## GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA FINANCE (HRM-IV) DEPARTMENT

## Circular Memo No.1962989-A/42/A2/HRM.IV/2023, dated:26.06.2023

Sub: Public Services – Dearness Allowance/Dearness Relief – Revision of Dearness Allowance/Dearness Relief to the State Government Employees/Pensioners from 01.01.2022 – Payment of Arrears from 01.01.2022 to 31.05.2023 – Instructions – Issued.

Ref: 1. G.O.Ms.No.51, Finance (HRM.IV) Department, dated: 11.06.2021.

- 2. G.O.Ms.No.52, Finance (HRM.IV) Department, dated: 11.06.2021.
- 3. O.M.No.1/2/2022-E.II(B), dated: 31.03.2022 of Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance Government of India.
- 4. G.O.Ms.No.50, Finance (HRM.IV) Department, dated: 19.06.2023.
- 5. G.O.Ms.No.51, Finance (HRM.V) Department, dated: 19.06.2023.

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In the Government orders 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> cited, orders were issued revising Dearness Allowance/ Dearness Relief to the State Government employees/ Pensioners from 01.01.2022.

- 2. The arrears on account of revision of Dearness Allowance for the period from 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2022 to 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2023 shall be credited into the General Provident Fund Account of the respective employees. However, in the case of employees who are due to retire on or before 31<sup>st</sup> Oct, 2023, the arrears of Dearness Allowance shall be drawn and paid directly as the employees due to retire on superannuation are exempted from making any subscription to the General Provident Fund during the last four months of service.
- 3. In respect of the employees who were appointed in-to Government service on or after 01.09.2004 and are governed by the Contributory Pension Scheme (CPS), 10% of the Dearness Allowance arrears from 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2022 to 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2023, shall be claimed and credited to the PRAN accounts of the individuals along with the Government share as per existing orders. The remaining 90% of Dearness Allowance arrears shall be paid in seventeen (17) equal monthly instalments commencing from the month of July, 2023.
- 4. In respect of Part Time Assistant, Village Revenue Assistants, Full Time Contingent employees, who are not eligible for GPF Accounts, the arrears shall be paid in the month of July, 2023.

- 5. The arrears on account of revision of Dearness Relief to pensioners for the period from 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2022 to 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2023 shall be paid in Seventeen (17) equal monthly instalments commencing from the month of July, 2023.
- 6. In the event of death of any employee/pensioner before the issue of these orders or **during the payment of instalments**, the legal heir(s) shall be paid the arrears of Dearness Allowance in lump sum.
- 7. All the Drawing Officers shall prefer the bill to the Pay & Accounts Officer, Hyderabad or to the Pay & Accounts Officer / Assistant Pay & Accounts Officer of the Telangana Works Accounts Service or to the District / Assistant / Sub Treasury of Officer, as the case may be, for the amount of arrears for the period from 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2022 to 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2023 to be adjusted to the General Provident Fund Account in the case of an employee who has opened a General Provident Fund Account.
- 8. The Drawing Officer shall ensure that the bills are supported by proper schedule in duplicate indicating details of the employee, the General Provident Fund Account, to be submitted to the Pay & Accounts Officers / District Treasury Officers/Assistant Pay & Accounts Officers or Pay & Accounts Officers of the Telangana Works Accounts Service, as the case may be. The Pay & Accounts Officer/Assistant Pay & Accounts Officer or Pay and Accounts Officer of the Telangana Works Accounts Service / District Treasury Officer / Assistant / Sub-Treasury Officer shall follow the usual procedure of furnishing one copy of the schedules along with bills to the Accountant General based on which the Accountant General shall credit the amounts to the General Provident Fund Accounts of the individuals concerned. The second copy of the schedules shall be furnished to the Drawing Officers with Voucher Numbers.
- 9. The expenditure on account of Dearness relief to pensioners is allocable among the various States in accordance with provisions of Rule-24 of the Incidence of Pension Rules in Appendix III-B of the Telangana Accounts Code, Volume-I.
- 10. All the Departments of Secretariat and Heads of Departments are requested to issue suitable instructions to the Drawing and Disbursing Officers under their control and to see that these instructions are followed scrupulously. The Director of Treasuries and Accounts / Director of Works Accounts / State Audit / Pay and Accounts Officer, Hyderabad are requested to issue suitable instructions to their subordinate offices so as to compliance these orders.

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## K. RAMAKRISHNA RAO, SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

All Special Chief Secretaries/Principal Secretaries/Secretaries to Government, Telangana Secretariat, Hyderabad.

All Head of Departments, Government of Telangana.

All District Collectors/Superintendents of Police of Telangana.

The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Director of Works Accounts, Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Director of State Audit, Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Pay & Accounts Officer, Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Joint Director, Pension Payment Office, Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Principal Accountant General (Audit-I/II/A&E), Telangana, Hyderabad.

## Copy to:

The Secretary to Governor of Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Principal Secretary to the Chief Minister and Private Secretaries to all Ministers, Hyderabad.

The Registrar General (Admn), High Court for the State of Telangana, Hyderabad.

The OSD to Chief Secretary, Telangana, Hyderabad.

The P.S. to Spl. Chief Secretary/ Secretary(TKS)/Secretary(DRR)/

Sr. Consultant, Finance Department, Telangana Secretariat, Hyderabad.

All the Recognized Service Associations, Telangana. SF/SCs.

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SECTION OFFICER