

Government of West Bengal
Finance Department
Pension Branch
Writers' Buildings, Kolkata-1.

No. 1046-F(Pen)

Dated, Kolkata the 19th November, 2009

MEMORANDUM

Subject : Revision of pension of Pre-2006 Pensioners/Family Pensioners.

With a view to simplifying the procedure of payment of revised pension to the Pre-2006 Pensioners/Family Pensioners in terms of Para 4.4 of 200-F(Pen) dated 25.2.2009, read with memo no.460-F(Pen) dt.20.05.09, the Governor has been pleased to decide as follows:-

i) The category of cases of the pensioners whose pension after revision in terms of Para 4.1 of the above mentioned memorandum is lower than 50% of the minimum of the Pay in the Pay Band plus the Grade Pay in the revised pay structure corresponding to the pre-revised pay scale from which the pensioners had retired, after completing maximum required qualifying service of 33 years before 01.01.2006, are required to be sent to the Office of the Accountant General, West Bengal for further authorisation

ii) In case the pension consolidated as per para 4.1 of the memo no.200-F(Pen) dt.25.02.09 is higher than the pension calculated in the manner as indicated in 4.4 of the said memo, the same (higher pension) will be treated as Basic Pension. These cases should not be sent to Accountant General, West Bengal for authorisation.

iii) Similarly the category of cases of the family pensioners whose family pension after revision in terms of Para 4.1 of Memorandum No. 200-F(Pen) dated 25.2.2009 is lower than 30% of the minimum of the Pay in the Pay Band plus the Grade Pay in the revised pay structure corresponding to the pre-revised pay scale where the deceased government employment belonged at the time of retirement are required to be sent to the Office of the Accountant General, West Bengal for further authorisation.

iv) The Pension Sanctioning Authorities have the liberty to revise the pension of Pre-01.01.2006 pensioners in terms of Para 4.4 of Memorandum No. 200-F(Pen) dated 25.2.2009 suo-motu or on receipt of application from the beneficiaries.

v) In case of Pre-1.1.86 pensioners while revision shall be made in terms of para 4.4 of 200-F(Pen) dt.25.02.09, a certificate from the Pension Disbursing Point/Treasury/Bank in case of K.M.C. area, as the case may be, is required to be submitted to P.S.As to the effect that he has/has not availed himself of the benefit of para 2.1(b) of 2706-F(Pen) dt.7.9.99 i.e. ad-hoc increase in pension @10% and details of the increase, if any, may be reflected in the certificate. This certificate is not necessary in case of pensioners who availed himself of the benefit of 2.1(a) of 2706-F(Pen) dt.7.9.99 i.e. who had option in favour of actual calculation.

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vi) It is also decided that for further commutation of pension due to retrospective hike of Pay and Allowances, pensioners are not required to undergo Medical Exam., if he submits option within one year from the date on which, order revising his pension is issued, in place of one year from the date of issue of the memo as cited in the memono.460-F(Pen) dt.20.05.09.

vii) In case where Service Book is not traceable/available, the Pension Sanctioning Authorities will send such case to Finance Department, Pension Branch along with Duplicate Service Book or Basic Pay and Scale of Pay to which the pensioner was attached at the time of retirement/death, for obtaining special order of dispensation.

viii) In case where the Pensioners/Family Pensioners are drawing Pension/Family Pension in other States, the Pension Sanctioning Authority will revise the pension in terms of Para 4.4 of 200-F(Pen) dated 25.2.2009 and send the same to Accountant General, West Bengal for arranging Special Seal Authority for payment through Treasury/Bank of other States.

The Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal is being informed.

Sd/- S.K. Chattopadhyay,
Special Secretary to the
Government of West Bengal.

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1. The Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal, Treasury Buildings, Kolkata -1.
2. The Deputy Accountant General (Pension), West Bengal, Treasury Buildings, Kol-1.
3. The Manager, Reserve Bank of India (Public A/cs. Deptt.), 15, N.S.Road, Kolkata-1.
4. 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.
5. The Directorate of Treasuries & Accounts, 4, Lyons Range, Kolkata -1.
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-----Deptt./Dte.
7. The Treasury Officer,-----

8. The District Magistrate/District Judge,-----

9. Pensioners' Association :

O.S.D. & Ex-Officio Joint Secretary
to the Government of West Bengal