EASTERN RAILWAY Sealdah

No.E-22/310.3/Retire. DR/Pl. I

Date: 26/11/2024

ALL Concerned

Sub: Grant of Dearness Relief to SRPF beneficiaries in receipt of ex-gratia payment - revised rates effect from 01.01.2023

Ref : PCPO/E. Rly's letter No-E.787/0/PEN /Pt.XXX dated: 14/11/2024.

The PCPO/E. Rly's letter No- E. 787/0/PEN/Pt.XXX dated: 14/11/2024. (PCPO's Sl.No.130/2024) along with Railway Board's letter No-PC-V/2021/A/DR/1 dated: 07.11.24 (RBE No-105/2024) is forwarded for information ,guidance and necessary action please.

DA:-As above.

DAT 26/11/24

Assistant Personnel Officer
For Sr. Divisional personnel Officer.
Eastern Railway , Sealdah.

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PCPO's Serial No. 130/2024

Eastern Railway

Personnel Department

No. E.787/0/PEN/Pt.XXX

Kolkata, dated /4 .11.2024

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As per Standard list

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A copy of Railway Board's letter No. PC-V/2021/A/DR/1 dated 07.11.2024 (RBE No. 105/2024 and S. No. PC-VII/220) alongwith a copy each of DOP&PW's O.M. No. 42/04/2023-P&PW (D) dated 06.07.2023 and OM No. 42/04/2023-P&PW(D) dated 28.12.2023 on the above subject matter is sent herewith for information and compliance.

Board's earlier letter of even no dated 13.03.2023 (RBE No. 42/2023) and letter No. F(E)III/98/PN1/Ex. Gr./3 dated 15.11.2006 (RBE No. 170/2006) as mentioned therein were circulated under this office SI. Nos. 44/2023 and 144/2006 respectively.

DA: As above

(K.C. Das)

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Dy. Ch. Personnel Officer (NG) fr. Pr. Chief Personnel Officer

Index No. 1058: The surviving Group 'A', 'B', 'C' and 'D' SRPF (Contributory) beneficiaries who had retired from service during the period from 01.04.1957 to 31.12.1985 and are entitled to basic ex-gratia @Rs. 3000/-, Rs. 1000/-, Rs. 750/- & Rs. 650/- per month respectively w.e.f. 01.11.2006 in lieu of uniform rate of 600/- p.m. are entitled to Dearness Relief at the rates 412% of the basic ex-gratia w.e.f. 01.01.2023 and 427% of the basic ex-gratia w.e.f. 01.07.2023.

भारत सरकार/GOVERNMENT OF INDIA रेल मंत्रालय/MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS रेलवे बोर्ड (Railway Board)

S.No. PC-VII/ 220 No. PC-V/2021/A/DR/1

RBE No. 105 /2024 New Delhi, dated 07.11.2024

The General Managers/ CAO(R), All Indian Railways & PUs (As per standard mailing list)

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2. In pursuance of the enhanced rates of ex-gratia to the surviving SRPF(C) retirees issued vide Board's letter No. F(E)III/98/PN1/Ex-Gr./3 dated 15-11-2006, para 1(i) of above mentioned DoP&PW's O.M dated 06.07.2023 and 28.12.2023 may be read as under:-

"The surviving Group 'A', 'B', 'C' and 'D' SRPF (Contributory) beneficiaries who had retired from service during the period from 01.04.1957 to 31.12.1985 and have been sanctioned enhanced slab-wise ex-gratia @ '3000/-, '1000/-, '750/- and '650/- per month respectively w.e.f 01.11.2006, in lieu of uniform rate of '600/- p.m are entitled to Dearness Relief at the following rates:-

Date	Rate of Dearness Relief
01-01-2023	412%
01-07-2023	427 %

3. A concordance of various instructions and orders referred to in the enclosed office memorandum with reference to corresponding Railway instructions is indicated below:-

S.No.	Para No. and	No. and date of Deptt. of Pension	No. & date of orders issued by
	Date of OM	& Pensioners' welfare's O.M.	Railway Board.
1.	Para-1 of OM dt.	DOP&PW's OM No. 42/07/2022-	PC-V/2021/A/DR/1 dated
	06.07.2023	P&PW(D) dt.31.10.2022	13.03.2023
2.	Para-1(i) of	DOP&PW's OM No.1/10/2012-	F(E)III/98/PN1/Ex.Gr./3 dt
	DOP&PW OM	P&PW(E) dated 27-6-2013	15.11.2006
	dt. 06.07.2023		

- 4. Payment of DR involving a fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee.
- 5. It will be the responsibility of the pension disbursing authorities, including the nationalized banks, etc. to calculate the quantum of DR payable in each individual case.

