

SOUTH EASTERN RAILWAY

Office of the
Chief Personnel Officer,
Garden Reach, Kolkata-43.

Estt.Srl.No.44 /2017

RBE. 16/2017.

No.SER/P-HQ/Ruling/ 931(3)

Dated

To
All concerned

Sub: **Grant of Dearness Relief to CPF beneficiaries in receipt of ex-gratia payment w.e.f. 01.01.2016**

Ref: **This office Estt. Srl. No. 76/16 & 29/98.**

Railway Board's letter No.PC-V/2009/A/DR/1 dated 28.02.2017, is forwarded for information, guidance and necessary action.

Encl: as above.

(B.N.Soren)
Dy.Chief Personnel Officer (HQ),
for Chief Personnel Officer.

Railway Board's letter No.PC-V/2009/A/DR/1 dated 28.02.2017 addressed to General Managers, All Indian Railways & others is as under:

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A copy of Office Memorandum No. 42/06/2016-P&PW(G), dated 03.05.2016 of Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions (**Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare**) on the above subject is sent herewith for your information and necessary action.

2. In pursuance of the enhanced rates of ex-gratia to the surviving SRPF(C) retirees issued vide Board's letter No. F(E)III/98/PN1/Ex-Gr./3 dated 15.11.2006, para 1(i) of DoP&PW's O.M dated 03.05.2016 may be read as under:-

"The surviving Group 'A', 'B', 'C' and 'D' SRPF (Contributory) beneficiaries who had retired from service during the period from 01.04.1957 to 31.12.1985 and have been sanctioned enhanced slab-wise ex-gratia @ Rs. 3000/-, Rs. 1000/-, Rs. 750/- and Rs. 650/- per month respectively w.e.f. 01.11.2006, in lieu of uniform rate of Rs. 600/- p.m. are entitled to Dearness Relief @ **245% w.e.f. 01.01.2016.**"

3. A concordance of various instructions and orders referred to in the enclosed office memorandum with reference to corresponding Railway instructions is indicated below:-

S.No.	Para No. and Date of OM	No. and date of Deptt. of Pension & Pensioners' welfare's O.M.	No. & date of Corresponding orders issued by Railway Board.
1	Para-1 of OM dt. 03.05.2016	OM No. 42/10/2014-P&PW (G) dated 28.10.2015.	PC-V/2009/A/DR/1 dated 13.05.2016
2	Para-1 of OM dt. 03.05.2016	OM No. 45/52/97-P&PW(E) dt. 16.12.97	F(E)III/97/PN1/Ex-Gr/3 dated 31.12.1997

4. This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.

F.No. 42/06/2016-P&PW(G)
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions
Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare

3rd Floor, Lok Nayak Bhavan
Khan Market, New Delhi-110003
Date:- 03rd May, 2016

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Grant of Dearness Relief to CPF beneficiaries in receipt of ex-gratia payment w.e.f. 01.01.2016.

In continuation of this Department's OM No. 42/10/2014-P&PW(G) dated 28th Oct, 2015, the President is pleased to grant the Dearness Relief at the rate of 5th CPC w.e.f. 1.1.2016 to the following:

- (i) The surviving CPF beneficiaries who have retired from service between the period 18.11.1960 to 31.12.1985 and are in receipt of ex-gratia @ Rs. 600/- p.m. w.e.f. 01.11.1997 under this Department's OM No. 45/52/97-P&PW(E) dated 16.12.1997 & revised to Rs. 3000, Rs. 1000, Rs. 750 & Rs. 650 for Group A, B, C & D respectively w.e.f. 4th June, 2013 vide OM No. 1/10/2012-P&PW(E) dtd. 27th June, 2013 are entitled to Dearness Relief @ 245% w.e.f. 01.01.2016.
- (ii) The following categories of CPF beneficiaries who are in receipt of ex-gratia payment in terms of this Department's OM No. 45/52/97-P&PW(E) dtd. 16.12.1997 are entitled to DR @ 237% w.e.f. 01.01.2016.
 - (a) The widows and dependent children of the deceased CPF beneficiary who had retired from service prior to 1.1.1986 or who had died while in service prior to 1.1.1986 and are in receipt of Ex-gratia payment of Rs. 605/- p.m. & revised to Rs. 645/- p.m. with effect from 04th June 2013 vide OM No. 1/10/2012-P&PW(E) dated 27th June, 2013.
 - (b) Central Government employees who had retired on CPF benefit before 18.11.1960 and are in receipt of Ex-gratia payment of Rs. 654/-, Rs. 659/-, Rs. 703/- and Rs. 965/-.

2. Payment of DR involving a fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee. In their application to the Indian Audit and Accounts Department, these orders issue in consultation with the C&AG.

3. This issues as per Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure vide their OM No. 1(4)EV/2004 dated 25.05.2015 and OM No. 1(3)/2008-E.II(B) dated 22.04.2016.