



## EAST COAST RAILWAY

मुख्य कार्मिक अधिकारी का कार्यालय/  
Office of the Pr.Chief Personnel Officer  
द्वितीय तल, - 751 017  
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स्थापना क्रमांक/ Estt. Srl. No. 49/2018  
पूतरे/कार्मिक/आर/ECOR/Pers/R/Pension  
सेवा मे,

RBE No-47/2018  
Date: 09.04.2018

सभी प्रमुख विभागाध्यक्षों/समन्वयक विभागाध्यक्षों, पू त रे/भुवनेश्वर  
मं.रे.प्र/व.मं.का.अधिकारी/मं.का.अधिकारी-खोरधारोड,वालातेरू, संबलपुर,  
मु;कारखाना प्रबंधक/कारखाना कार्मिक अधिकारी- मंचेश्वर, अतिरिक्त रजिस्ट्रार/रेल दावा अधिकरण,  
व.का अधिकारी(नि)/भुवनेश्वर  
महा सचिव/इकोर श्र. कां., महा सचिव/इकोर श्र. यू.,  
महा सचिव/एआई ओ बी सी आर ई ए, महा सचिव/ ए आई एस सी एस टी आर ई ए

विषय /Sub: Grant of Dearness Relief to Railway pensioners/family  
pensioners- Revised rate effective from 01.01.2018

पूतरे के विषय क्रमांक/ECOR's Subject Serial No.PS-3/2018

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उपर्युक्त विषय पर बोर्ड पत्र सं PC-VII/2016/II/7/2/3 दिनांक 27.03.2018 की  
प्रतिलिपि सूचना, मार्गदर्शन एवं आवश्यक कार्रवाई हेतु अग्रेषित है।

A copy of the Board's Lr.No-2 PC-VII/2016/II/7/2/3 dated- 27.03.2018 on the  
above quoted subject is forwarded herewith for information, guidance and necessary  
action.

(M.G.Bhawani)

Dy.Chief Personnel Officer(IR&W)  
For Pr. Chief Personnel Officer

Encl: As above,

प्रतिलिपि प्रेषित/Copy to :

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- 2) मुकाधि/मुकाधि(प्रशा.), उप म.प्र, अध्यक्ष(रेलवे भर्ती प्रकोष्ठ)
- 3) उप मुख्य प्रबंधक(सू.प्रौ), उप मुकाधि(औ.सं.एवं कल्याण), वकाधि(इंजी.)
- 4) वकाधि(मुख्या.), वकाधि(स्टाफ), वकाधि(राज. एवं न्याया.)
- 5) मुकाधि के निजी सचिव/सहा.कार्मिक अधि.(मुख्या.-1),सहा.कार्मिक अधि.(कल्याण),  
सहा.कार्मिक अधि.(बिल), सहा.कार्मिक अधि.(भर्ती)

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA (BHARAT SARKAR)**  
**Ministry of Railways (Rail Mantralaya)**  
**(Railway Board)**

PC-VII No. : 99  
RBE No.: 47/2018

File No. PC-VII/2016/I/7/2/3

New Delhi, dated: 27.03.2018

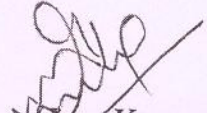
The General Manager/CAOs(R),  
All Zonal Railways & Production Units,  
(As per mailing list)

**Sub: - Grant of Dearness Relief to Railway pensioners/family pensioners  
- Revised rate effective from 01.01.2018.**

A copy of Office Memorandum No. 42/06/2018-P&PW(G) dated 22.03.2018 of Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions (Department of Pensions and Pensioners' Welfare) on the above subject is enclosed herewith for information and compliance. This order shall apply mutatis mutandis on Railways also.

2. This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of the Ministry of Railways.
3. Hindi version is attached below.

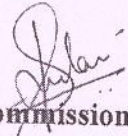
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(Jaya Kumar G)  
Deputy Director, Pay Commission-VII  
Railway Board

File No. PC-VII/2016/I/7/2/3

New Delhi, dated: 27.03.2018

Copy (with 40 spares) forwarded to the A.D.A.I., Railways, New Delhi.