- 6. This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.
- 7. Hindi version will follow.

DA: As above

(Sudha A Kujur) Dy.Director, Pay Commission Railway Board

No. PC-V/2021/A/DR/1

New Delhi, Dated :07.11.2024

Copy (with 40 spares) forwarded to Deputy Comptroller and Auditor General of India (Railways), New Delhi.

For Member(Finance)/ Railway Board

No. PC-V/2021/A/DR/1

New Delhi, Dated : 0 7.11.2024

Copy forwarded to:-

- 1. The General Secretary, AIRF, R.No.253, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
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- 3. The Members of the National Council, Departmental Council and Secretary, Staff Side, National Council, 13-C, Ferozeshah Road, New Delhi.
- 4. The Secretary General, FROA, R.No.256-A, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 5. The Secretary, RBSS, Group 'A' Officer Association, R.No.402, Rail Bhawan.
- 6. The President, Railway Board Class II Officers' Association.
- 7. The Secretary General, IRPOF, Room No.341-C, Railway Board.
- The President, Indian Railway Class II Officer Association.
 The Secretary, Railway Board Ministerial Staff Association.
- 10. The Secretary, Railway Board Class IV Staff Association
- 11. The Secretary General, AIRPF Association.
- 12. The General Secretary, All India SC/ST Railway Employees Association, R.No.8, Ground Floor, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi-110001.
- 13. All India O.B.C. Railway Employee's Association.
- 14. The General Secretary, Retired Railway Employees Welfare Association (Regd.), 490A/16, Gurudwara Raod, Gurgaon.
- 15. The Chief Commissioner of Railway Safety, 16, Ashok Road, Lucknow.

for PED(IR), Railway Board

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All Sr. PPS/PPS to Additional Members/PEDs

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No. 42/04/2023-P&PW (D) Government of India Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare

3rd Floor, Lok Nayak Bhavan, Khan Market, New Delhi - 110003 Dated :-06th July, 2023

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub:- Grant of Dearness Relief in the 5th CPC series effective from 01.01.2023 to CPF beneficiaries in receipt of basic ex-gratia payment-reg

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's OM 42/07/2022-P&PW(D) dated 31.10.2022 and to say that the President is pleased to decide that the Dearness Relief admissible to the CPF beneficiaries in receipt of basic ex-gratia payment in the 5th CPC series shall be enhanced w.e.f 01.01.2023 in the following manner:-

- (i) The surviving CPF beneficiaries who have retired from service between the period 18.11.1960 and 31.12.1985, and are entitled to basic ex-gratia @ Rs.3000, Rs.1000, Rs.750 & Rs.650 for Group A, B, C & D respectively w.e.f 4th June, 2013 vide OM No. 1/10/2012-P&PW(E) dtd. 27th June, 2013 shall now be entitled to enhanced Dearness Relief from 396% of the basic ex-gratia to 412% of the basic exgratia w.e.f 01.01.2023.
- (ii) The following categories of CPF beneficiaries shall be entitled to enhanced Dearness Relief from 388% of the basic ex-gratia to 404% of the basic ex-gratia w.e.f 01.01.2023:-
 - (a) The widows and eligible dependent children of the deceased CPF beneficiary who had retired from service prior to 01.01.1986 or who had died while in service prior to 01.01.1986 and are entitled to revised ex-gratia @ Rs.645/-p.m w.e.f 04 June, 2013 vide OM No 1/10/2012-P&PW(E) dated 27th June,2013.
 - (b) Central Government employees who had retired on CPF benefits before 18.11.1960 and are in receipt of Ex-gratia payment of Rs. 654/-, Rs.659/-, Rs.703/- and Rs.965/-.
- 2. Payment of DR involving a fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee.
- 3. It will be the responsibility of the pension disbursing authorities, including the nationalized banks, etc. to calculate the quantum of DR payable in each individual case.

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- 5. This issues in pursuance of Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure's OM No. 1/3(2)/2008-E.II(B) dated 12th June, 2023.
- 6. Hindi version will follow.

D.P. Singh)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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No. 42/04/2023-P&PW (D) Government of India Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions

Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare

3rd Floor, Lok Nayak Bhavan, Khan Market, New Delhi - 110003 Dated 28th December, 2023

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(Ravinder Kumar) Director

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