

GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
FINANCE (PAY REVISION) DEPARTMENT

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No.F(PR)-15/97/Pt./507,

Dated Shillong, the 20th December, 2005.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject : Merger of 50% Dearness Allowance with basic pay/basic pension of Meghalaya State Government employees w.e.f. 1st April, 2005.

The undersigned is directed to say that the question of implementing the merger of 50% of Dearness Allowance with the basic pay/basic pension of the employees/pensioners has engaged the attention of the State Government for some time past. After careful consideration of the matter, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to decide that, with effect from 1st April, 2005, Dearness Allowance equal to 50% of the existing basic pay shall be merged with the basic pay and shown distinctly as Dearness Pay, which would be counted for purposes like transfer grant, contribution to G.P. Fund, loans and advances, retirement benefits, etc. Payment of allowance like House Rent Allowance, Medical Allowance, Hill Compensatory Allowance, Winter Allowance, etc. and entitlements for L.T.C., T.A./D.A. while on tour/transfer and government accommodation shall, however, continue to be governed on the basis of the basic pay alone, without taking into account the Dearness Pay. In the case of existing pensioners, Dearness Allowance equal to 50% of the basic pension will, w.e.f. 1st April 2005, be merged with pension and shown distinctly as Dearness Pension.

These orders shall also apply to the teachers of Government Institutions/Schools, including Primary Schools.

2. Consequently, Dearness Allowance converted into Dearness Pay/Dearness Pension will be deducted from the existing rate of Dearness Allowance .

3. To ensure that State Government employees who retired from service within the period from 1st April, 2005 to 30th September, 2005 do not face any loss in fixation of their pension, as a special dispensation in their case, Dearness Allowance equal to 50% of the basic pay would be treated as basic pay for the purpose of computation of their pension in respect of basic pay received by them prior to 1st April, 2005.

4. The element of Dearness Pension will, accordingly, exist only for pensioners who retired from service on or before 31st March, 2005.

5. Arrear pay accruing as a result of the merger for the period from 1st April to 30th September, 2005 shall be deposited to the respective G.P. Fund Accounts of the employees.

Sd/-

(B.K. Dev Varma)

Principal Secretary to the Govt of Meghalaya,
Finance Department.

Copy to :-

1. The Accountant General (Accounts) Meghalaya etc., Shillong for information and necessary action with the request that necessary authority for the drawal for Dearness Allowance by the Gazetted Officers may please be issued at the earliest (50 copies).
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3. All Administrative Departments.
4. The Personnel & A.R.(B) & Personnel A.R.(C) Department.
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7. All Deputy Commissioners/Sub-Divisional Officers (Civil).
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11. The Director, Printing & Stationery for publication in the next issue of the Meghalaya Gazette and supply of 10,000 (ten thousand) printed copies of the Office Memorandum.
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By order etc.,


(I.G. Marbaniang)

 Under Secretary to the Govt of Meghalaya,
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject : Payment of Dearness Allowance to State Government employees.

The undersigned is directed to refer to Finance Department O.M. No. F(PR)-69/97/81 dated 9.5.05 and No. F(PR)-69/97/85 dated 15.11.05 on the subject quoted above and to state that the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to decide that, consequent upon the implementation of the merger of Dearness Allowance equal to 50% of the basic pay/basic pension with the basic pay/basic pension of the State Government employees, Dearness Allowance from 1.4.2005 to 30.6.2005 and from 1.7.2005 onwards would be payable at the rate of 18% and 21% respectively.

2. The provision contained in paras 2,3,4 and 5 of this Department's Office Memoranda mentioned above shall continue to be applicable while regulating Dearness Allowance under these orders.

Sd/-
(B.K. Dev Varma)
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