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संख्या: पिन फैन बी १०८-३२/८८  
 हिमाचल प्रदेश सरकार  
 वित्त विभाग फैशन कदा

दिनोक, शिमला-। 71002

26 सितम्बर, 1991

### कार्यालय जापन

विषय:

हिमाचल प्रदेश सरकार के पैशनरों को सरकारी क्षेत्र के बैंकों द्वारा पैशन के भुगतान की योजना—संशोधन—  
नियत चिकित्सा भत्तो का भुगतान।

इस विभाग के सम्बन्धिक कार्यालय जापन दिनोक, 26 जुलाई, 1991 के सन्दर्भ में यह कहने का निर्देश हुआ है कि पिछले कुछ समय से पैशनरों/परिवार पैशनरों को चिकित्सा भत्ते के भुगतान में कुछ कठिनाईयों आ रही थीं जिन्हें दूर करने हेतु हिमाचल प्रदेश सरकार के पैशनरों/परिवार पैशनरों को सरकारी क्षेत्र के बैंकों के माध्यम से पैशन का भुगतान करने वारे स्कीम में आवश्यक संशोधन करने का मामला सरकार के विचाराधीन था।  
 मामले की जांच भारतीय रिझर्व बैंक की सलाह से की गई। भारतीय रिझर्व बैंक ने प्रस्तावित संशोधनों में अपनी सहमति प्रदान कर दी है। राज्यपाल महोदय, हिमाचल प्रदेश, इस पत्र के साथ लगे अनुबन्ध में वर्णित संशोधन हिमाचल प्रदेश सरकार के पैशनरों को सरकारी क्षेत्र के बैंकों के माध्यम से पैशन का भुगतान करने की स्कीम में करने के आदेश सहर्ष देते हैं।

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 उप सचिव वित्त-पैशन

सेवा में

हिमाचल प्रदेश सरकार के  
 समृद्ध प्रशासनिक विभाग।

सं०: पिन फैन बी १०८-३२/८८

दिनोक, शिमला-२ 26.9.91

प्रतिक्रिया:-

१. मुख्य नेताकार, भारतीय रिझर्व बैंक, सरकारी तथा बैंक देखा विभाग के न्द्रीय कार्यालय, सी-७, बांद्रा कुर्ला काम्पलेक्स, बांद्रा, ईस्ट बांड्रा-४०००५।  
 कार्यालय जापन की ७५ प्रतियोगता है। यह संशोधन रिझर्व बैंक के पत्र तां०: सलै. राै. स० ५६। सलै. ६४। १५८। १११। ११२, दिनोक अगस्त 22, 1991।

AMENDMENT PROPOSED TO BE CARRIED OUT IN THE SCHEME FOR PAYMENT OF PENSION TO HIMACHAL PRADESH GOVERNMENT PENSIONERS THROUGH PUBLIC SECTOR BANKS.

FOLLOWING PARA 43-A may be added after existing Para-43 of the Scheme.

#### 43-A. PAYMENT OF MEDICAL ALLOWANCE

43-A.1 Existing state Government pensioners/family pensioners who have opted to draw their pension through authorised public sector bank branches are entitled to receive either the Fixed Medical Allowance at the rates prescribed for the purpose by the Health Department of H.P. Government from time to time or reimbursement of expenses incurred on treatment as per option exercised by them to their respective Head of office.

43-A.2 Pensioners/Family pensioners, who have opted for fixed Medical Allowance will furnish a certificate (in duplicate) from their Head of office to the Branch of Bank through concerned Treasury Officers. The Treasury Officer shall, after due scrutiny send one copy of the order, keeping another for his records, clearly indicating the rates at which the payment of Fixed Medical Allowance is to be made and the month from which the payment of Fixed Medical Allowance is to be arranged by concerned public Sector Bank under his seal to the nominated link branch of public sector bank through a messenger or under a registered cover. On receipt of intimation regarding payment of Fixed Medical Allowance, (through the link branch) the paying will commence payment of Fixed Medical Allowance from the date indicated in the intimation. In cases, where payment of Fixed Medical Allowance has already been made, amount already paid will be adjusted against the payment becoming due.

43-A.3 In case, a pensioner has opted for reimbursement of medical charges, he will not be entitled to fixed medical allowance. The Head of office from where the pensioner retired, shall send 2 copies of an order which will contain information regarding pensioner having opted for reimbursement and indication to the effect that no fixed medical allowance is admissible, to the concerned Treasury Officer. The Treasury Officer will retain one copy of such order for his record and send another to paying branch of the bank through Link branch for necessary action.

43-A.4 The future pensioners who opt for payment of pension through public sector bank have to give an option for receiving fixed medical allowance in lieu of reimbursement of expenses

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to his parent department (Head of Office) who will issue an order to the Treasury Officer (2 copies) about this. The order received by the Treasury Officer shall be dealt with in the manner mentioned in the preceding paragraphs.

43-A.5 On receipt of the intimation from the Treasury Officer, the Link branch will verify the seal and signature of the Treasury Officer, with the seal and specimen signature on record with the Link branch and make suitable note in register prescribed in Annexure-B and forward the copy of the order to the paying branch for further necessary action.

43-A.6 On receipt of intimation from the Link branch, the paying branch will enter the entitlement rate and period on the disburser's portion of the PPO under the attestation by the Branch manager/authorised officer and commence the payment. While making the payment, the paying branch will obtain a certificate from the pensioner that he is not drawing open medical reimbursement charge from the concerned department to avoid double payments. Paying branch will strictly watch the rate of medical allowance and its entitlement period shown in the intimation. Every payment of medical allowance will also be entered on the disburser's portion of PPO and authenticated by an authorised officer of the paying branch. The paying branch will also enter the payment in form Annexure-C (Revised).

43-A.7 Paying branch will not make the payment of reimbursement of medical charges but they will advise the pensioner to approach concerned Head of Office from where they retired. The Annexure-C appended to the scheme issued by the Finance Department in 1978 shall be substituted by the revised Annexure-C enclosed herewith.

43-A.8 Whenever there is a change/enhancement in the rates of medical allowance, adequate number of copies will be made available to the Regional/Local Head offices of the authorised public sector banks in H.P. by the Health Department immediately.

43-A.9 In case of any doubt, paying branch will obtain clarification from the Government through their Link branch and concerned Treasury Officer. Treasury Officer, on receipt of letter from bank, will seek clarification from Health department immediately.

## ANNEXURE E - G

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## REGISTER OF PAYMENT OF PENSIONS

Name of the Pensioner	No. of Payment order (PPO)	Period for which the pension is paid	Amount of the pension	Recovery of overpayment if any	Tax deduction	Income tax amount as indicated	Net amount paid in P.O.	Allocation Remarks
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Note: Each entry should be attested by the nominated officer of the branch at which the payment is made.