additional Pension / additional Family Pension to the Pensioner / Family Pensioner after ensuring the age of the Pensioner / Family Pensioner, for which separate authorisation of the Accountant-General need not be obtained.

8. In respect of Pensioners / Family Pensioners drawing pension under the Public Sector Bank Scheme, all the Public Sector Banks are authorised to sanction the additional Pension/ additional Family Pension to the Pensioners / Family Pensioners, after following the above procedures.

9. Additional Family Pension shall be divided proportionately and paid to the Family Pensioners who are obtaining Family Pension under divisible method.

10. In respect of Pensioners / Family Pensioners for whom expenditure is met from State Funds, the expenditure on additional Pension / additional Family Pension sanctioned in para 2 above shall be debited to the following new heads of account to be opened under Demand No.50.

Additional Pension

"2071. Pension and other Retirement Benefits - 01. Civil-101.Superannuation and other Retirement Allowances- I Non - Plan – AO Additional Pension to Tamil Nadu Government Pensioners aged above 80 years -27. Pensions – 01 Basic pension

(D.P.Code. 2071 01 101 AO 2711)"

Additional Family Pension

"2071. Pension and other Retirement Benefits - 01. Civil-105.Family Pensions- I Non - Plan – AH Additional Family Pension to Tamil Nadu Government Pensioners aged above 80 years -27. Pensions – 01 Basic pension (D.P.Code. 2071 01 105 AH 2717)"

11. In respect of Pensioners / Family Pensioners of Local Bodies for whom expenditure is met from the fund maintained by the Director of Local Fund Audit or Municipal Funds, as the case may be, the expenditure shall be met from the respective funds.

12. The expenditure sanctioned in para 2 above is a "New Instrument of Service". This expenditure shall be brought to the notice of the Legislature by specific inclusion in the Supplementary Estimates, 2010-2011.

13. The Accountant-General is the Estimating, Reconciling and Controlling Authority for the above two new heads of account.

14. This order issues with the Additional Sanction Ledger No. 1983 (One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty Three).

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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