Government of Himachal Pradesh Department of Finance(Pension-Cell)

Dated Shimla-171002, the

5th July, 2003.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

"Double/Excess drawal of Gratuity/Commutation on Retiree's copy." Subject:-

Accountant General, Himachal Pradesh has pointed out that, Pension Disbursing Authorities, are making payments of Gratuity/commutation on the personal copy of the retiree's which is contrary to the financial rules & regulations, as there is a possibility of double drawal on copy. as well as on Department's copy/. Treasury Officer's copy and such incidents have actuals taken place. In order to avoid such double drawals, the Accountant General of Himachal Pradesh are now embossing a stamp, "NOT FOR PAYMENT," on retiree's copy.

Keeping in view the above facts, all Heads are, therefore, requested to concerned Departments the Administrative Gratuity/commutation Authorising/Disbursing Authorities under a11 their control for non authorisation/ non disbursment authority of retiree's copy Gratuity/commutation on the to avoid the possibilities of double drawals.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of this communication.

Addl. Secretary(Fin-Pen)to the; Government of Himachal Pradesh.