

F.N. PP-14/1/2021-PAP  
Government of India  
Ministry of Communication  
Department of Posts  
(Establishment Division)/P.A.P. Section  
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Dak Bhawan, Sansad Marg,  
New Delhi – 110 001.  
Dated : 8<sup>th</sup> April, 2022.

To,

1. All Chief Postmasters General/ Postmasters General
2. Chief General Manager, BD Dte/Parcel Dte/ PLI Directorate
3. Director RAKNPA/ GM CEPT/ Directors of All PTCs,
4. Addl. Director General, Army Postal Service, R.K. Puram, New Delhi
5. All General Managers (Finance)/ DAP/ DDAP

**Sub: Payment of Dearness Allowance to Gramin Dak Sevaks (GDS) effective from 01.01.2022 onwards –reg.**

Consequent upon grant of another installment of Dearness Allowance with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2022 to the Central Government Employees vide Government of India, Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure's O.M. No. 1/2/2022-E-II (B) dated 31.03.2022, duly endorsed vide this Department's letters No. PP-8/2/2021-PAP dated 04.04.2022, the Gramin Dak Sevaks (GDS) have also become entitled to the payment of Dearness Allowances on basic TRCA at the same rates as applicable to Central Government Employees with effect from 01.01.2022. It has, therefore, been decided that the Dearness Allowance payable to the Gramin Dak Sevaks shall be at the same rates as payable to Central Government Employees i.e. @ 34% (percent) with effect from the 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2022.

2. The expenditure on this account shall be debited to the Head "Salaries" under the relevant head of account and should be met from the sanctioned grant.

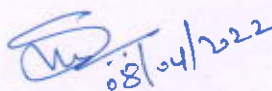
3. This issues with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Wing vide their Diary No02/2022-23/FA-CS(P) dated 08.04.2022.

  
(Sapna) 4.2022  
Assistant Director General (Estt.)

Encl.: As above.

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08/04/2022  
(Ashok Kukreti)  
Section Officer (PAP)

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Dated: 4<sup>th</sup> April, 2022.

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Sub: Grant of Dearness Allowance to Central Government employees-Revised Rates effective from 01.01.2022.

*Sir/Madam,*

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of the Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure's Office Memorandum No. OM No. 1/2/2022-E.II (B) dated 31.03.2022 on the subject cited above for information and further necessary action.

2. This issue with the approval of the competent authority.

*Sapna*  
4.4.2022

(Sapna)

Assistant Director General (Estt.)

Encl.: As above.

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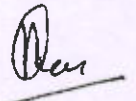
North Block, New Delhi  
Dated the 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2022.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

**Subject:** Grant of Dearness Allowance to Central Government employees - Revised Rates effective from 01.01.2022.

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Ministry's Office Memorandum No. 1/4/2021-E-II (B) dated 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 on the subject mentioned above and to say that the President is pleased to decide that the Dearness Allowance payable to Central Government employees shall be enhanced from the existing rate of 31% to 34% of the Basic Pay with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2022.

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, 2022.
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.



(Nirmala Dev)  
Director

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