

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA  
FINANCE (PAY REVISION) DEPARTMENT**

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No. F(PR)-53/2017/40

Dated Shillong, the 12<sup>th</sup> August, 2021

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Subject:- Dearness Allowance/Dearness Relief.**

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's Office Memorandum No. F(PR)-53/2017/36 dated 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 2021 vide which instalments of Dearness Allowance to State Government employees and Dearness Relief to pensioners and family pension holders due from 01.01.2020, 01.07.2020 and 01.01.2021, were frozen and to say that the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to decide that the Dearness Allowance/Dearness Relief payable to all categories of State Government employees/pensioners and family pension holders shall be enhanced from the existing rate of 12% to 22% with effect from 01.07.2021. The increase subsumes the additional instalments arising on 01.01.2020, 01.07.2020 and 01.01.2021.

2. These orders shall also apply to the members of the work-charged establishment and casual workers, other than Bungalow Peons, holding posts in the pay levels as admissible to the employees of corresponding categories under the regular establishment/services/posts.
3. The Dearness Relief under these orders shall remain suspended if the pensioners/family pensioners are employed/re-employed under the State/Central Government or employed/re-employed/permanently absorbed in the State's or Central Government's Company, Corporation, Undertaking or Autonomous Body. It shall, however, be revived after the spell of such employment/re-employment.
4. The payment on account of Dearness Allowance/Dearness Relief involving fractions of 50 paise and above may be rounded off to the next higher rupee and the fraction of less than 50 paise may be ignored.
5. The payment on account of the Dearness Allowance/Dearness Relief sanctioned herein shall be debited to the respective heads of accounts from which the employees draw their salary and the pensioners/family pension holders, their pension.

Sd/-  
(P.K. Agrahari)  
Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,  
Finance Department.

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Copy to :-

1. Principal Accountant General (Audit) Meghalaya, Shillong for information (Attention: CASS Section)
2. Accountant General (A & E) Meghalaya etc., Shillong for information and necessary action with the request that necessary authority for the drawal of Dearness Allowance by Gazetted Officers may please be issued at the earliest (enclosed 50 copies).
3. All Administrative Departments.
4. All Heads of Departments.
5. All Financial Advisers /Finance & Accounts Officers/Treasury Officers.
6. All Deputy Commissioners/Sub-Divisional Officers (Civil).
7. Secretary, Meghalaya Legislative Assembly, Shillong.
8. The Joint Chief Accountant, Reserve Bank of India, Department of the Government and Bank Accounts, Central Office, Central Office Building, Shaheed Bhagat Singh Road Mumbai – 400023.
9. Assistant Manager, Reserve Bank of India, Department of Government & Bank Accounts, Central Office, Opposite Mumbai Central Railway Station, Byculla, Mumbai – 400008 (enclosed 50 copies)
10. The Chief Manager, Centralised Pension Processing Centre (CPPC), State Bank of India, Zonal Office, Sethi Trust Building, Block – II, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor, G.S.Road, Bhangagath, Guwahati – 781005 (enclosed 50 copies).
11. The Chief Manager, Central Pension Processing Centre (CPPL), United Bank of India (UBI), H.O. – 11, Hemanta Basu Sarani, Kolkata – 700001, West Bengal.
12. UCO Bank, Head Office – II – Operations & Service Department, D.D. Block, 3&4, Sector – I, Salt Lake City, Kolkata – 700064.
13. The General Manager, Andhra Bank, Head Office, Dr.Pattabhi Bhawan, 5-9-11, Saifabad, Hyderabad – 500004.
14. The Branch Manager, State Bank of India, Evening Branch, Police Bazar, Shillong.
15. State Bank of India, Main Branch Mizoram, Aizawl.
16. State Bank of Travancore, Deputy General Manager, Finance and Accounts, Kerala.
17. Secretary General, Meghalaya State Government Employees' Federation, Shillong.
18. General Secretary, Meghalaya Pensioners' Association, Shillong,
19. The Secretary to the Government of Mizoram, Finance Department, Aizawl – 796001.
20. State Informatics Officer, NIC, Shillong – Contents of this Office Memorandum may pleased be placed in the Website of the Government of Meghalaya.
21. The Director, Printing & Stationery for publication in the next issue of the Meghalaya Gazette and supply of 3,000 (three thousand) printed copies of the Office Memorandum.

By order etc.,

*I. Kharlukhi*  
n. 12/08/2021

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