

No. Fin-(C)-B(7)-4/2002

Government of Himachal Pradesh  
Finance (Regulations) Department.

Dated Shimla-171002, the 11<sup>th</sup> November, 2005.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: - Grant of Dearness Allowance to the employees of the State Government w.e.f. 01.07.2004.

In continuation to this Department's Office Memorandum of even number dated 4<sup>th</sup> September, 2004 readwith O.M. of even number dated 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2005, the Governor, Himachal Pradesh is pleased to order that the Dearness Allowance payable to the employees of the Government of Himachal Pradesh shall be enhanced from the existing rate of 11 % to 14 % of pay w.e.f. 1st July, 2004 and further from 14% to 17% w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2005.

2. The additional Dearness Allowance of 6% shall be paid in cash w.e.f. 01.11.2005 i.e. with the salary of November, 2005 to be paid in December, 2005 and the arrears accrued from 01.07.2004 to 31.10.2005 shall be credited to the General Provident Fund accounts of the employees and interest thereon shall accrue from 01-12-2005.

3. In case of such Government employees who are not eligible to subscribe to the Provident Fund, the drawal of arrears shall be deferred till Provident Fund Account is opened in his/her name or the arrears may be paid through purchase of National Small Savings Certificates of an amount equal to the nearest Rs.100/- and the balance amount may be paid in cash. The option of waiting till a GPF account is available or to purchase NSS certificates, may be given to such employees.

4. The payment on account of Dearness Allowance involving fraction of 50 paise and above may be rounded off to the next higher rupee and the fraction of less than 50 paise may be ignored.

5. These orders are applicable to regular and work-charged employees of the State Government.

These orders will be applicable to all those working in various Government  
s. As far as the PSUs, Universities, Autonomous Bodies, Boards etc. are  
concerned, the managements of these PSUs, Universities, Autonomous Bodies, Boards  
etc. would take an appropriate decision in this regard, considering the availability of  
resources in their organizations.

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(PRIYA VRAT SHARMA)  
Deputy Secretary (FIN-REG) to the  
Government of Himachal Pradesh.

To

All Administrative Departments  
of the Government of Himachal Pradesh.

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