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Pensions Circular 10/ 2011 (Amendment 03)

To all District Secretaries/ Divisional Secretaries,

Submission of revised Pension Award Papers in terms of Pensions Circular 10/ 2011

This is with reference to the Public Administration Circular 28/ 2010 dated 31.12.2010 and 28/ 2010 (01) dated 08.08.2011, Pensions Circular 10/ 2011 dated 15.12.2011, 10/2011 (Amendment 01) dated 03.02.2012 and 10/ 2011 (Amendment 02) dated 28.05.2012.

02. As instructed by above circulars, the revised pension award papers of the officers retired during the period from 01.06.2007 to 30.06.2011 should be directly forwarded to the divisional secretariats and the payments with regard to the gratuities and the arrears therein also should be made by the divisional secretariat concerned.

03. However, since the revised pension award papers of the officers retired from armed forces after 30.06.2011 are also processed and submitted to the divisional secretariats according to the Pensions Circular 10/ 2011, queries on method of making those pensions are regularly received.


04. Commanders of Three Armed Forces were enquired on this situation. They have pointed out that the Department of Management Services has granted its approval in October, 2012 to affect the provisions of Public Administration Circular 28/ 2010 and 28/2010 (I) on the officers of Three Armed Forces and accordingly, the decision has been implemented in November, 2012. Since the persons retired from 01.07.2011 to month of November, 2012 are also entitled to the above salary conversion, requests have been made by them also to revise their pensions in accordance with Pensions Circular 10/ 2011 and to forward the same to the respective divisional secretariats and to make payments through the divisional secretariat itself.

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In the circumstances, it has been decided that the following actions be taken.

- (I) To pay salaries with effect from 01.07.2011 by placing in the relevant salary step as per Public Administration Circular 28/ 2010 and 28/ 2010(I) and to use the revised salary to calculate the pension. Therefore you are kindly notified that if the pension has not been calculated on the above revised salary at the retirement of the officer, to make the relevant payments of the officer who have retired after 30.06.2011 based on the revised pension awards submitted as per Pension Circular 10/2011 and other amendment circulars.
- (II) This situation may arise regarding the government officers retired after 30.06.2011 apart from the members of Three Armed Forces. At such situations payments can be made on your content that the pensions of those officers have not been calculated on the salary received at the retirement and that the relevant revisions have not been made previously.


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