GOVERNMENT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH,
FINANCE (REGULATION) DEPARTMENT

No. Fin (C) A (3)- 7/2003, Dated Shimla-2, the 4th April, 2012.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Introduction of incentives amongst State Government employees for promoting the small family norms under the Programme “BETI HAI ANMOL”.

The Government of Himachal Pradesh has launched various schemes for improving the sex ratio in the State and for encouraging the care and proper upbringing of the girl child under the programme “BetI Hai Anmol”. The Governor of Himachal Pradesh, is now pleased to order that the employees who undergo sterilization (after issue of this O.M.) after having two or less surviving children, them being girls only, may be granted two special increments in the form of personal pay not to be absorbed in future increases in pay either in the same post or on promotion, to the higher posts. The rate of personal pay would be equal to the amount of the next increment due at the time of grant of the concession and will remain fixed during the entire service and will not count for any purpose. In the case of persons drawing pay at the maximum of the scale, the rate of personal pay would be equal to the amount of the increments last drawn. The grant of the concession will be subject to the following conditions:-

1. The employees must be within the re-productive age group in the case of a male Govt. employee. This would mean that he should not be over 50 years and his wife should be between 20 to 45 years of age. In the case of a female Govt. employee, she must not be above 45 years and her husband must not be over 50 years of age.

2. The employee should have two or less living children, them being girls only.

3. The sterilization Operation must have been conducted after the issue of this O.M. and the certificate issued by a Govt. Hospital or an institution recognized by the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh for medical attendance and treatment in the form as at Annexure "A".

4. The Sterilization Operation can be undergone either by the employee or his/her spouse, provided the conditions at serial Nos. (1) to (3) are fulfilled.
(5) In case of re-canalization, the special increments will stand withdrawn from the date of re-canalization.
(6) Cases of Hysterectomy would not be covered by this concession, because a woman who undergoes Hysterectomy on medical grounds automatically gets sterilized.
(7) The benefit would be allowed to the Govt. servant concerned from the 1st of the month following the month in which claim has been preferred.
(8) The Head of the Office concerned would be the competent authority to sanction the personal pay by issuing a suitable Office Order after satisfying himself/herself that the conditions prescribed by the Govt. stand fulfilled.
(9) If both husband and wife are Govt. employees, the incentive would be claimed either by the husband or by the wife, the choice being left to them to choose the higher of the increments available to them.
(10) The benefit of special increment would not be admissible to employee who undergoes vasectomy and who have two girl children but his wife was already pregnant at the time of the vasectomy Operation.

2. These orders shall be applicable with effect from 1.4.2012 prospectively.
3. The aforesaid decision may be brought to the notice of all concerned for information and guidance.

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Principal Secretary (Finance) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh.

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Joint Secretary (Finance) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh.
ANNEXURE 'A'

STERILIZATION CERTIFICATE

I, Dr. ______________ hereby certify that I have conducted
Vasectomy/ Tubectomy Operation of Shri / Smt.*
____________________ husband/ wife* of Shri/ Smt. ______________
employed as ______________ in ______________ at
____________________ on ______________.
2. A sperm count was undertaken on ______________ and on
the basis thereof it is certified that the Vasectomy Operation has been
completely successful.

____________________ and on
Vasectomy Operation has been
2. 

Operation only)

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ALL GOVT. EMPLOYEES.

I have undergone Vasectomy /tubectomy
________. Necessary sterilization
________ is enclosed. In case I/ my
recanalization for any reason
forthwith to the Government.
________ is not pregnant
(Para 2 for male Govt. employees)

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UNDERTAKING TO BE GIVEN BY

I /My spouse have/ has undertaken
Operation at ______________ on ______________
certificate issued by ______________
spouse have /has to take resort to
whosoever, I undertake to report this fact
2. I also certify that my wife Smt. ______________
on this date.
(Para 2 for male Govt. employees)

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Signature