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**Pension Circular 6/2010**

District Secretaries/ Divisional Secretaries,  
Commanders of Three Armed Forces,

**Award of full pension to officers and other ranks of Armed Forces**

The Government has decided to award full pension for the officers and other ranks of armed forces.

1 Officers and other rankers served in armed forces to the date 19.05.2009 which the terrorists were defeated.

- i. If commissioned officers and other rankers in three armed forces completed 22 years are retired on said date or subsequent, their pension gratuity should be computed on unreduced 85%. Accordingly the unreduced percentage is 85% and the reduced pension is 75%.
- ii. If officers/ female officers and other female rankers completed compulsory service period, the pension gratuity and monthly pension of them should be calculated subject to 85% maximum having added an additional 15% to the present entitled pension.
- iii. The revised pension applications should be sent to this department if pension of the persons who retired after 19.05.2009 had been calculated on previous percentage.
- iv. This percentage shall not apply for the officers and other rankers who joined/ join the service after 19.05.2009. Directions implemented so far with regard to pension shall in force like wise.

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- 2 Officers and other rankers retired from armed forces before 19.05.2009.
- i. Officers and other rankers completed 22 years service period and retired before 19.05.2009 being in operational duties for minimum 05 years are entitled for 85% monthly pension revision.
  - ii. If officers/ female officers and other female rankers completed compulsory service period and served in operational duties for 05 year, the pension gratuity and monthly pension of them should be calculated (subject to 85% maximum) having added an additional 15% to the present entitled pension.
  - iii. The revised award letters on new percentages should be sent to Divisional Secretaries by pension divisions of respective armed forces. The head of pension division should certify as to such service period of 05 years in operational duties had been completed.
- 3 Above conditions should not apply for officers/ female officers and other rankers in armed forces retire/ retired on inefficiency or disciplinary reasons.
- 4 This circular issued in compliance with the General Treasury. The circular even number and dated 29.06.2010 is repealed and please contact following numbers if needed more clarifications or explanations regarding this circular.

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