

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

PENSIONS - Enhancement of Maximum limit of Retirement Gratuity from Rs. 2, 50,000 to Rs.3, 50,000/-- Orders - Issued.

FINANCE (PENSION-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (P).No249

Dated: 04-10-2005

Read the following:-

- 1 G.O.Ms.No.157, Finance (Pen-1) Department, dated 16.09.1999
- 2 G.O.Ms.No.734, G.A. (Spl.A) Department, dated 17.02.2004
- 3 G.O.Ms.No.960, G.A. (Spl.A) Department, dated 01.03.2004

ORDER :

In the Government Order 2nd read above, orders were issued constituting Pay Revision Commission and Government appointed Sri J. Rambabu, IAS., (Retd) as Pay Revision Commissioner. In the Government Order 3rd read above, the terms of reference of the Pay Revision Commissioner were laid down.

2. The Pay Revision Commission submitted its report to the Government on 30-06-2005 and recommended inter-alia that the maximum limit of the Retirement Gratuity may be raised to **Rs. 3, 50,000/-**

3. After careful consideration Government decided to implement the recommendations of the Pay Revision Commissioner and hereby order that the maximum limit of Retirement Gratuity under rule 46 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 be raised to **Rs.3, 50,000/-** from **Rs.2, 50,000/-**. The formula for calculation of Retirement Gratuity shall be as ordered in para 3 of G.O.Ms.No.14, Finance & Planning (FW: Pen.I) Department, dated 30.1.1999. Emoluments for this purpose shall be as defined in rule 31 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules 1980.

4. These orders will come into force from 01.04.2005 and shall apply to all Government Servants who retire or whose death took place on or after this date. The arrears due to issue of these orders to the employees retired or died on or after 1.4.2005 shall be paid in April, 2006.

5. The relevant provisions of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules 1980 shall be deemed to have been modified to the extent of these orders.

6. Necessary amendments to the relevant rules shall be issued separately.

7. The G.O is available on Internet and can be accessed at the address <http://www.aponline.gov.in>.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

RANJEEV R ACHARYA
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FP).