

Annexure A

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Govt. Of India
Ministry of Defence

New Delhi, the 30th June, 1987

To

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

SUB: Continuance/discontinuance of pension on change of nationality- Delegation of power to pension sanctioning authority.

Sir,

According to the provisions of Regulation 8 of the Pension Regulations for the Army, 1961, Part-I and corresponding provisions for the Navy and Air Force, When a pensioner becomes a naturalised citizen of a foreign State, the President may decide after consideration of the circumstances of the case, whether the whole or part of the pension or allowance shall be discontinued.

2. With a view to expeditious sanction of pension in such cases, the President is pleased to delegate the power under the provisions of Regulation 8 of the Pension Regulations for the Army, 1961, Part-I and Corresponding Regulations on the Navy and Air Force side to the C.D.A. (Pensions) Allahabad, subject to the following requirements:-

- (a) The C.D.A. (P) shall use his discretion and decide upon all cases where continuance of pension is considered appropriate;
- (b) In cases where the CDA(P) feels that the circumstances warrant consideration of withholding/discontinuance of pension, the cases will be referred to the Government for a decision; and
- (c) All cases pertaining to change of Nationality to South Africa and Israel will invariably be referred to the Govt. for a decision.

3. Continuance of pension as per this letter will be subject to all other usual conditions governing payment of pension as contained in Pension Regulations and Pension Payment Instructions etc.

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Previous reference - MOD letter No. 408/B/3 (Pen/Sers)
dt. 24.2.82

4. Formal amendments to the Pension Regulations of three Services shall be issued in due course.
5. This issues with the concurrence of Finance Division of this Ministry vide their u.o. No.1635-Pen of 1987.

Yours Faithfully

Sd/- x x x x
(Y.K. TALWAR)
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