GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY Abstract

Grant of Dearness Allowance – Payment of Dearness Allowance to the Union Territory Government Employees – Revised rates effective from 01.01.2019 – Orders -Issued.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.138/ FD/F3/A2/2019

Puducherry, the 06.03.2019

Read: Office Memorandum No.1/2/2019-E-II(B) dt. 27.02.2019 of Government of India, Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure, New Delhi .

ORDER:

- 1. Recorded.
- A copy of the Office Memorandum read above is forwarded herewith for information and for implementation with effect from 01.03.2019. The arrears for the period 01.01.2019 to 28.02.2019 will be considered in due course, subject to fund availability for which separate orders will be issued later.

(V. JEEVA) UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVT.(FINANCE)

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No. 1/1/2019-E-II (B) Government of India Ministry of Finance Department of Expenditure

North Block, New Delhi Dated the 27th February, 2019.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Grant of Dearness Allowance to Central Government employees - Revised Rates effective from 1.1.2019.

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Ministry's Office Memorandum No. 1/2/2018-E-II (B) dated 7th September, 2018 on the subject mentioned above and to say that the President is pleased to decide that the Dearness Allowance payable to Central Government employees shall be enhanced from the existing rate of **9% to 12%** of the basic pay with effect from **1**st **January**, **2019**.

2. The term `basic pay' in the revised pay structure means the pay drawn in the prescribed Level in the Pay Matrix as per 7th CPC recommendations accepted by the Government, but does not include any other type of pay like special pay, etc.

3. The Dearness Allowance will continue to be a distinct element of remuneration and will not be treated as pay within the ambit of FR 9(21).

4. The payment on account of Dearness Allowance involving fractions of 50 paise and above may be rounded to the next higher rupee and the fractions of less than 50 paise may be ignored.

5. The payment of arrears of Dearness Allowance (from January to March) shall not be made before the date of disbursement of salary of March, 2019.

6. These orders shall also apply to the civilian employees paid from the Defence Services Estimates and the expenditure will be chargeable to the relevant head of the Defence Services Estimates. In respect of Armed Forces personnel and Railway employees, separate orders will be issued by the Ministry of Defence and Ministry of Railways, respectively.

7. In so far as the employees working in the Indian Audit and Accounts Department are concerned, these orders are issued with the concurrence of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India.

(Nirmala Dev) Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

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(C. RAVINDRANE) Superintendent Finance Department, Puducherry