

Eastern Railway

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

Kolkata dated 05. 11 .2019.

ALL CONCERNED

**Sub:-Grant of Dearness Relief to Railway pensioners/Family pensioners-
Revised rate effective from 01.07.2019.**

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(S.K. Chattopadhyay)

Sr. Personnel Officer (HQ)

For Pr.Chief Personnel Officer

INDEX NO. 1058: Payment of Dearness relief w.e.f. 01.07.2019 to Railway Pensioners/Family Pensioners.

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2. This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.
3. Hindi version is attached below.

Encl. As above.

Sd/-

(Jaya Kumar G)

Deputy Director, Pay Commission-VII
Railway Board.

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भारत सरकार/GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
रेल मंत्रालय /MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(रेलवे बोर्ड) /(RAILWAY BOARD)

पीसी-VII सं. 146
आरबीई सं. 187 /2019

सं.पीसी-VII/2016/1/7/2/3

नई दिल्ली, दिनांक: 31.10.2019

महाप्रबंधक/मुख्य प्रशासनिक अधिकारी (आर)
सभी क्षेत्रीय रेलें एवं उत्पादन इकाइयां,
(डाक सूची के अनुसार)

विषय: रेलवे पेंशनरों/परिवार पेंशनरों को महंगाई राहत प्रदान करना -01.07.2019 से प्रभावी संशोधित दर

उपर्युक्त विषय पर कार्मिक, जन शिकायत एवं पेंशन मंत्रालय (पेंशन तथा पेंशनर कल्याण विभाग) के दिनांक 21.10.2019 के कार्यालय ज्ञापन नं. 42/04/2019-पीएंडपीडब्ल्यू(डी) की प्रति सूचना एवं अनुपालन के लिए इसके साथ संलग्न है। ये आदेश यथोचित परिवर्तनों सहित रेलवे पर भी लागू होंगे।

2. इसे रेल मंत्रालय के वित्त निदेशालय की सहमति से जारी किया जाता है।

संलग्नक: यथोक्त



(जय कुमार जी)
उप निदेशक, वेतन आयोग-VII
रेलवे बोर्ड

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA (BHARAT SARKAR)
Ministry of Railways (Rail Mantralaya)
(Railway Board)

PC-VII No.:146
RBE No.: 187/2019

File No. PC-VII/2016/I/7/2/3

New Delhi, dated: 31 . 10 .2019

The General Manager/CAOs(R),
All Zonal Railways & Production Units,
(As per mailing list)

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Deputy Director, Pay Commission-VII
Railway Board

File No. PC-VII/2016/I/7/2/3

New Delhi, dated: 31 . 10 .2019

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For Financial Commissioner, Railways

File No. PC-VII/2016/I/7/2/3

New Delhi, dated: 31 . 10 .2019

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For Secretary, Railway Board

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No. 42/04/2019-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
Date:- 21st Oct, 2019

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Grant of Dearness Relief to Central Government pensioners/family pensioners – Revised rate effective from 01.07.2019-reg

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's OM No. 42/04/2019-P&PW(D) dated 06.03.2019 on the subject mentioned above and to state that the President is pleased to decide that the Dearness Relief admissible to Central Government pensioners/family pensioners shall be enhanced from the existing rate of 12% to 17% w.e.f 01.07.2019.

2. These rates of DR will be applicable to (i) Civilian Central Government Pensioners/Family Pensioners including Central Govt. absorbee pensioners in PSU/Autonomous Bodies in respect of whom orders have been issued vide this Department's OM No. 4/34/2002-P&PW(D)Vol.II dated 23.06.2017 for restoration of full pension after expiry of commutation period of 15 years (ii) The Armed Forces Pensioners, Civilian Pensioners paid out of the Defence Service Estimates, (iii) All India Service Pensioners (iv) Railway Pensioners/family pensioners (v) Pensioners who are in receipt of provisional pension (vi) The Burma Civilian pensioners/family pensioners and pensioners/families of displaced Government Pensioners from Burma/ Pakistan, in respect of whom orders have been issued vide this Department's OM No. 23/3/2008-P&PW(B) dated 11.09.2017.

3. The payment of Dearness Relief involving a fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee.

4. Other provisions governing grant of DR in respect of employed family pensioners and re-employed Central Government Pensioners will be regulated in accordance with the provisions contained in this Department's OM No. 45/73/97-P&PW (G) dated 2.7.1999 as amended vide this Department's OM No. F.No. 38/88/2008-P&PW(G) dated 9th July, 2009. The provisions relating to regulation of DR where a pensioner is in receipt of more than one pension will remain unchanged.

5. In the case of retired Judges of the Supreme Court and High Courts, necessary orders will be issued by the Department of Justice separately.

6. 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.

7. The offices of Accountant General and authorised Pension Disbursing Banks are requested to arrange payment of relief to pensioners etc. on the basis of these instructions without waiting for any further instructions from the Comptroller and Auditor General of India and the Reserve Bank of India in view of letter No. 528-TA, II/34-80-II dated 23/04/1981 of

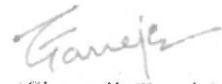
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the Comptroller and Auditor General of India addressed to all Accountant Generals and Reserve Bank of India Circular No. GANB No. 2958/GA-64 (ii) (CGL)/81 dated the 21st May, 1981 addressed to State Bank of India and its subsidiaries and all Nationalised Banks.

8. In their application to the pensioners/family pensioners belonging to Indian Audit and Accounts Department, these orders issue after consultation with the C&AG.

9. This issues in accordance with the Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure's OM No. 1/3/2019-E.II(B) dated 14th October, 2019.

Hindi version will follow.



(Charanjit Taneja)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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