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Date : 21/03/2024

To,

The Officer-In-Charge,

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Sub : Revision of rates of Dearness Allowance to Central Government employees-effective from 01.01.2024

Ref: HQrs Delhi Cantt letter No. AN/XIV/19015/Govt. Orders dated 15.03.2024.

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Please find enclosed HQrs. Office letter cited above for information and further necessary action as directed therein.

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No. AN/XIV/19015/Govt. Orders

दिनांक: 15/03/2024

सेवा में,

सभी रक्षा लेखा प्रधान नियंत्रक/रक्षा लेखा नियंत्रक  
All PCsDA/CsDA  
(Through CGDA WAN and email)

Sub: Revision of rates of Dearness Allowance to Central Government employees-effective from 01.01.2024.

उपरोक्त विषय पर भारत सरकार, वित्त मंत्रालय, व्यय विभाग के दिनांक 12.03.2024 के कार्यालय ज्ञापन सं०1/1/2024-E-II (B), जो वित्त मंत्रालय की वेबसाइट पर उपलब्ध है, की प्रति सूचना, मार्गदर्शन एवं अनुपालन हेतु अग्रसारित की जाती है।

A copy of Government of India, Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure Office Memorandum F.No. 1/1/2024-E-II (B) dated 12.03.2024 on the above subject, which is available on the website of Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure, is forwarded for your information, guidance and compliance please.

संलग्नक: यथोपरि

(सुशील रियाड़)

रक्षा लेखा व.सहा.महानियंत्रक (प्रशा.)

प्रतिलिपि :-

1. प्रशा - IV (स्थानीय)।
2. लेखा परीक्षा (समन्वय) स्थानीय।
3. आई. टी. & एस. विंग (स्थानीय) :- रक्षा लेखा महानियंत्रक वेब (WAN) पर अपलोड करने हेतु।
4. प्रशिक्षण एवं संगोष्ठी केंद्र, बरार स्क्वायर, दिल्ली छावनी।
5. मास्टर नोट बुक (प्रशा- XIV)।

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रक्षा लेखा व.सहा.महानियंत्रक (प्रशा.)

No. 1/1/2024-E-II (B)  
Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Expenditure  
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North Block, New Delhi  
Dated the 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2024

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

**Subject: Revision of rates of Dearness Allowance to Central Government employees-  
effective from 01.01.2024.**

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's Office Memorandum No. 1/4/2023-E-II (B) dated 20<sup>th</sup> October, 2023 on the subject mentioned above and to say that the President is pleased to decide that the rates of Dearness Allowance payable to Central Government employees, shall be enhanced from 46% to 50% of the Basic Pay with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2024.

2. The term Basic Pay in the revised pay structure means the pay drawn in the prescribed Level in the Pay Matrix as per 7<sup>th</sup> CPC recommendations accepted by the Government, but does not include any other type of pay like special pay, etc.

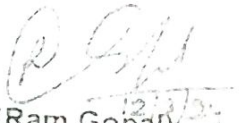
3. The Dearness Allowance will continue to be a distinct element of remuneration and will not be treated as pay within the ambit of FR 9(21).

4. The payment on account of Dearness Allowance involving fractions of 50 paise and above may be rounded to the next higher rupee and the fractions of less than 50 paise may be ignored.

5. The payment of arrears of Dearness Allowance shall not be made before the date of disbursement of salary of March, 2024.

6. These orders shall also apply to the civilian employees paid from the Defence Services Estimates and the expenditure will be chargeable to the relevant head of the Defence Services Estimates. In respect of Armed Forces personnel and Railway employees, separate orders will be issued by the Ministry of Defence and Ministry of Railways, respectively.

7. In so far as the persons serving in the Indian Audit and Accounts Department are concerned, these orders are issued in consultation with the Comptroller and Auditor General of India, as mandated under Article 148(5) of the Constitution of India.

  
(Ram Gopal)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

To

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