

**GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
FINANCE (ESTT-A) DEPARTMENT**

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

NO.FEG. 15/98/Pt.-I/35

Dated Dispur, the 2nd June, 2005.

Sub : Payment of Dearness Allowance/ Dearness Relief to the serving Government Employees/ State Government Pensioners/ Family Pension holders/ Extra ordinary Pension holders in Revised rates effective from 01.01.2005.

The undersigned is directed to refer to Finance (Establishment – A) Department's Office Memorandum No. FEG.15/98/Pt.I/31 dated 10th March, 2005 regarding grant of Dearness Allowance to the serving State Government employees/ Dearness Relief to State Government pensioners/ Family pension holders/ Extra ordinary pension holders and to say that the Governor of Assam is pleased to decide that the Dearness Allowance/ Dearness Relief payable to the serving State Government employees/ State Government Pensioners / Family pension holders/ Extra ordinary pension holders with effect from 01.01.05 shall modified as follows:-

<u>Period of which payable</u>	<u>Rate of enhancement</u>	<u>Rate of Dearness Allowance/ Dearness Relief per mensem</u>
From 01-01-2005 onwards	3%	6% of basic pay/ basic pension

Note :- The payable on account of Dearness Allowance/ Dearness Relief involving fractions of 50 paise and above may be rounded of to the next higher rupee and fraction of less than 50 paise may be ignored.

2. The order will apply to Government employees who are brought over to the revised scale of pay w.e.f. 01.01.96 and to those who elected to retain the scale of pay which prevailed prior to 1.1.96. In case of former, pay for the purpose of D.A. will be as defined in F.R. 9(21) (a)(i) including stagnation increment. In respect of the latter i.e. those Government servants who exercised option to retain the scale of pay that existed prior to 1.1.96 shall continue to draw the D.A. as is appropriate to the pay scales in force on 31.12.95. They are also entitled to the D.A. sanctioned by the Government after 1.1.96. In computing pay for this purpose, pay will include the plus D.A. on price index of 1510 points sanctioned vide O.M. No. FEG. 42/90/204 dt. 14.3.96 and Interim Relief sanctioned vide O.M. No. FPC.14/94/7 dt. 12.9.94 and O.M. FPC.14/94/71 dt. 15.12.95.

3. The order will also be applicable to work-charged employees and to those paid from contingencies and holding posts carrying identical pay scales as applicable to the employees of the regular establishment of corresponding categories.

4. The amount sanctioned will classified as Dearness Allowance./ Dearness Relief and the expenditure for the purpose will debitable to the detailed head of Salary, Wages or Pension under respective head of account from which Government employees draw their pay and the pensioners draw their pension.

5. The Dearness Allowance/ Dearness Relief sanctioned at Para I shall be drawn in the manner as indicated below :-

- (i) The arrear Dearness Allowance in respect of in-service Government employees, for the period from 01.01.2005 to 31.05.2005 shall be credited into the respective GPF accounts.

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- (ii) The Dearness Allowance w.e.f. 01.06.2005 onwards shall be paid alongwith pension bill of respective month.

6. The Treasuries and Sub-Treasuries in Assam/ Authorized Public Sector Banks are requested to arrange for the payment of Dearness Relief to the pensioners/ Family Pension holders/ Extra ordinary pension holders on the basis of this O.M.

Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Assam,
Finance Department.