  
For Financial Commissioner, Railways

File No. PC-VII/2016/I/7/2/3

New Delhi, dated: 27.03.2018

Copy forwarded to:-

1. PFAs, All Indian Railways, PUs, NFR(Const).
2. The DG, National Academy of Indian Railways, Vadodara.
3. The General Manager, CORE/Allahabad
4. The Director General, RDSO, Lucknow,
5. The General Manager and FA&CAO, Metro Railway
6. The CAO and FA&CAO, COFMOW/New Delhi
7. The Director, CAMTECH/Gwalior
8. The Director (a) IRIEEN, Nasik, (b) IRICEN, Pune (c) IRIMEE, Jamalpur (d) IRISSET, Secunderabad

**No. 42/06/2018-P&PW(G)**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions**  
**Department of Pension & Pensioners' Welfare**

3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Lok Nayak Bhavan,  
Khan Market, New Delhi - 110003  
Dated the 22nd March, 2018

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Sub: Grant of Dearness Relief to Central Government pensioners/family pensioners – Revised rate effective from 01.01.2018.**

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's OM No. 42/15/2016-P&PW(G) dated 28.09.2017 on the subject mentioned above and to state that the President is pleased to decide that the Dearness Relief admissible to Central Government pensioners/family pensioners shall be enhanced from the existing rate of 5% to 7% w.e.f 01.01.2018.

2. These rates of DR will be applicable to (i) Civilian Central Government Pensioners/Family Pensioners including Central Govt. absorbce pensioners in PSU/Autonomous Bodies in respect of whom orders have been issued vide this Department's OM No. 4/34/2002-P&PW(D) Vol.II dated 23.06.2017 for restoration of full pension after expiry of commutation period of 15 years (ii) The Armed Forces Pensioners, Civilian Pensioners paid out of the Defence Service Estimates, (iii) All India Service Pensioners (iv) Railway Pensioners/family pensioners (v) Pensioners who are in receipt of provisional pension (vi) The Burma Civilian pensioners/family pensioners and pensioners/families of displaced Government Pensioners from Burma/Pakistan, in respect of whom orders have been issued vide this Department's OM No. 23/3/2008-P&PW(B) dated 11.09.2017.

3. These orders shall not be applicable on CPF beneficiaries, their widows and eligible children who are in receipt of ex-gratia payment in terms of this Department's OM No.45/52/97-P&PW(E) dated 16.12.1997 and revised vide this Department's OM 1/10/2012-P&PW(E) dtd 27.06.2013.

Separate orders will be issued in respect of above category.

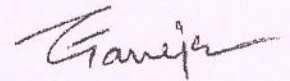
4. The payment of Dearness Relief involving a fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to the next higher rupee.

5. The payment of arrears of Dearness Relief shall not be made before the date of disbursement of pension/family pension of March, 2018.

6. Other provisions governing grant of DR in respect of employed family pensioners and re-employed Central Government Pensioners will be regulated in accordance with the provisions contained in this Department's OM No. 45/73/97-P&PW (G) dated 2.7.1999 as amended vide this Department's OM No. F.No. 38/88/2008-P&PW(G) dated 9<sup>th</sup> July, 2009. The provisions relating to regulation of DR where a pensioner is in receipt of more than one pension will remain unchanged.

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7. In the case of retired Judges of the Supreme Court and High Courts, necessary orders will be issued by the Department of Justice separately.
8. It will be the responsibility of the pension disbursing authorities, including the nationalized banks, etc. to calculate the quantum of DR payable in each individual case.
9. The offices of Accountant General and authorised Pension Disbursing Banks are requested to arrange payment of relief to pensioners etc. on the basis of these instructions without waiting for any further instructions from the Comptroller and Auditor General of India and the Reserve Bank of India in view of letter No. 528-TA, II/34-80-II dated 23/04/1981 of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India addressed to all Accountant Generals and Reserve Bank of India Circular No. GANB No. 2958/GA-64 (ii) (CGL)/81 dated the 21<sup>st</sup> May, 1981 addressed to State Bank of India and its subsidiaries and all Nationalised Banks.
10. In their application to the pensioners/family pensioners belonging to Indian Audit and Accounts Department, these orders issue after consultation with the C&AG.
11. This issues in accordance with Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure's OM No. 1/1/2018-E.II(B) dated 15th March,2018.
12. Hindi version will follow.



(Charanjit Taneja)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

1. All Ministries/Departments of the Government of India/Chief Secretaries and AGs of all States/UT's.
2. Copy for information to Reserve Bank of India(RBI) and all authorized Pension Disbursing Banks.