

No.1(3)/82/1500/A/D(Pension/Services),
Government of India/Bharat Sarkar,
Ministry of Defence/Raksha Mantralaya,
New Delhi, the 5th August 1982.

To

The Chief of the Army Staff.
The Chief of the Naval Staff.
The Chief of the Air Staff.

Subject : Increase in the minimum amount of pension/family
pension (including relief) to Rs.150/Rs.140/-
per month payable to low paid pensioners.

Sir,

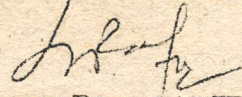
I am directed to say that the President is pleased to
decide that the provisions of Government of India, Ministry
of Finance (Department of Expenditure) O.M. No.F.1(6)-EV/82,
dated the 30th June 1982, reproduced as Appendix 'A' to this
letter, will apply mutatis-mutandis to all Armed Forces
pensioners (excluding reservist pensioners and State Forces
pensioners) in receipt of service or retiring pension, special
or mustering out pension, invalid/disability pension and
special/ordinary family pension.

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This issues with the concurrence of the Ministry of Finance (Defence) vide their u.o. No.2703/Pen of 1982.

Yours faithfully,



(SHIV RAJ NAFIR)

UNDER SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

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The Director of Audit, Defence Services, New Delhi.
The Dy. Director of Audit, Defence Services, Allahabad.
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Appendix 'A' to Ministry of Defence letter No. 1(3)/82/1500/A/
D(Pension/Services), dated the 5th August 1982.

F.1(6)-EV/82
Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Expenditure

New Delhi, the 30th June 1982.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject : Increase in the minimum amount of pension/family pension (including relief) payable to low paid pensioners.

The undersigned is directed to say that the question of providing some financial relief to low-paid pensioners has been under consideration of the Government. It has been decided that, while the amount of pension/family pension and relief payable to retired Central Government servants and their families under the relevant Rules/Orders, would continue to be determined as at present, the total amount (pension plus relief) so arrived at would be, where necessary, stepped up so that the total amount payable in the case of superannuation/retiring/invalid/compensation pension is not less than Rs.150/- per month. In the case of family pension payable under Liberalised Pension Rules, 1950, Family Pension Scheme 1964 and Central Civil Services (Extra-Ordinary Pension) Rules, the amount of family pension and relief may also be stepped up to Rs.140/- per month. No stepping up will, thus, be required where the normal entitlement (including instalments of relief that may be sanctioned here-after) works out to the above-mentioned amounts or more. In the case of pension payment orders to be issued in future, the amounts of pension/family pension and relief payable under the existing rules and orders would continue to be shown at the appropriate place in the relevant PPOs as at present. However, the following note may be recorded against these amounts for enabling the Pension disbursing authorities to arrange payment of pension/family pension at the enhanced amount to the concerned pensioners or recipients of family pension:

'Stepped up to Rs.150/140 per month till normal entitlement (Pension/family pension plus relief) itself adds upto Rs.150/140 per month or more.

In cases where the PPOs have already been issued, a similar note will be made by the pension disbursing authorities with proper attestation. These authorities will also arrange payment of pension/family pension plus relief at the enhanced rate on the basis of this Office Memorandum.

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The benefits of these orders will be admissible in the case of pension falling due on 1st April, 1932 or thereafter.

In their application to persons serving in the Indian Audit and Accounts Department, these orders have been issued after consultation with the Comptroller and Auditor General of India.

Sd/-

(K. Ratan)
Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

To

All Ministries/Departments of Government of India etc.

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