

No. Fin. C-B(7)-3/98
Government of Himachal Pradesh
Finance (Regulations) Department.

Dated Shimla-171002, the 18th November, 2000

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject : Grant of Dearness Allowance to the employes of the State Government w.e.f. 01.07.2000.

In continuation to this Department's Office Memorandum of even number dated 27th July, 2000, the Governor, Himachal Pradesh is pleased to decide that the Dearness Allowance payable to the employees of the Government of Himachal Pradesh shall be enhanced from the existing rate of 38% to 41% of pay w.e.f. 1st July, 2000.

2. The term "PAY" for the purpose of calculation of Dearness Allowance, shall remain the same as defined in para 2 of this Department O.M. of even number dated 27th May, 1999 and in respect of such employees who have opted to retain pre-revised pay scales or whose scales have not yet been revised, the term "PAY" shall be the same as defined in para 2 and note below para 2 of this Department O.M. of even number dated 8th November, 1999.

3. The admissible Dearness Allowance shall be paid in cash w.e.f. 01.01.2001 and the arrears accrued from 01-07-2000 to 31-12-2000 shall be credited to the General Provident Fund Accounts of the employees and interest thereon shall accrue from 01-02-2001. The Government employees, who have retired or have closed their GPF Accounts shall be paid the arrears in cash.

4. In case of such Government employees who are not eligible to subscribe to the Provident Fund, the drawal of arrear 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 GPF account is available or purchase of NSS certificates may be given to such employees.

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5. Other terms and conditions as specified in para 6, 7, 8 and 9 of this Department O.M. of even number dated 27th May, 1999 shall remain unchanged.

[Signature]

(R.N. BATTAL)
Additional Secretary (FIN-REG) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh.

To

All Administrative Departments of the Government of Himachal Pradesh.

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